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VONDALE AVE. AUTO ROAD PLAN GOES TO MAYOR

Model Drive Details Worked Out.

BY PUTNEY HAIGHT.

The Avondale high speed motor boulevard improvement becomes an official municipal project of Chicago with the advent of the new year.

Plans, estimates, drawings and studies of the proposed elevated 160 foot six mile thoroughfare extending from the heart of downtown Chicago to the Northwest highway, were placed in the hands of Mayor Thompson last night.

Its Outstanding Features.

The data submitted to the mayor by the Chicago plan commission, which has been engaged in traffic studies bearing on the project for several months, yields the following outstanding features:

Designated terminals: Canal and Fourteenth street at the south; Northwest highway and Parkside avenue at the north.

Length of elevated structure, 5.8 miles.

Estimated cost, $59,588,000.

Extreme width of right of way, 210 feet (north of Elston avenue to Northwest highway.

Uniform width of roadway, 160 feet throughout.

Distance saved as compared with present street routing, 3 miles.

Time reduction for normal traffic: Seven to 10 minutes.

Traffic movement: No cross traffic and no left turn traffic in the entire distance north of Erie street.

Capacity for traffic: 250,000 vehicles in 24 hours.

Street connections: 23 center ramps and occurring feeder streets.

Continuity: 132 street intersections will be eliminated.

Rural territory served: Nearly 1,100 square miles, the fan of highways which tap it converging into Avondale avenue extended.

Eastward extension: The drive on the north bank of the river is included as a part of the Avondale project.

Model for the Nation.

In the view of the plan commission the Avondale improvement will "become the most important undertaking of its kind in America, due to its length, width, and traffic separation features, its tremendous importance in the transportation plan of Chicago, and its great economic value to traffic."

That the undertaking will place Chicago in the foreground as a municipality determined to keep pace with modern motor traffic demands is the conviction of the members of the commission and the city administration.

It was pointed out by James Simpson, chairman of the plan commission, that the development of Avondale avenue, as compared with the development of Michigan avenue and Wacker drive, will be amazingly reasonable in cost.

Holds Cost Is Reasonable.

He cited that the Wacker drive improvement cost $21,000,000 and the Michigan avenue improvement nearly $11,000,000. The former is slightly over eight tenths of a mile in length and the latter slightly more than a mile. Expanded it is shown that Wacker drive cost at the rate of $25,000,000 a mile and Michigan avenue at the rate of $25,800,000 a mile.

The cost for the Avondale development would be at about the rate of $4,000,000 a mile.

Plans were worked out jointly by a board of local improvements and the Chicago plan commission. Engineers were assigned to the task by President Michael J. Faherty of the former body, and have been engaged on the work under direction of Hugh Young, chief engineer of the plan commission.

Committee Makes Its Report.

The completed report was acted on officially Friday by the executive committee of the commission. It came before this body as a report of the special Avondale committee consisting of Joseph R. Noel, chairman, Bernard A. Eckhart, Benjamin Allen, Murray McLeod and Werner Wiebolt, in coöperation with Alvin A. Sprague, vice chairman.

Accompanying the report, the following letter of transmission was addressed to Mayor Thompson:

"The Chicago Plan commission, through its executive committee, has respectfully submits for your consideration and approval plans and estimates of cost covering the development of a superhighway to extend from the heart of the city to the

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The Tribune's annual review of the financial and commercial year will be published in tomorrow's paper. With it will appear forecasts for 1928 by leaders of business.

The year's review of sports is printed in this issue of the paper, in the sporting section.

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Rotogravure magazine—"Via Madeira," short story by Edgar Wallace; "High Chivalry," serial by Achmed Abdullah; "Puppy Love," story from real life; "Tempting Menus for the Week," by Jane Eddington; fashions by Corinne Lowe.

Rotogravure picture section—Twelve pages; sketches by W. E. Hill.

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Zero Wave Takes Toll of 14 Lives

THE MASTER OF THE WORLD



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SYNOPSIS.

Paul Rayburn, scientist with the Grannett company, makes a discovery he is convinced will startle the world. Because he failed to realize a cent from an earlier invention which made millions for his company, he is determined to keep this one a secret.

Eleanor Grannett, daughter of the company owner, visits Rayburn's laboratory and immediately suspects that he is keeping something from the firm because he answers evasively when she questions him about a mysterious machine. When Eleanor mentions this to her father he tells her to invite Rayburn to their home for dinner; then he instructs his confidential man to inspect Rayburn's laboratory while he is absent. At dinner Grannett and Eleanor press Rayburn for information about his secret invention. Rayburn says it has to do with astronomy and that he hopes eventually to communicate with the planets. Grannett discharges Rayburn as he is convinced the experiments are the work of an unbalanced mind. Rayburn keeps on and perfects a device for recording the cosmic rays which penetrate the earth's atmosphere. He receives signals that he converts into sounds and discovers that the Martians, aware of our infancy in scientific knowledge, are giving instructions on how to create a sending device sufficiently powerful to reach Mars. An X-ray tube under millions of volts potentials instead of our present maximum of thousands would produce the intense beam necessary for communication.

Rutherford, the English physicist, having already succeeded in breaking up a single atom, Rayburn now had accurate instructions for breaking up great quantities of atoms which would give unlimited power.

By establishing this communication with Mars, Rayburn was to enter an open door of knowledge hundreds of thousands of years in advance of that possessed by any other man on earth. For the present, he resolves to keep his discovery a profound secret.

CHAPTER IX.

It was nearly noon when the signalling abruptly ceased. For twenty hours Rayburn had sat absorbed at his instrument under the highest nervous strain.

From time to time he was half conscious of insistent knocking at his door but he ignored it. Nothing should divert him from the messages which for the first time in the world's history were reaching earthly ears.

But he was powerless to respond until he had constructed the equipment for sending as directed by the message. Then, with a vast reservoir of knowledge to tap, the power within his reach would be staggering.

His racing thoughts urged him to set to work at once, but physically the long vigil had overtaxed him. He must have rest before he could give his needed best to the work in hand.

Pocketing safely his priceless notes, he paused for a look of weary affection at his machine.

"You're marvelous!" he murmured. "You've more than fulfilled my wildest hope. You are the key that will open doors to miracles of achievement far beyond the dreams of earthly mankind."

Then he locked his door and hurried home. His mother was out, so he pinned up a note: "Have worked all night. Please don't disturb." And soon he sank into the profound sleep of exhaustion.

Meanwhile Fate took one of those inscrutable twists by which mortals are reminded not to exult too highly in their good fortune.

So many things had been happening to Rayburn that he had completely forgotten the dated check he had given in payment on the note for his machine. The ten days having elapsed, his check was presented for payment at the bank, where it met the cold announcement that there were insufficient funds to meet it.

The instrument maker was in no humor to accept the disappointment with patience. He had been particularly counting upon that check. He rushed back to his office and sent for his collector.

"This Rayburn check is no good!" he exclaimed angrily. "Hustle out and see him. I've waited long enough. Either he makes good today—today, mind you—or else I'll have that machine back! Make it strong!"

The collector made three futile calls at Rayburn's laboratory, but to his insistent knocks came no response. Later he called at Rayburn's house where he was informed that Rayburn was asleep and could not be disturbed.

"Asleep! At this hour!" thought the collector in disgust. "A nice state of affairs! Small chance of getting any money out of that guy!"

The results of these efforts were duly presented to the boss, whose lips tightened savagely and who seized his hat, without comment, and rushed off to his lawyer's.

"Well, what's your trouble today, Mr. Rathman?" inquired the lawyer amiably.

"Trouble! Listen, let me tell you——" and the irate instrument maker launched into an explosive account, ending with: "I need the money and I've got to have it right away. I know Rayburn hasn't any but if I could get hold of his machine he'd find it somewhere if he had to steal it."

Mr. Foxstone smiled a crafty smile.

"Why do you call it his machine? He doesn't own it."

"What do you mean?"

"Didn't he sign the sales form I prepared for you?"

"Sure he did and took the machine."

The lawyer winked. "Yes, yes, Mr. Rathman, but the agreement which he signed provided that the machine was to remain your property until he had paid for it in full, and that if he failed to make each payment as it came due you could take the machine back. All you have to do is to walk into his laboratory peacefully, ask him for the money he owes you, and when he stalls, pick up the machine and walk out."

Mr. Rathman seized his lawyer's hands and wrung it vigorously.

"O, you lawyers! You know how to do things. It's great when you're with us, but bad business when you're not! I'll go at once."

"Just wait a minute." Mr. Foxstone's eyes had suddenly narrowed. "This Rayburn, isn't he the fellow who's been in the papers lately with some fantastic invention for talking to the moon or something?"

"Sure, that's the fellow. He's done some big things for the Grannett Company—made millions for them, they say, but now they've let him out. I guess he's nutty."

The lawyer was staring thoughtfully out of the window. Then he arose and got his hat.

"I think I'll come along. I'm not so busy, and the air will do me good."

They picked up the collector and an extra man and the four of them were waiting at Rayburn's door when he arrived in the early evening.

At sight of their determined faces, particularly that of the keen eyed Harry Foxstone, Rayburn had a crushing sense of impending calamity.

To be continued.

CITY WELCOMES NEW YEAR WITH CAUTIOUS CHEER

Only Odor of Rum Is Detected.

Chicago, as of yore, welcomed the new year at midnight with a noisy celebration that was little, if any, lessened by the sobering presence of 400 dress suited prohibition agents scattered in little details through all the brightest centers of the city's night life.

At the first of the twelve strokes that ushered 1928 into the fraternity of the years screeching whistles rent the air. In cabarets, in hotels, in thousands of homes where little groups were holding their parties, there was the burst of sound made by hoarse horns.

Even the chill streets of the loop, where a few minutes before there had been silence—or as near it as the loop ever knows—began to resound with the raucous welcome. Celebrants poured out from their tables and their dance floors to let the world in on the fact that 1927 had been driven to the graveyard of time and that its successor had arrived.

Loud, Gay and Orderly.

It was loud and it was gay. But it was orderly, so orderly that at 1 a. m., when the din and the shouts had begun to die away, it was heralded by Alexander Jamie, deputy prohibition administrator in charge of enforcement, that his 400 diligent, dour, frock coated men had failed to find evidence to justify even a single arrest in the city. So far as they were concerned, there was not a single scofflaw at all Chicago.

"This is evidence," said Mr. Jamie, "that public drinking is on the wane. We are pleased with the results."

Out in the county roving squads of prohibition agents found little to do, and only one arrest was made. That was at a roadhouse at Dempster street and Gross Point road, where Gus Carlson was taken into custody on a charge of selling drinks.

Dryest Ever, Yellowley Says.

"This has been the dryest New Year's eve that we have ever had," E. C. Yellowley, federal prohibition administrator, said early this morning after all his agents had reported. "There was very little drinking and no trouble in any of the places where our agents were placed. The willingness of the proprietors to coöperate with this office and the spirit of the persons who went to hotels and cabarets to celebrate helped to make this a dry New Year's eve."

Policemen to the number of 125 had been especially assigned to search through the merriest haunts and to seize all known gangsters. They also reported that they could make no arrests.

Wounded by Stray Bullets.

In outlying sections some celebrants took to firearms to express their enthusiasm for the change in the calendar. The first shooting was that of Thomas Campbell, 5472 Emerald avenue, who was probably fatally wounded by a stray bullet at 47th and Halsted streets.

At 1241 West 18th street, the home of Samuel Waller, two bullets were fired through a window. A woman living at 1222 Washburne avenue complained of being fired at. Bullets crashed through the second story windows at 1353 West Roosevelt road while a party was in progress, but no one was injured. Lee Robinson, colored, was shot and probably fatally wounded as he sat reading in his home on the third floor at 1230 Clybourn avenue.

In spite of the watchfulness of the prohibition agents, the merry old custom of carrying the nip on the hip and sharing it with friends was not entirely abandoned. Public drinking, however, it was claimed by the dry forces and admitted by those who liked their welcomes wet, was almost entirely eliminated.

Drinking in Private Rooms.

What drinking there was occurred in private rooms of hotels, in quiet roadhouse rooms, and at thousands of home parties.

Investigators who made tours of the loop's gay spots shortly before midnight reported that even in places where ginger ale was sold there was a minimum of drink mixing, while the elevators were filled with men who carried with them the odor of liquors and the air of good fellowship, all on their way to or from the private room parties on the upper floors.

It was this contingent that [illegible]

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Nearly Eight Inches of Snow Blankets City

Fourteen deaths in and near Chicago were attributed at least in part to the sub-zero wave that swept upon the city yesterday. The cold rode in on a blizzard that had covered streets and roofs with a snow blanket seven and a half inches deep by nightfall. No relief from the intense cold can be expected before Tuesday, according to the official weather forecast.

At 9 p. m. the last official reading showed the mercury stood at 2 above zero. An unofficial reading at 2 a. m. was 3 below. The forecaster indicated that temperatures might be 10 below zero tonight and tomorrow night with thermometers registering again under the zero line.

Cold Covers Most of U. S.

Practically the entire territory between the Rocky mountains and the Alleghanies, and extending as far south as the gulf of Mexico was in the grip of the cold. In the west communications were hampered and trains reported late. In the northwest minima of 10 to 34 below were registered. Cold wave conditions prevailed in Georgia and Alabama and the usually balmy New Orleans was expecting a minimum of 16 above zero.

New York had a mild New Year's eve, with the temperature near 50 above, but the coldest weather of the winter was predicted there for today.

The snows in Chicago drifted heavily, but the fall was over so long a period that efforts to keep traffic lanes open were for the most part successful. A force of 1,500 men attacked the snowdrifts in the loop at an early hour yesterday and nearly 1,500 more with snow plows and sweepers were busy clearing surface line tracks in all parts of the city.

In the midst of blinding snow John Herrick, 56, of 1526 Ardmore avenue was killed by an automobile driven by William O'Malley, 4123 North Ashland avenue.

Joseph Martini, 25, and Joseph Scornavacco, 28, of Highwood, also blinded by the snow, were killed by a train.

Recluse Dies of Exposure.

Paralyzed and unable to reach a stove to make a fire, Mrs. May Meyers, 70, died of exposure in her home at 684 Fay street. She was a recluse. Henry Smith, 52, a laborer, failed to see an Illinois Central train approaching at 115th street as he was sweeping snow. He was killed.

William Harms, 57, of 6347 South Morgan street, was killed when he was struck by a switch engine while supervising the cleaning of snow from switches on the Chicago and Western Indiana tracks.

Another death indirectly attributed to the storm was that of Charles Young, 55, who was found dead in his room at 607 North Wells street. He was asphyxiated.

Doctor's Death Laid to Cold.

The deaths of John Kennedy, 75, 214 North La Porte avenue, Oak Park, and Dr. Delbert W. Laird, 45, 6159 South Menard avenue, were attributed to heart disease aggravated by the cold.

Exposure was given as the cause of the deaths of Ambrose Smith, 39, found frozen in a hallway at 3459 Wentworth avenue; John Storrie, who dropped dead while sweeping snow from the sidewalk at 8119 Justine street, and an unidentified man.

TERRORIZE AND ROB 3 WOMEN IN HYDE PARK HOME

Three women were terrorized and robbed by three bandits, one at least of whom is believed to have been a university student, in the home of Mrs. Mildred Batchelor, 4457 Greenwood avenue, early this morning. Mrs. Batchelor, with her friends Mrs. Elizabeth Gibbons, 1112 East 45th street, and Miss Sidney Duncan, 3500 Ellis avenue, were awaiting the arrival of Mr. Batchelor and Mr. Gibbons for a New Year's party. When the door bell rang Mrs. Batchelor supposed it was her husband and opened the door.

She was confronted by three young and well dressed men, each with a revolver in hand. The youths ordered the women to throw up their hands and line up with their faces to the wall. They did so, and the robbers proceeded to gather up the valuables in the place. They took Mrs. Batchelor's fur coat, valued at $3,000, her entire wardrobe, consisting of fifteen or twenty dresses, her table linen and $215 in cash. Mrs. Gibbons lost a squirrel coat valued at $1,200, and Miss Gibbons a fur coat valued at $800.

The leader of the robbers wore a raccoon coat and had a college fraternity pin on his coat lapel. As soon as the trio had gathered up the loot they herded the women into a bathroom with threats that they would all be killed if they made an outcry. After all was quiet the women called the police and Lieut. Charles Grattan began an investigation of the robbery.

UNDAUNTED, SHE RESTS HERE FOR AIR TRIP TODAY

Pilot Loses Way on Flight to Detroit.

Mrs. Evangeline Lindbergh, returning by airplane from a Christmas visit with her dauntless son in Mexico City, was forced to a landing in huge snow drifts on the edge of Chicago early last evening. Her flight from St. Louis was accomplished through storms so furious that mail plane flights were abandoned.

The plane in which she flew—hoping vainly to reach Detroit for a New Year's eve at home—lost its way and the forced landing was made in the infield of the old Roby race track at Indianapolis boulevard and 108th street. And Mrs. Lindbergh had to wade for a mile and a half through massive drifts to reach shelter. But her faith in aviation is still as marked as that of her son, who is now in Belize, British Honduras.

A Blizzardy Afternoon Ride.

Mrs. Lindbergh's ride began in St. Louis at 1:54 p. m. with seven companions. The end of this part of the trip came at 5:10 p. m., when low visibility forced their large plane to a landing on the race track.

Pilot Harry Brooks had lost his way. Snow and dusk made it impossible for him to fly higher than 200 feet or to see more than 30 or 40 feet ahead. He had aimed at the Lansing [Ill.] landing field, but missed that by six or seven miles. He descended when he recognized the open space beneath him.

"The landing was deliberate," Mrs. Lindbergh said later. "We didn't have even a jar. There was never anything to worry about. Pilot Brooks knew what he was doing and he deserves great credit."

Don Indian Blankets.

The landing successfully made, the three women and four of the five men composing the party stepped out of the plane's cabin into the snow drifts. To protect themselves from the bitter wind and the near-zero temperature they donned Mexican blankets, obtained during their Christmas visit in Mexico City. Made on the poncho style with holes through which the head can be slipped, they served the purpose.

Then began the battle with the drifts. It ended when, at the conclusion of the mile and half of trudging, they stepped into the warm interior of a roadside soft drink parlor. There they had coffee.

"Please," asked the mother of the New York-Paris flyer, "do not say we stopped in a saloon. Can't we call it a restaurant?"

Police to the Rescue.

As they waited in the restaurant, a report had been received at the East Side police station that an air mail plane had crashed at the racetrack. Soon afterward the Lindbergh party had visitors, Policemen Edward Anderson and Hugh Byrne. With them was a patrol wagon.

When the police heard the story of the hardships of the marooned airfarers, Anderson gallantly offered the patrol wagon as transportation to a hotel. Mrs. Lindbergh was willing, but other members persuaded her to wait for a more dignified vehicle.

A little later the members of the party were taken to the Hayes hotel by Gorge R. Hedges, 9070 South Chicago avenue. Here Mrs. Lindbergh gave her impressions of the trip as a whole.

Couldn't See Their Way.

"It was a wise landing," she said. "We were never in any danger, but we couldn't see where we were and it would not have been safe to fly over houses at 200 feet. I am only sorry that we had to leave Pilot Brooks behind. You see, he refused to leave the plane. He deserves a warm place on such a night. And the next time I go out on a trip like this, I am going to see that there are lace curtains for the cabin."

She added that until the landing was made, the cabin was as comfortable as any home on the ground.

"But weren't you afraid?" she was asked.

The question brought an emphatic negative. "I don't see why people think it so courageous to travel by plane. So far as I am concerned, I consider it the safest way to reach a destination and I don't care if I never see another railroad."

Hopes to Continue Today.

Last night Mrs. Lindbergh readily agreed to plans to hop off for Detroit at 8 o'clock this morning when it was announced that the gale was expected to diminish.

Pilot Brooks, after getting his bearings, flew the big plane to the Lansing

TRAIN RESCUES 150 STRANDED IN BUSES BY SNOW

Chenoa, Ill., Dec. 31.—[Special.]—One hundred and fifty persons, stranded in two Chicago-St. Louis buses, were rescued late this evening by relief parties sent out from Chenoa.

The buses—one bound from Chicago to St. Louis and the other from St. Louis to Chicago—were trapped in drifts five miles west of Chenoa.

After hours of work by the men passengers had failed to get the buses out, a party of four men, headed by Ralph McAllister of Iron Mountain, Mich., plowed through the drifts to Chenoa.

Mayor A. J. Shultz of Chenoa, Samuel Stockman and Orville Wahls took a switch engine and one car out and brought in a number of women and children. Ed Dowling, with a team and wagon, made several trips and brought in a number of others.

The stranded ones were given first aid and hot food by the people of Chenoa and tonight are guests of the town.

Several of the women, including Mrs. J. F. Robinson, 1623 West Jackson, Chicago, were severely frostbitten.

4 U. S. MARINES REPORTED SLAIN IN NICARAGUA

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, Dec. 31.—A United States marine patrol operating in the department of Ocotol was ambushed Friday by bandits believed to be Gen. Sandino's men. In a hard fought skirmish four marines were reported killed in action. Marine headquarters of the 5th regiment at Managua said full details are expected Sunday.

[No confirmation of the report that four marines had been killed Friday in Nicaragua could be obtained from the navy department in Washington last night. Officers familiar with the situation said the department was without knowledge of any recent engagement in which marines were killed.]

Legally Clear, Pays $700,000 of Old Debts

A gracious chapter was written in the romance of Chicago's financial life yesterday when Reuben H. Donnelley, although his slate was cleared in the courts twenty-two years ago, assumed full moral obligation and returned with accrued interest the investments of all creditors who suffered in the failure of Knight, Donnelley & Co., brokers, on June 27, 1905.

Between $600,000 and $700,000, representing payment of 100 cents on the dollar and interest for the twenty-two year period, were returned. Nearly 300 accounts benefited.

Checks in New Year's Mail.

It is coincidence and not sentiment, Mr. Donnelley declared, that finds the checks in the mail on New Year's day. "There is nothing sentimental about this procedure," he said. "It is purely a business transaction."

With the resolution made at the time of the failure to make complete repayment, the laborious work of locating the creditors or their heirs has been pushed in the last few months. "It has taken more than twenty-two years to complete the task," Mr. Donnelley said, "but releases have now been taken on all accounts."

Cleared of All Liability.

When the old brokerage firm was thrown into bankruptcy through the petitions of three creditors, settlement was made on the basis of 27 cents on the dollar. Thus Mr. Donnelley, who is now president of the Reuben H. Donnelley corporation and vice president of R. R. Donnelley & Sons company, and his partner, Newell C. Knight, were absolved of further liability.

Mr. Donnelley, however, accepted the moral responsibility of satisfying the creditors and made the settlement as an individual. This is regarded as one of the largest cases of its kind in the history of Chicago finance.

In 1901 Mr. Donnelley was elected president of the Chicago stock exchange. He served in that office until 1903.

2 GIRLS BURNED TRYING TO SAVE WOMAN IN FIRE

Emily and Helen Konopacek, 23 and 17 years old, 2307 South Clifton Park avenue, were severely burned late last night when they tried to beat out flames in the clothing of Miss Elsie Pendleton, living on the floor below. The fire was caused by an explosion of cleaning fluid. In trying to beat out the flames, the girls' own clothing caught fire. The girls and Miss Pendleton were carried to safety by firemen on a ladder. The condition of the [illegible] was pronounced serious, a[illegible]

THE WEATHER

SUNDAY, JANUARY 1, 1928.

Sunrise, 7:18; sunset, 4:30. Moon sets at 1:58 a. m. Monday. Venus is in the morning and Jupiter the evening star.

Chicago and vicinity—Probably snow flurries Sunday; Monday generally fair; continued cold; strong northwest winds Sunday.

Illinois—Partly cloudy to cloudy Sunday; snow flurries in north portion; generally fair Monday; continued cold.

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TEMPERATURES IN CHICAGO

MAXIMUM, 3 A. M.			16
MINIMUM, 2 A. M.			—3
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4 a. m.	15	1 p. m.	11
5 a. m.	14	2 p. m.	10
6 a. m.	14	3 p. m.	9
7 a. m.	13	4 p. m.	9
8 a. m.	13	5 p. m.	8
9 a. m.	13	6 p. m.	4
10 a. m.	12	7 p. m.	3
11 a. m.	13		
8 p. m.	3		
9 p. m.	2		
Unofficial—			
10 p. m.	1		
11 p. m.	0		
Midnight	—1		
1 a. m.	—2		
2 a. m.	—3		

For 24 hours ended at 7 p. m., Dec. 31: Mean temperature, 15; normal, 26; excess since Jan. 1, 515 degrees.

Precipitation, .49 inch; excess since Jan. 1, 6.44 inches.

Barometer—7 a. m., 29.83; 7 p. m., 30.03.

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field, where it was found undamaged and ready for the trip.

As for New Year's eve plans, Mrs. Lindbergh had but one—rest.

"I have been up at 4 a. m. for three consecutive mornings," she said. "I intend to retire to my room and sleep."

In the party, besides Mrs. Lindbergh and Pilot Brooks, were the second pilot, Harry Russell, Mrs. John Collings, wife of a Ford official; Stanley Copeland, of the Lincoln Motor Car company; G. Miller, Ford representative in Mexico, and Mr. and Mrs. William B. Stout. Mr. Stout heads the Ford plane making activities.

He said that when they left St. Louis the intention was to fly to Bryan, O., and then to Detroit. But when the storm center was reached it was decided to land at Lansing and remain over night. He also praised Brooks for his handling of the machine.

U. S. ESCORT FOR LINDY

BY LOUIS ROSENTHAL.
[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]
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MANAGUA, Nicaragua, Dec. 31.—Final preparations were completed today for the reception of Col. Charles A. Lindbergh, who is expected about 10 a. m. Thursday. The Liberals and Conservatives have dropped party differences and united to accord the aviator the greatest welcome ever given a guest of the nation. The day of his arrival will be a national holiday.

An escort of five United States marine planes, under command of Maj. Ross Rowell, will meet Col. Lindbergh near the volcano of Momotombo. The minister of foreign relations, the American charge d'affaires, and a national reception committee will greet Col. Lindbergh at the marine aviation field and escort him through the gayly decorated streets, lined by 5,000 school children, waving American and Nicaraguan banners, for presentation to President Diaz at Campo Marte.

Lindy to Address Crowd.

He then will proceed to the congressional palace to address a crowd of about 10,000 people, who will assemble in the park in front of the palace.

President Diaz will tender an official banquet in the evening. There will be covers for 200 persons. Members of the cabinet, diplomats, prominent Nicaraguans, and members of the American and other foreign colonies will attend.

On the second day of the aviator's visit President Diaz will present "Lindy" with a gold commemoration medal and Col. Lindbergh will attend the session of congress and then go on an auto trip through the coffee district. At night a reception and dance will be given by the government at the Managua club. About 1,500 invitations have been extended to all prominent persons in the republic.

Lindy Repairs Plane.

BELIZE, British Honduras, Dec. 31.—(U. P.)—Col. Charles A. Lindbergh, inspecting his plane the Spirit of St. Louis today, found that the machine's hot air line was broken.

The baseball game between students of the Catholic college, at which Col. Lindbergh was to have thrown the first ball, was delayed while efforts were made to repair the line. Bare headed, working under the beating rays of a tropical sun, Lindbergh ruefully surveyed the damage as he attempted to make the repair. He found the line had been broken in two. He went over the machine with a wrench working alone. A mechanic of the British air force was ready to assist him in repairing the machine in order to be ready for the next lap of his Central American tour at dawn tomorrow. He plans to take off for San Salvador, capital of Salvador, which is about 250 miles from here by air.

Earlier in the day Col. Lindbergh had taken a boat ride up the Belize river. He was accompanied by the officials who greeted him yesterday when he completed the second stage of his Central American good will tour.

This evening's program included a formal banquet at the International hotel, with Lindbergh and American Consul Ellis Bennett as the honored guests. Justices, members of the executive and legislative councils, leaders in the city government and the reception committee which welcomed him yesterday when Lindbergh landed were invited.

Flyer's Second Panama Visit.

PANAMA, Dec. 31.—(AP)—A golden key to Panama City has been authorized by the Panama municipal council for presentation to Col. Charles A. Lindbergh when he comes here. The council will go to the landing field and receive the flyer in the name of the city.

It will be Lindbergh's second visit here, as he came with his parents in 1913 when there was no water in the canal. Congressman Lindbergh came to investigate labor conditions among the canal construction gangs. Mrs. Lindbergh assisted in the investigation. She and her son ate at laborers' messes and were guided by Lloyd K. Gilkey, who is now inspector of canal labor.

"Lindy showed his traits early," Gilkey said. "As we walked through portions of the canal the lad went his way alone. I have asked him to fly over the Balboa schoolhouse and salute the children, for he thinks more of them than adults."

GIRL BURNED BY GUN FIRE.

While examining a revolver with which a neighbor was preparing to celebrate the New Year, Stella Kuklinski, 14, of 8430 Escanaba avenue, was burned about the face last night when a blank cartridge was discharged.

Storm Halts Flight of Mrs. Lindbergh



Mrs. Evangeline Lindbergh, mother of Col. Charles A. Lindbergh, at the Hayes hotel last night after plane in which she was attempting to fly from St. Louis to Detroit was forced down by the storm at Roby speedway.
[TRIBUNE Photo.]

ASK INDICTMENT OF PHYSICIAN IN WIDOW'S SLAYING

Charged with Suspicion; Lodged in Jail.

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 31.—[Special.]—After a day and a half of questioning, Dr. Charles A. McMillan, business manager and intimate of the late Mrs. Amelia Appleby, was locked up today on a charge of suspicion of murdering the wealthy Chicago widow.

Mrs. Appleby's body was found along a country road last Monday and was identified Friday.

Capt. William Bright of the sheriff's homicide squad booked Dr. McMillan and said there are no other suspects. Deputy District Attorney Clifford Thoms said that the county grand jury will be asked to indict McMillan next Tuesday. In the meantime he is not subject to bail.

Cornered by Police.

"McMillan was cornered on practically every major statement he made us," Bright said. "When he found he was cornered, he either changed his story and tried to explain out of it or admitted he was lying." Bright said that Dr. McMillan had steadfastly denied knowing anything of Mrs. Appleby's killing on Dec. 23.

Mrs. McMillan retained Attorney Nathan Freedman as her husband's counsel. Before being placed in jail today, Dr. McMillan had a theatrical meeting with his estranged wife, who informed police that she and the couple's 10 year old daughter had been living in a Los Angeles hotel while McMillan had been living with Mrs. Appleby. Mrs. McMillan said that she would stick by her husband in his murder defense, because she was "broadminded enough to overlook affairs with women when it comes to a crime like this that he could not possibly have committed."

Deputy sheriffs who have been working on the Appleby case promised three witnesses for Tuesday's grand jury quiz who, they say, will testify that they heard Mrs. Appleby say she lived in constant fear of her life.

Find New Letter.

In the evidence to be laid before the grand jury Tuesday will be a letter that came into possession of the sheriff's office today. The letter was written by Dr. McMillan on Dec. 28 and told F. N. Hassock of Pasadena to confer with him instead of Mrs. Appleby about some overdue mortgage money. "Mrs. Appleby has been called east indefinitely on business," the physician wrote.

The investigators consider the letter important, in view of Dr. McMillan's insistence to them he saw Mrs. Appleby the last time on Dec. 22, when she told him she was going to San Diego for a short visit.

SEEN IN CHICAGO.

Edward W. Weinstein, clerk in the Crown Tire shop at 3019 South Michigan avenue, told of Dr. McMillan coming into his shop last Oct. 5 for the purpose of buying two tires. Weinstein said he delivered the tires to 5123 Kenmore avenue and was there introduced by Dr. McMillan to a woman whom he said was his wife. They spoke of leaving for California immediately, Weinstein declared. McMillan told Los Angeles police yesterday that he had not been in Chicago with Mrs. Appleby.

PLAN OF HISTORICAL SOCIETY'S BUILDING WAITS ON PARK SITE

Approval of both Gov. Small and Mayor Thompson at their recent conference, of plans for the erection of a new building to house the relics of the Chicago Historical society, has disclosed that for the last two years such a project has been under discussion by officers of the organization.

The site, which has not been definitely selected, will be somewhere in Lincoln park, it is hoped by the promoters. Until a site has been agreed on by the society officers and the Lincoln park commissioners, no details of the size or character of the edifice can be worked out.

The plan is to select a site that will be readily accessible to the park and boulevard traffic, and the surroundings will in some measure determine the plan of the building, it was said. When the new structure is ready the present building at Dearborn and Ontario streets will be disposed of, it was explained, and the proceeds applied to the cost of the new institution.

Twin Daughters Born as 1927 Passes Into History

Twin daughters were born to Margaret and Leonard Melsna, 5738 South California avenue, at the Washington Park hospital, last evening. They were the last twins whose births were recorded in Chicago in 1927. The mother and the babies were reported to be doing nicely by Dr. Robert D. McCormick.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP MOVEMENTS.

Arrived.	At.	From.
Seydlitz	Bremen	Philadelphia
President Polk	Marseilles	New York
Stuttgart	Bremen	New York
Albert Ballin	Southampton	New York
Volendam	New York	Rotterdam
Presid't Garfield	Penang	New York
Sailed.	**From.**	**To.**
Manuel Arnus	Barcelona	New York
American Banker	London	New York
Hamburg	Hamburg	New York
Colombo	Naples	New York
Laconia	Liverpool	New York
Lancastria	New York	Plymouth
Mauretania	New York	Plymouth
Ryndam	New York	Rotterdam

WOMAN HUNTED AS HICKMAN'S AID IN MURDER

Voices Heard in Flat Day After Girl's Kidnaping.

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 31.—[Special.]—Expressing dissatisfaction with Edward Hickman's insistence that he alone was involved in Marion Parker's murder and with his and Welby Hunt's version of their career of robbery and murder in various states, the authorities pursued two new investigations today.

One inquiry was based on a tip that a woman may have been an accessory to Hickman during the kidnaping of Marion Parker. Investigator Jack Cris of the district attorney's staff reported the words of a witness who says she heard a woman's voice say: "My God, Eddie, we've got to get out of here quick," in Hickman's apartment at Bellevue Arms on Friday, Dec. 16.

That was the day after Hickman kidnaped the Parker girl and the day before he returned her dismembered body to the girl's father in return for $1,500 ransom.

Denies Kansas Murder.

Deputy District Attorney Forrest Murray urged Hickman to a further confession on other suspected murder crimes this morning. The boy denied complicity in the shooting of S. M. Rowley near Cottonwood Falls, Kas., last Sept. 12.

While one district attorney questioned Hickman, another talked to young Hunt, whose indictment for murder is to be asked at next Tuesday's grand jury session.

On the request of Hunt's mother, Mrs. W. H. Wehring of Kansas City, who wired a request to District Attorney Asa Keyes, the authorities informed Hickman's 16 year old partner in the killing of a druggist in a holdup that his mother was sending an attorney to him and she may come to California to aid his trial defense.

Mrs. Wehring wired that Hunt was born in Burmah, Okla., on Feb. 20, 1911, which makes him 16 and ineligible to receive the death penalty in California. No person under 18 can be executed in California.

A legal quirk of the same kind was quoted on Hickman's behalf by the latter's counsel, Jerome Walsh.

When Hickman came up before the Los Angeles county juvenile court on charges of forging more than forty checks last June he named his age as 17, and his mother, Mrs. Eva Hickman, corroborated him. The Hickmans produced a family Bible with William Edward's birth date given therein as Feb. 1, 1910. The court at the time accepted Hickman's account of his age as 17. Since that time both Hickman and his mother have admitted that the youth is 19.

Question of His Age.

Walsh may plead that once a matter of issue [in this case, Hickman's age] becomes a matter settled in a court ruling, it is understood to be established as a foundation fact in all future court actions.

"I will announce my plea and my theory," Walsh said, "when the time comes, in court."

Walsh may decide on a guilty plea, with his client throwing himself on the mercy of the court in a request for imprisonment instead of death.

Judge Carlos Hardy, presiding justice of criminal division, Los Angeles county court, will hear Hickman's plea Tuesday.

Youth Hunt's Defense.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Dec. 31.—(AP)—Youth will be the defense of Welby Hunt, confessed companion of William Edward Hickman in a holdup in which Ivy Thoms, Rosehill, Cal., druggist, was killed a year ago, it was announced here today by George L. Hunt, father of the boy.

AVIATRIX SUES CULT LEADER FOR ALLEGED BREACH OF PROMISE

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 31.—(AP)—Miss Evelyn Rosencrants, 27, an aviatrix, today filed a $500,000 breach of promise suit against William Edward Riker, millionaire founder and "high priest" of the Holy City cult in the Santa Cruz mountains.

The woman flyer charged that Riker made love to her and promised to marry her Oct. 15, last.

Miss Rosencrants said that as a result of her association with Riker, she had abandoned plans for a trans-Atlantic flight from New York to Rome, which had been scheduled for next April.

FUGITIVE OIL WITNESS NOT T... RETURN TO U.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 31.—(Special.)—Harry M. Blackmer, former chairman of the Midwest Refining company, who fled to France to risked confiscation of $100,000 of property rather than testify in the Teapot Dome conspiracy case, will ignore a subpoena demanding his appearance as a government witness in the second trial of the case, now scheduled to begin Jan. 16.

Blackmer's new defiance of the district Supreme court came today in the course of an argument by his attorney, George Gordon Battle, on a motion to dismiss contempt proceedings against the much sought witness growing out of his refusal to testify in the first Teapot Dome trial, which ended in a mistrial early in November.

As a result of the warning that regardless of the outcome of the contempt proceedings Blackmer will not return to the United States, Justice Frederick Siddons set the dismissal motion for hearing on Feb. 27.

In his motion to dismiss the contempt citation against Blackmer, Attorney Battle attacked the constitutionality of the Walsh act under which American citizens living abroad who fail to respond to subpoenas may be penalized by the confiscation of $100,000 of their property.

Blackmer is wanted by the government to tell the "inside" story of the Continental Trading Co., Ltd., deal—a $33,333,333 barrel oil deal out of which it is charged Albert B. Fall, former secretary of the interior, was paid $230,500 soon after he leased the navy's Teapot Dome oil reserve to Harry F. Sinclair. Blackmer organized the alleged "fake" Continental company and Sinclair guaranteed its fulfillment of the huge oil transaction.

Word was received today by attorneys for Fall, who is ill at his home in Mexico, that he might not be well enough to appear for trial.

Old Time Printers to Dine on Franklin's Birthday

More than 1,400 are expected to attend the annual banquet of the Old Time Printers' association, to be given Jan. 14 at the Stevens hotel on the occasion of Benjamin Franklin's birthday anniversary.

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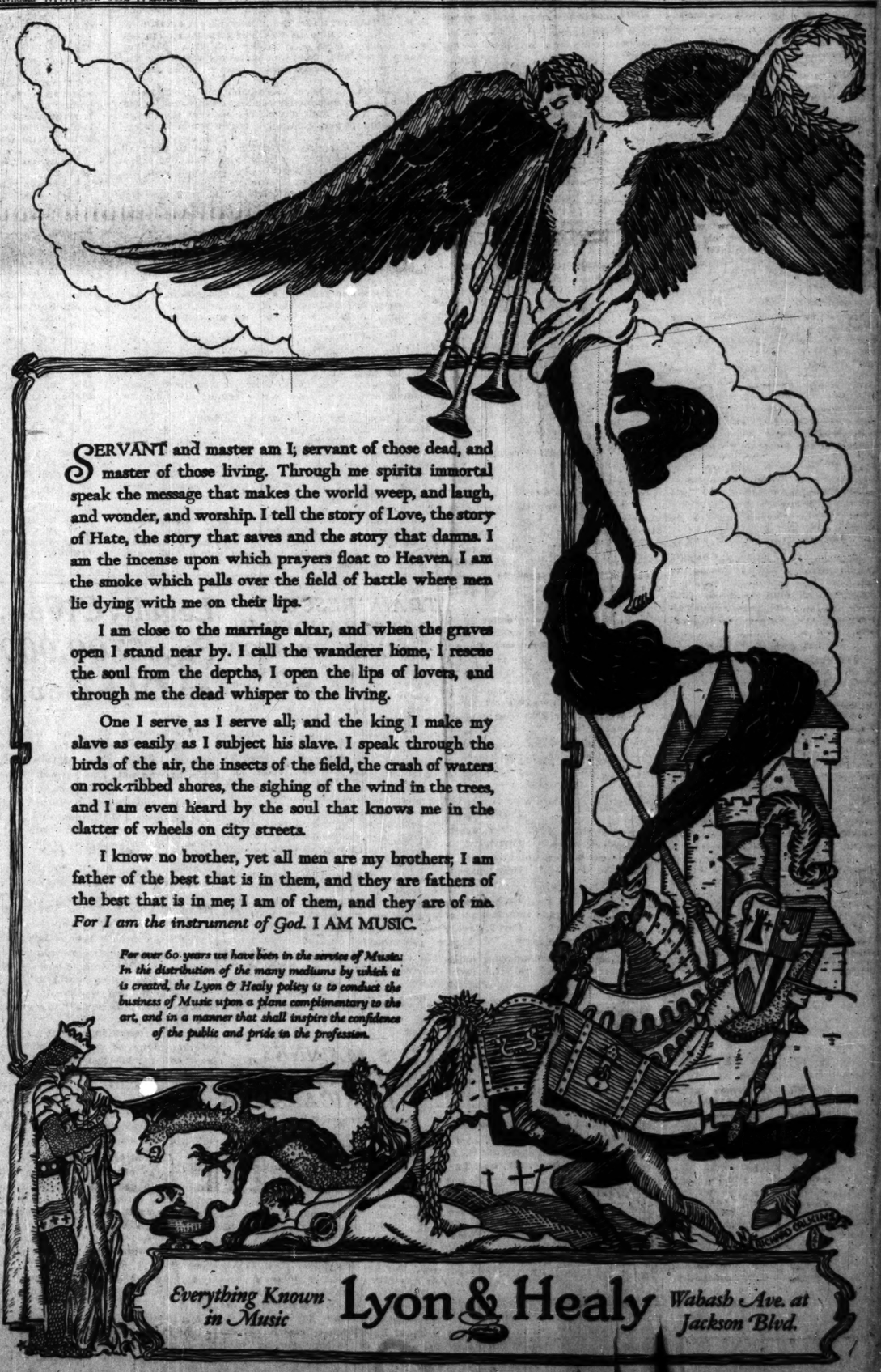
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I am close to the marriage altar, and when the graves open I stand near by. I call the wanderer home, I rescue the soul from the depths, I open the lips of lovers, and through me the dead whisper to the living.

One I serve as I serve all; and the king I make my slave as easily as I subject his slave. I speak through the birds of the air, the insects of the field, the crash of waters on rock-ribbed shores, the sighing of the wind in the trees, and I am even heard by the soul that knows me in the clatter of wheels on city streets.

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BATTLE 4 HOURS TO SAVE WOMAN IN ALTON WRECK

One Killed, 50 Hurt as Three Trains Crash.

Two women—one dead, the other injured but fully conscious—lay pinioned together and tightly imprisoned for four hours yesterday while workmen with acetylene torches cut them loose from the wreckage of the collision of three trains on the Chicago and Alton railroad at Albany avenue and 37th street. Fifty other passengers were injured when the trains crashed in the snowstorm.

Both women were from Tulsa, Okla., but they had not become acquainted in the full day's ride from that city.

The living one, Miss Sarah Stekoll, 26 years old, who was coming to visit her brother, A. D. Stekoll, 7443 Ellwood avenue, over the New Year's holiday, bravely directed the work of her rescue from her prison of debris.

"There is another woman here with me, and she is dead," Miss Stekoll called to the torch workers.

Victim Also from Tulsa.

The dead woman was Mrs. William D. Barry Jr., 23 years old, and she, too, had planned a gay holiday party. Her husband, a wealthy real estate dealer of Tulsa, had made the trip to Chicago by automobile, arriving with his brother, Joseph D. Barry, at 3 o'clock yesterday morning.

The Barrys had planned to join their friends, Mr. and Mrs. George M. McCarthy of 7639 Eastlake terrace, and one or two others at the Edgewater Beach hotel to ring out the old year.

Unaware on what train his wife would arrive, Mr. Barry waited to hear from her. When the hours dragged on, he became anxious and at last he began to check the Santa Fé trains, not thinking she would be arriving on the Alton. Then Mr. McCarthy, who had joined in the search, noticed newspaper articles about the Alton wreck. Out at Kelly's undertaking establishment, 3616 West 36th street, where the wreck victim's body had lain unidentified, the husband's quest ended.

Three Trains Crash Together.

Three trains, all Chicago bound on the same track, and all steel equipment throughout, were piled together in the wreck. The last train, raced by its engineer at forty-five miles an hour through the storm in an effort to make up time, crashed into the rear of the second train on the track and jammed it into the leading train. This first train had stopped to take on water. The second rolled up behind it and stopped, but the engineer of the third train, the crack Hummer from Kansas City, failed to observe the halted train ahead in time and his heavy line of cars speeded onward, crushing two Pullman coaches in the rear of the second train.

With the blinding snow swirling about the wreck and the cold adding to the torture of the injured woman, planned there with her dead companion, firemen and railroad officials plunged into the work of rescue.

Rescuers Crawl Into Car.

The young woman's cry for aid, which spurred on the workers, came from the telescoped end of one of the two shattered Pullman cars. A window of the car was smashed in and two men crawled inside, where they were able to see and talk with Miss Stekoll.

They saw at once that the twisted steel of the car in which she and the body of Mrs. Barry were held would have to be cut away. When this news was conveyed to Battalion Chief Michael S. Kerwin, in command of the ten squads of firemen rushed to the scene, he summoned three expert acetylene torch workers from the Chicago Steel Foundry company, half a block away. Then the slow task of cutting the heavy steel walls and beams of the car was begun.

This was a short time after the wreck occurred, at 9 o'clock. The workers toiled until 1:15 p. m. before finally they lifted the young woman free. In another moment they had recovered the crushed body of Mrs. Barry.

Priest Hurries to Scene.

Meanwhile, the Rev. John Coleman of the Nativity parish, hearing of the accident, hurried to the scene and offered spiritual consolation to the imprisoned Miss Stekoll.

"But if only my legs are released, I am sure you can get me out of here, and take me to a hospital and I will not die," she replied. "Please do all you can. I think there are others in here, and if you can help them, do it, because they must need aid more than I."

At times a moan escaped her lips, when the pain of her crushed limbs became intense, but when she spoke again, it was bravely and calmly.

"If my brother doesn't know I am married here, please don't tell him," Miss Stekoll told Police Lieut. Ernest Payne. "It would only cause him terrible worry. I am sure I will be all right."

Then blankets were brought from the Pullman berths, and the upper part of the young woman's body was covered to protect her from the storm.

At last the men were able to lift her out of the wreckage and then she collapsed on the stretcher that had been brought. At St. Anthony's hospital it was said she was in critical condition, with both legs badly crushed, a bruised jaw, possibly a broken arm, and internal injuries.

Railroad Starts Inquiry.

Various accounts of the causes of the wreck were given. H. L. Stuntz, assistant to the receiver for the Chicago & Alton railroad, in an official statement on the road's behalf, said:

"Train No. 3 from St. Louis, an all Pullman train, stopped at Brighton Park to take on water. Train No. 78, a fast mail from St. Louis, rolled in behind it, and stopped. Train No. 10, the Hummer from Kansas City, came along behind that. Why the engineer of Train No. 10 failed to see No. 78 ahead, I do not know. We are making an inquiry."

John A. Van Ness, engineer of the Hummer, in a signed statement to Capt. John Allman, admitted he was running an hour and 35 minutes behind time, and was moving at about 45 miles an hour when the accident occurred.

"In my opinion," Van Ness said, "the flagman on No. 78 was responsible for not giving his train the proper protection. He is supposed to be a reasonable distance in the rear of his train, but he was only 200 feet back.

The flagman in question is J. Salmon of Bloomington. It was believed by Capt. Allman that Salmon's statement to the railroad officials was identical to that issued by Mr. Stuntz.

One Hurt in "L" Crash.

While rescuers were working to free Miss Stekoll, an almost identical battle for a human life was being fought on the elevated lines bridge over the Chicago river just north of Van Buren street.

Here a Douglas Park elevated train, crowded with loopbound workers, crashed into the rear of a Logan Square train which was standing on the bridge, awaiting the signal to proceed.

The platforms between the two leading cars on the rear train collapsed at the impact, and R. C. Schipper, 26 years old, 819 South 11th avenue, Maywood, standing there, was caught between them with both legs pinioned in the wreckage. For an hour, while the wind and snow beat furiously against them, eighty workmen struggled to free Schipper. He was taken to West Side hospital, where it was feared he would die.

ONE KILLED, FIFTY HURT AS TRAINS CRASH IN STORM



Wreckage of Pullman cars on St. Louis-Chicago Chicago and Alton train yesterday after it had been rammed by the Hummer, crack train of the railroad, at 37th street and Albany avenue. One passenger was killed and fifty injured. The large hole in the car was cut with acetylene torches to remove the body of the woman killed and to rescue girl trapped in debris. [TRIBUNE Photo.]

LIST OF SEVERELY INJURED IN CRASH OF THREE ALTON TRAINS

Following is a list of the more seriously injured in the crash of three Chicago and Alton trains:

Sarah Stekoll, Tulsa, Okla.; injuries critical, at St. Anthony's hospital.

The Rev. William Stack, 1010 Webster avenue; lacerations about body.

Vern Cawley, 611 Strong street, Elkhart, Ind.; internal injuries.

Mrs. F. F. Clinton, 652 Aldine avenue; right hip and knee injured.

Mrs. J. K. Bodgy, 1850 East 65th street, Cleveland, O.; back injured.

Robert B. Kellogh, Keiso, Okla.; left knee injured.

Dorothy Andrews, Detroit, Mich.; left shoulder and left leg injured.

Robert Monett, Milwaukee, Wis.; internal injuries.

Mrs. M. Moore, 605 Woods Theater building; injuries to head.

F. B. Reneke, 718 Hampton place, Joplin, Mo.; injuries to head.

Mrs. Isabelle Ramsee, Joplin, Mo.; injuries to head.

W. Lowner, St. Louis, Mo.; head injuries.

Joe Geller, St. Louis, Mo.; both arms injured.

Dr. R. B. Head, Denver, Colo.; neck and back injured.

E. F. Grant, Milton, Wis.; face and legs injured.

William Haeele, 1836 Hudson avenue; internal injuries.

G. J. Nolan, 137 Clifton place, Syracuse, N. Y.; internal injuries.

F. J. McGay, 507 Elm place, Highland Park; internal injuries.

C. M. Leigh, 62 East Oak street; internal injuries.

W. R. Silverman, 1033 Clarence avenue, Oak Park; left leg injured.

C. B. Gerin, 7349 North Robey street, Chicago.

Harry Van Mater, 504 South Marion street, Joliet; conductor of train No. 78.

J. A. Brown, 5145 Wabash avenue; colored porter.

The severely injured were taken to St. Anthony's hospital. The other passengers on the wrecked trains entered the first train which proceeded to the Union station.



Rescuers removing Miss Sarah Stekoll of Tulsa, Okla., from wreckage of C. & A. train after working four hours with acetylene torches to free her. Miss Stekoll was critically injured. [TRIBUNE Photo.]

"L" CRASH VICTIM



R. C. Schipper of Maywood, who was seriously injured in "L" crash yesterday. He was caught between two cars.

SHIPS CRASH IN NEW YORK FOG; ONE IS BEACHED

Boat Founders at Sea; Crew Is Saved.

New York, Dec. 31.—[Special.]—A pea soup fog, which spread 200 miles out to sea, smothered the port of New York for the second day, tied shipping in a hopeless snarl and was the cause of two collisions and a beaching today.

Twenty-two vessels, ready to sail, were tied to their piers. Ferries and tugs nosed aimlessly about the two rivers and the harbor. Street traffic, even, shambled along through the "soup" and made little progress despite the frantic efforts of traffic officers.

Boat Sinks; Crew Saved.

Along the coast, from the Virginia capes to Maine, the same fog made a mess of things. Three vessels ran afoul of ocean hazards and one of them foundered, the crew being saved by a steamship which plucked them out of the ocean from their bobbing lifeboats.

The collisions in the harbor were between the Dollar liner President Hayes and the Cunard freighter Tarantia, and the British freighter Domira and the Danish freighter Irland. Neither the President Hayes nor the Tarantia was badly damaged, but the Domira had to run for the flats at Gravesend bay, where she was beached by her skipper.

The President Hayes, which was bound for Boston after putting in here following a stormy voyage from the Mediterranean, was in collision with the Tarantia in Ambrose channel. She put about and made for her pier at Jersey City under her own power, while the Tarantia, in bound from Halifax, made for quarantine, where she dropped anchor for the night.

Neither Boat Damaged.

Details were lacking of the collision but from the fact that both vessels were able to maneuver after the impact is was deduced that neither was damaged. None was reported injured in the crash.

The Domira and Irland collision occurred near Gravesend bay, near the lower anchorage, with the Irland, inward bound, after calling at Boston from Copenhagen.

Dr. A. W. Scott Elected Law School President

Dr. Austin W. Scott, a member of the faculty of Harvard university law school, was elected president of the Association of American Law schools at the concluding session of the convention yesterday in the Palmer house.

WORRIED OVER INJURY, KILLS SELF.

Despondent since he was injured a year ago in a steel mill accident, Richard Greenberg, 40, of 5030 Brandon avenue, committed suicide yesterday by shooting himself through the heart.

13 NEW OFFICERS NAMED TO FILL FIRE OFFICE JOBS

Thirteen temporary appointments in the fire department, effective today, were announced last night by Fire Commissioner A. W. Goodrich. They include one battalion chief, six captains, and six lieutenants.

The new officers were named to complete the executive personnel for the last three of eight new fire companies recently installed and to fill vacancies created by resignations and retirements.

The new battalion chief is Michael Your, who has been detailed at the drill school since the school was organized. The new captains are Thomas Fitzgerald, Roman P. Gillmeister, Thomas F. Lynch, Martin Maloney, Rudolph Goetz, and George Stahle.

Locations of the three companies, going into service in charge of the new officers today are: 6031 South Western avenue; 817 East 91st street, and 2325 Natchez avenue. They will cover territories of from two to six square miles each.

TRACTOR RESCUES 25 SCOUTS FROM MOUNTAIN SNOWS

Modesto, Cal., Dec. 31.—(AP)—Following a path through ten miles of huge snowdrifts, a rescue squad riding a tractor tonight reached twenty-five marooned Boy Scouts in the Sierra Nevada mountains and started back toward home with the boys.

The Scouts were snowbound near Pine Crest, their winter camp, since Tuesday when a storm obliterated the mountain trails. They had dug their way to a lumber camp, where food was provided and cabins sheltered them.

Word of their rescue was received late tonight from Vernon Baird, Scout executive, who headed the party. The Scouts had started digging their way to meet the tractor.

Father Drops Dead on Trip to Son's Wedding

John Rex, 70 years old, of Decatur, Ill., dropped dead of supposed heart disease last night as he left to take a walk from the home of his son, John Rex Jr., 7056 South Western avenue, whom he was visiting. He was to have attended the wedding of his son today.

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EUROPE'S CHIEFS SEE 1928 LED TO PEACE BY 1927

Tell Hopes for Future of League of Nations.

BY ARISTIDE BRIAND.
[Foreign Minister of France.]
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PARIS, Dec. 31.—The year 1927 showed that Europe has not yet reached a stage which might be called definite peace, and there were ripples of discord in many quarters. However, 1927 also showed that there exists means for the nations which really desire peace to exercise their power in that direction. The rôle of the league of nations in 1927 showed how that institution has grown in influence and the best hope for 1928 is that its growth may continue. The principles laid down in the covenant of the league of nations are the principles of the foreign policy of France.

France faces 1928 with a new hope of being able to remain a force for peace in the world. Between France and her sister Latin nation across the Alps the remaining differences are being ironed out, and we trust that the new year will not be old before our relations will be definitely improved.

We look forward to the conclusion of a new treaty with the United States as a further step toward the consolidation of world peace, to which all conscientious statesmen in the world must be working, even if, unfortunately, there is not full agreement as to the means to achieve the end we all seek.

I have every confidence that peace will be maintained in Europe and the world at large during the year 1928. We must all work to bring a general realization everywhere that war is not a paying business.

"SPAIN AT PEACE"

BY MIGUEL DE RIVERA.
[Prime Minister of Spain.]
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MADRID, Spain, Dec. 31.—The year is closing happily for Spain, whose international situation is clear. Spain is at peace with the whole world, and in the world councils her voice is always for peace, which is the best guarantee of social order and prosperity at home.

During the coming year we hope that an agreement will be reached by friendly negotiations with other countries regarding our position in Tangier. We claim to have rights there which must be recognized, for if Spain is to maintain peace in her protectorate of Morocco, what she is asking must be classed as necessities as well as rights.

WARNS OF ARMS PERIL

BY PAUL LOEBE.
[President of the German Reichstag.]
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BERLIN, Dec. 31.—The sentiment of the nations whom I have learned to know in many travels is undoubtedly peaceful. The plain citizens, farmers and workers, are occupied by worries about their work and their bread. They don't want war, but peace.

With their sentiment, unfortunately, the actions of the governments do not agree. They continually increase armaments while having the word peace on their tongues. The United States, whose word has great weight in the world, could make all debt agreements and reparation plans dependent upon European disarmament, but to accomplish this the American government would have to set a good example.

BRATIANO'S MESSAGE

BY VINTILLA BRATIANO.
[Prime Minister of Roumania.]
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BUCHAREST, Dec. 31.—Roumania has had much to be proud of during the past year, despite the sadness it felt over the loss of the king and the late premier. These passed without change in our foreign policies. We shall continue the same aims for peace with other nations in the future and respect the treaties we have made.

"WORLD CALMING DOWN"

BY AUGUST ZALESKI.
[Foreign Minister of Poland.]
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WARSAW, Dec. 31.—We witnessed several facts in 1927 which give evidence of great progress in the stabilization of international relations. They give evidence of an almost complete calming down of the boisterous waves of post-war times. The last league assembly was able to pass the Polish resolution outlawing war, which became a great manifestation for the moral disarmament of nations. Preparations for the disarmament conference go on.

An American loan to Poland has been realized smoothly on conditions which could not be considered grave, as far as the Polish international situation is concerned. We hope the Polish-German trade negotiations will end the tariff war between these two countries.

SEIPEL OPTIMISTIC

BY MSGR. IGNATZ SEIPEL.
[Chancellor of Austria.]
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VIENNA, Dec. 31.—Speaking for my country, I see international relations improved during 1927 to a greater extent than in any year since the war. Austria has had no occasion of dispute with any other nation concerning any points, but she is endeavoring to strengthen her relations. In every direction I see everything pointing to a peaceful year.

HUNGARY'S POSITION

BY COUNT STEPHEN BETHLEN.
[Prime Minister of Hungary.]
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BUDAPEST, Dec. 31.—Hungary is in a strong position diplomatically, much of which she has been able to accomplish within the last year. We have commercial treaties with most of the European nations and diplomatic treaties with many. The basis of our foreign policy is peace; we have national aims to carry out, which we shall do in the spirit of peace. Europe generally has made much headway toward permanent peace during the year, indicative of a new era in international relations.

ZERO WAVE HITS CHICAGO ON HEELS OF HEAVY SNOW



Scene on Michigan avenue yesterday afternoon looking north from Randolph street. Workmen are busy hauling away snow to keep traffic lanes open. Thousands of extra men were employed by the city and park boards for this purpose. The temperature dropped in the vicinity of zero last night. [TRIBUNE Photo.]

TRUMPETERS SOUND 1928 REVEILLE FROM WHITE HOUSE ROOF

Washington, D. C., Jan. 1, 1 a. m. —[Special.]—Trumpeters from the United States marine band officially sounded taps for the old year and reveille for the new from the White House roof on the stroke of last midnight.

The President and Mrs. Coolidge remained up to see the old year out and joined with hundreds of Washingtonians in welcoming the new year.

Just before the stroke of midnight the double brass quartet on the executive roof was bathed suddenly in a circle of light. A second later the scores of spectators gathered on the White House grounds at the invitation of the nation's first family were thrilled by the stirring plaint of "taps."

When the last note of the military dirge had died away the quartet burst forth in the lively strains of "reveille," heralding the awakening of leap year.

Following "reveille" the quartet played "Your Land and My Land." This was followed by the playing of a chimes obbligata, "Bells of St. Mary."

On Monday the President and Mrs. Coolidge will receive all who wish to come at the annual New Year's reception at the White House. The reception will begin at 11 o'clock in the morning, when members of the cabinet, high officials of the government as well as high ranking army and navy officers and diplomats will pay their respects to the nation's chief executive.

CITY WELCOMES NEW YEAR WITH CAUTION AND JOY

Drys Strive to Keep Liquor Out.

(Continued from first page.)

large part of the hilarity to the celebration.

Crowds in the larger places were late in gathering. At 10:30 less than a tenth of the tables that were marked reserved had been filled. But at 11:30 the smarter cabarets and hotels began to fill.

Admonitions Forgotten.

At Chez Pierre, where the management announced 350 reservations had been made, the earlier arrivals were told by the head waiter that he hoped they would be orderly and dry. Many of them had cowbells and his admonitions, so far as hilarity was concerned, were forgotten at the height of the joy.

At the Drake hotel 800 reservations had been made. The management refused to serve setups, adding that their crowds were always orderly and never overdid their drinking anywhere. The Opera club had a reservation list of 380.

Sixteen hundred had places in the Congress hotel's larger dining rooms. John Burke, manager, had said there would be no drinking. He admitted that rooms for private parties had been engaged in larger numbers than ever before.

Reservations Cancelled.

Similar conditions were reported at the Hotel Sherman, the Morrison, the Bismarck and the Hotel La Salle. Large reservations and little liquor prevailed. The Blackstone had but 125 reservations and the Palmer house had cancelled all reservations for public dining rooms, for fear drinking guests might cause government interference.

All was reported orderly in the Edgewater Beach hotel, the Sovereign, the Rainbo Gardens and other gathering places on the north side. In the Frolics café on 22d street, the Plantation and the Sunset cabarets on 35th street, the latter known as black and tan, there was more noise, but even these were said to be arid.

Police Hunt Gangsters.

Chief of Detectives William E. O'Connor assigned 125 policemen to special work during the celebration. Their orders were not to interfere with drinking, but to take into custody any known gangsters appearing for the festive occasion.

The Yellow Cab company announced at midnight that yesterday was its biggest business day. A total of 195,000 persons were carried, 35,000 more than on any other day in the concern's history. Of their total of 2,715 cabs, 2,703 were in operation.

GOTHAM'S HOLIDAY WET

New York, Dec. 31.—[Special.]—New York celebrated a wet New Year's eve. It was wet inside and out, overhead and underfoot, and everything was in a fog—literally and physically. Plenty of liquor flowed, the streets and cafés were jammed and the suburbs were gay.

The strange medley of religion and revelry, of church chimes and horns, of prayer and pandemonium, booze and champagne, which is Manhattan's greeting to the New Year, was in full swing.

Forget Mr. Volstead.

With something of the manner of a host who hopes everybody is having a good time, but does not deny that the police may come in at any moment, Broadway celebrated in its night clubs as best as it could. In private homes there was the same carefree disregard of the eighteenth amendment that has existed seven years.

Plenty of liquor flowed. A public fairly well educated by seven years of study drank just as freely but with more caution, and early reports indicated a decrease in the usual poison liquor toll. A great quantity of the liquid consumed during the night was gin—gin made in the home with tested alcohol. Prices in established speakeasies were about the same as they have been for several years.

Hotels Are Crowded.

Every hotel did its best to usher in the new year. The Ritz, Ambassador, Biltmore, Commodore, and Plaza all had reservations taken days in advance.

Soon after dark a discordant note became audible when a raid was staged by federal prohibition agents upon the Moscow inn in West 44th street, where eight arrests were made and a small quantity of liquor was seized. As the festivities began, reports started to reach the medical examiner's office of deaths from alcoholism.

Among the places raided during the festivities were Dinty Moore's restaurant in West 42d street, near Broadway; the Black Knight's club at 142 McDougal street, and the Rainbow inn, 2d avenue and 4th street.

U. OF C. PLANS 50 LECTURES.

Fifty downstate public lectures were announced for the winter quarter by the University of Chicago yesterday, starting Jan. 6 and ending March 28. The lectures include discussions of religion, science, literature, health and finance, and will be given at the Art Institute.

WAGERS EXTRADITION RIGHTS AGAINST HIS LIBERTY; HE LOSES

New York, Dec. 31.—[Special.]—James Thomas Rush of New York, alias James F. Thomas of Hollywood, Cal., wagered his extradition rights against liberation, apologies, money indemnity, and a free trip from New York back to California when detectives arrested him in Hollywood as the forger who embezzled $130,000 from the Farmers' Loan & Trust Co. of New York in 1924. He admitted in police headquarters today that he has lost his bet.

When he was arrested in Hollywood and charged with being the embezzler Rush denied the charge emphatically, and said he was only an innocent exbootlegger. He was so emphatic that he waived extradition in return for the stipulation that, if he proved the detectives wrong, his fare home and all additional expenses would be given him.

HERE ARE SOME FIRST EVENTS OF THE NEW YEAR

Within fifteen minutes after midnight the first birth and first death in Chicago for 1928, together with the recordings of the first arrest, shooting, robbery, and fire, had been made to the various authorities.

While whistles still were blowing in honor of the birth of the New Year, Mrs. Michael Ryan, 6520 South Keeler avenue, gave birth to a seven pound son. She was attended at the Misericordia hospital by Dr. M. J. O'Connell of the Loyola university staff. One minute later Mrs. Eveleyn Larson, 3544 Belden avenue, became the mother of Russell Edward Larson at St. Ann's hospital.

An investigation will be made of the first fire reported at 13:05 from 1000 South Robey street. There the stock of Aiena & Tusa, grocers, was found saturated with kerosene by Chief William Bieze of the 7th battalion. Damage was $2,000 and four families living above the store were driven out in the snow.

Harry Sheperd, 2905 Fletcher street, was the first man robbed. Two men held him up at School and Leavitt streets and took $69. He was on the way to a New Year's party.

The death of Elmer Jensen, 22, of Chicago Heights, from pneumonia in the county jail was the first reported to the coroner. He was awaiting trial for robbery.

William Roeder of the Rice hotel was the first suicide attempt. He slashed his wrists while at a family party at 940 Oakdale avenue. He will recover.

Chicago avenue police made the first arrest in a raid on the Manhattan hotel, 603 North Clark street, at 12:01. Four women and eleven men were taken into custody.

Cold Caught in Fighting Blaze Takes Fireman's Life

Thomas Keating, 32 years old, 306 West 57th street, a fireman attached to Engine company No. 65, died at his home last night of pneumonia, believed to have been the result of a cold contracted when he was fighting a fire three weeks ago. He had been a fireman seven years.

Bomb Wrecks Newspaper Plant; 2 Injured, 1 Missing

Scranton, Pa., Jan. 1.—[Sunday.]—(AP)—Two persons were injured and one was missing after an explosion early today had partially wrecked the building of the Scranton Sun. Damage was estimated at $100,000. A bomb was said to have caused the explosion.

Three Firemen Killed in Montgomery, Ala., Blaze

Montgomery, Ala., Jan. 1.—[Sunday.]—(AP)—Three firemen were killed and Fire Chief Nixon was seriously injured as the result of a fire here early today which destroyed the Montgomery Carriage works.

FALL IN KITCHEN IS FATAL.

Mrs. Mary Kulis, 71, of 836 North Clark street, died at the county hospital yesterday from injuries caused Dec. 14 when she slipped and fell in the kitchen of her home, fracturing her left hip.

SOCIETY REVELS AT MIDNIGHT TO GREET NEW YEAR

Private Parties Held for Stage, Opera Stars.

BY MILDRED JAKLON.

Society's New Year's eve was spent mostly in small, intimate revelries, with the Tavern party at the Bal Tabarin of the Hotel Sherman as the splurgiest. One of the most interesting gatherings was the midnight buffet supper Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Insull gave at their apartment at 1100 Lake Shore drive for between 30 and 40 of the numbers of the Chicago Civic Opera company.

Balloons and New Year's eve favors made the Bal Tabarin a colorful place, with an informal atmosphere of gayety prevalent.

Theatrical Stars Present.

Theatrical leaders now in town were present, including Ethel Barrymore, Fannie Brice, and Florence Denishawn who were guests of Ernest Byfield. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stone, with their young actress daughter, Dorothy, and two younger daughters were there with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Houghton [who was popular professionally as Sally Fisher], also Leo Carillo. Others present were members of the committee including Joseph T. Ryerson, Richard Henry Little with Mrs. Little and a group of guests, Eugene Byfield, Mrs. Howard Linn, the Preston Boydens, Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn C. Spalding, Graham Grosvenor, Leonard M. Prince, "Tommy" Wheelock, George Lytton, Eames McVeagh, John Holabird, George M. Blow, Alfred Shaw, Elmer Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ellis and George L. Dickson.

A masque ball which was a miniature "arts ball" with novel specialties throughout the evening's entertainment, was given by Lionel Robertson, the Van Wagenen Allings of Lake Forest, Mr. and Mrs. James Cady Ewell, and Mr. and Mrs. David Clarke at the Ravinia village house.

Party at Cudahy Home.

The young fry of the town saw the New Year in at a party given at the Edward I. Cudahy residence at 1501 State parkway, where young William Cudahy, George A. Ranney Jr., George Braun, son of Mrs. William M. Scudder, and Buster Johnston, Hugh McBirney Johnston's son were hosts to their set which comprises the boarding school crowd.

Buford Porter, Newell Augur, and Mr. and Mrs. S. Lewis Reinhardt gave a dinner party for 25 in the house on the roof of the Sherman hotel. Their guests included the Ralph Isham Farwells, Mr. and Mrs. David Randolph Calhoun, the Jack Turners, Mr. and Mrs. F. Dorsey Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Orr, and Miss Ruth Keeley.

Chase Pigs in Berlin Cafes to Capture New Year's Luck

BY SIGRID SCHULTZ.
[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]
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BERLIN, Dec. 31.—Thousands of squealing young live pigs are being wheeled and chased through the elegant restaurants and simple saloons in the German capital as a symbol of happiness and luck in the coming year. Never has the population of Germany joined in a New Year celebration with greater gusto than today. It was a fête like those of prewar days.

Every theater was full and many revellers battled to pay the $10 cover charge in fashionable restaurants. But most of the population celebrated on the streets, in unpretentious beer halls or at home. In the early evening there were long queues outside the fish mongers, owing to the heavy last minute demand for New Year's carp.

Members of the diplomatic corps and high government officials will go to President von Hindenburg's annual reception tomorrow.

Weather Dampens London Ardor.

LONDON, Dec. 31.—(AP)—The New Year was ushered in with fresh snowfalls all over the British Isles. In London wet, slushy streets, due to a slight thaw, greatly reduced the attendance and enthusiasm of the hardy revelers who annually assemble outside of St. Paul's to hear the chiming away of the old and to greet the New Year by singing "Auld Lang Syne."

It was a night to induce the fireside and indoor festivities. Hotels and restaurants provided many novel entertainments.

Among the many New Year greetings published by public men, dealing with various topics of current life, prominence was given to the prayerbook controversy. The archbishop of Canterbury says the New Year finds more people than ever before in England's history thinking and talking about "our common prayers."

Rush to Wed at Glasgow.

GLASGOW, Scotland, Dec. 31.—(AP)—"Hogmenay"—the Scotch name for New Year's eve—was celebrated in Glasgow by a grand rush to get married. Hogmenay is a popular time for marriages before the sheriff. Couples were standing shivering in line today when the Glasgow sheriff arrived at the county building.

Duce Upsets Tradition.

ROME, Dec. 31.—(AP)—Premier Mussolini's call on King Victor Emmanuel tomorrow will be the first official act of the new year in fascist Italy, and, incidentally, will upset an old tradition.

The premier upset the old order of presentations by putting the "chief of government," as the premier is now termed, ahead of members of the order of Annunziata, although the latter are known as the "king's cousins." Likewise Augusto Turati, secretary-general of the fascist party, comes ahead of the governor of Rome and the president of the senate in the line of those privileged to express their good wishes to the king.

Champagne Corks Pop.
[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

PARIS, Dec. 31.—Amid flurries of snow, Paris tonight welcomed 1928 with traditional hilarity, as well as the solemnity with which the French observe New Year's, the most important feast of the year.

Hundreds of Americans who have not fled to the sunny Riviera, joined in the celebration, sweeping from the Montmartre to the other extreme of the city known as the Montparnasse district, the gathering place for scores of exotic American artists. The Moulin Rouge, Folies Bergere, and other cabarets of the Montmartre saw midnight in with the popping of corks of champagne bottles in quantities unknown since before the war.

Frenchmen in the cabarets noisily invited the Americans to join in the toast that the New Year will see America change from dry to wet. The financial recovery in France brought the biggest orgy of spending since pre-war times and for the first time in years the French outnumbered the Americans in most of the cabarets.

Sends Greeting to U. S.
[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

WARSAW, Dec. 31.—President Ignace Moscicki of Poland, in the name of the Polish nation, sent New Year's greetings to the United States through THE TRIBUNE.

"I wish the United States of North America a happy New Year and I hope that this year, as in previous years, America will remain the powerful guardian and protector of the economic stabilization of the world."

South America Hilarious.

BUENOS AIRES, Dec. 31.—(AP)—South America celebrated its most hilarious holiday tonight, the passing of the old year and the birth of the new. From all over the continent came reports of festivities which correspond largely to those at Christmas time in other parts of the Christian world.

Woman Drops Dead at New Year's Eve Celebration

Mrs. John N. Wagner, 55 years old, wife of a contractor, dropped dead late last night while in the midst of a New Year's celebration at Eagle hall in Aurora. Heart disease is believed to have caused her death.

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A NEW YEAR THOUGHT

(A Business Editorial.)

HUMAN INVENTORIES.

Once a year, or oftener, a business man takes inventory of his goods. If taken conservatively—accurately—without deceiving himself or others, he will know the exact conditions. It is an important proceeding.

If it is wise to do this, how much more important that we regularly examine the human body—see if any part requires attention—that it may be placed on a reasonably safe future basis.

A competent physician will make this inventory. It may relate to one's health and disposition, living and working conditions, habits, recreation, possibly even one's income, personal and family history—every essential to complete knowledge exposed. Otherwise there is waste.

If the physician says "nothing is wrong," isn't there wonderful satisfaction? If he finds the body out of repair—rebuild—get in good condition—at least keep it from getting worse.

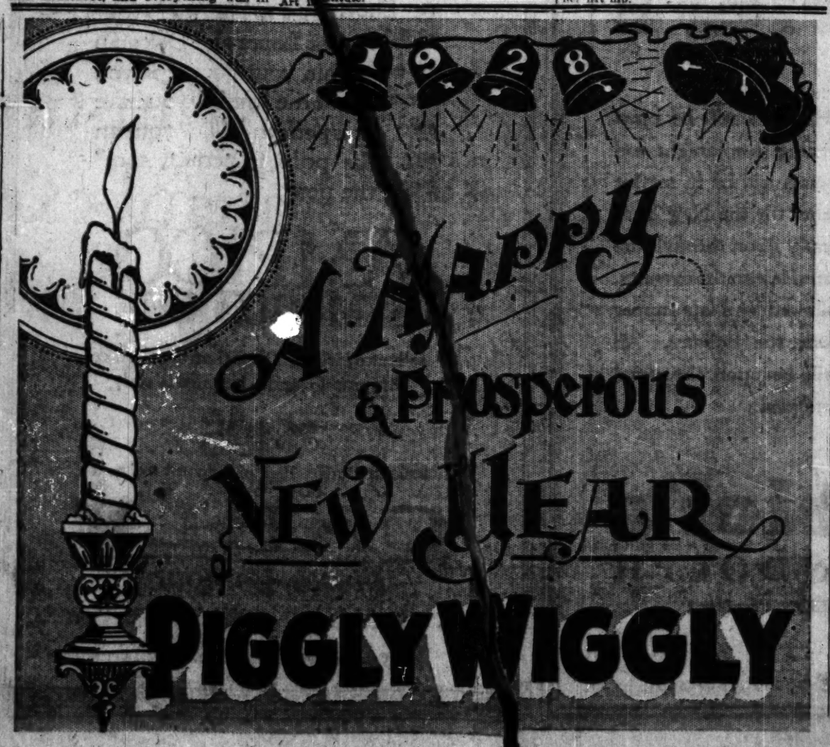
There are no spare parts for the body.

Resolve in this New Year's season that for the next year all the parts will be used in the right way.

It will be "good business."

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SEVEN BANDITS KIDNAP TRIO, ROB BANK OF $80,000

Seize Parents and Teller of Ravenswood National.

Not a single worthwhile clue, police revealed last night, could be found to trace the gang of seven kidnapers who seized a paying teller for the Ravenswood National bank in his parents' home, forced the family to remain prisoners in an unheated garage until daylight yesterday, and then made him open the vaults when released by a time lock. They escaped with $80,000.

The teller, George A. Anderson, 25, of 2547 Cullom avenue, was returning home shortly before midnight when the kidnapers, all masked, appeared as he drove up in his automobile. They preended to be bootleggers moving a quantity of whisky, and said that they would have to guard him in his home to prevent him from notifying police of their activities.

Take Trio Prisoners.

Once inside, the drew revolvers and kept watch over Anderson and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Algot P. Anderson. Then, at dawn, the three were taken to a garage at 2241 Wilson avenue, still being kept under guard. The teller was taken to the bank in an automobile, arriving jus after the night watchman had departed. They waited until the time lock functioned at 8:15 a. m., scooped up the currency within the vault, and left before Policeman Charles Jackson pulled a patrol box in front of the bank at 8:25.

An attempt will be made to trace the owner of an automobile seen in the vicinity of the Anderson home several times in the last few days. Police said it was possible the car was used to keep a check on the movements of the teller.

Lieut. John L. Sullivan of the detective bureau, after an hour or two of investigating, said he was convinced some one who had accurate knowledge of the affairs of the bank had planned the thft.

Blames Snow for Delay.

"If it hadn't been for the snow I'd have been there a few minutes earlier and would have run into them," lamented Policeman Jackson.

Walter D. Rathje president of the bank, said the loss was protected by insurance. As quickly as officials learned of the robbery the Continental and Commercial National bank sent $100,000 to the Ravenswood National so that business must go on uninterrupted.

Mr. Rathje told the police the robbers could not possibly have gained access into a secon of the vault where securities approximating $2,000,000 were kept. They took only what was easily carried away, spurning several thousand dollars in silver, he declared. But the money they did take was, with a few exptions, in small bills.

Accosted at Garage.

"I had just backed my car into my garage," Anderson told the police, "when another car arrived and a man with a revolver in his hand came to me and pulled my hat down over my eyes and told me to be quiet.

"Then others came and they told me they were moving ten barrels of whisky from a near-by house and were taking no chances. I would report them to the police. They asked who was in my house and told them just my father and mother, Algot P. and Elvina Anderson.

"The robbers want to know what would happen if I didn't come home and I said my folks were expecting me. So they came in the house with me and made me wake up father and mother. They kept all under their guns until sometime after 5 o'clock. I was told to call my father's employer and say he wouldn't be at work until after 8 o'clock.

"Then they told my mother and father to put on warm clothes and we all went out and were driven to a garage on Wilson avenue.

[This was a garage on the alley in the rear of 2240 Wilson avenue which had been rented for a Friday afternoon from Alfred Schibe.]

Tell of Watching Him.

"By this time I knew what they were going to do. They said they had watched me often and knew the vault was opened around 8 o'clock, so I finally said it sometimes was set for 8:15.

"The night watchman is more of a porter than watchman and he goes home about 7:30 and apparently they knew that.

"At 8:16 by my watch they said, 'Come on,' and we went to the vault door and I opened it. Then they had taken all they could find, except the silver, they pulled a pillow slip over my head and told me to move.

"I think it was about five minutes later when Policeman Jackson arrived." The robbery was discovered by Jackson.

Victims of Bank Holdup Plot



Left to right: Mrs. Elvina Anderson, Algot P. Anderson, and George A. Anderson, teller in Ravenswood National bank. The bandits locked the parents in a garage and forced the son to open the vault. The loot was $80,000.

[TRIBUNE Photo.]

INJURED COP SLAYS ROBBER, THEN IS SHOT

Policeman May Die After Saloon Holdup.

On sick leave for two days because of an injury to his foot, Traffic Policeman Frederick Boll, 411 South Campbell avenue, perhaps was fatally wounded last night as he rose up on his crutches to fire at two masked men who attempted to hold up a saloon at 2459 West Van Buren street, owned by Charles Sullivan. Boll killed one of the pair.

Boll fell with a bullet in his left side received during the gun battle, and was taken to the County hospital. the dead man was identified from navy discharge papers found in his pocket as John J. Heneghan, 30, of 1156 West Van Buren street. His companion escaped.

Calls to See Friend.

At the hospital Boll, who is 30, explained that he had happened to drop in the saloon to visit Sullivan when the robbers appeared. There were several patrons in the place, he said, most of them celebrating the coming New Year.

"Too bad to spoil your fun, boys, but you've got to stick 'em up," called out Heneghan, who carried a revolver and was first through the door.

The policeman, who stood nearest to the robber, started to draw his weapon, but was shot before he could bring the gun into play. As he fell Boll fired twice, striking Heneghan in the middle of the forehead and in the right hand. He also fired a shot at the retreating robber who had accompanied Heneghan into the saloon. Boll said he may have wounded this man slightly.

Customers in Panic.

While the two were exchanging shots the interior of the saloon was a scene of wild confusion as others in the place sought refuge under tables and behind chairs. None were hit.

The dead bandit's wife was found at his home and taken to the Warren avenue station for questioning. She said that her husband enlisted in the navy in January, 1925, and was discharged March 9, 1926. They had been married about a year.

Caught robbing a drunken man at Taylor and Halsted streets, Philip Cicero, 19, was shot in the neck as he attempted to escape from four policemen. He was taken to the county hospital in a serious condition. The capture was made by Policemen Loesch, Quinn, Ryan and Shields of the Maxwell street station.

Punch Is on Water Wagon; Puts Ban on Liquor Ads

LONDON, Dec. 31.—(AP)—Punch, with his beaklike crimson nose, climbs on the water wagon with the birth of 1928. Liquor advertisements will disappear from the pages of the famous journal of jokes as old Father Time passes on his rounds. Mineral and soda water and ginger ale advertisements will take their places.

AUTO DEATHS IN YEAR 989; NEW RECORD IS SET

101 Killed in December, Most in Any Month.

The motor toll of Cook county during 1927 broke all previous records with a total of 989 deaths. This is an increase of more than 11 per cent over the fatalities of 1926.

"Wider and safer streets and highways and a compulsory physical examination for all drivers are the only means of abating the ever increasing death rate from automobile accidents," Coroner Oscar Wolff commented.

101 Die in December.

Deaths during the December just ended reached 101 yesterday with three more names added to the toll. This is the highest of any month during 1927.

The last death of the year was reported just before midnight when William Dixon, 58, of 823 South Grove avenue, Oak Park, died at the Oak Park hospital after driving his machine over the curb at Harrison and Wenonah streets into an electric light pole. The pole was broken off and fell on Dixon, breaking his neck.

John Herrick, 60 years old, 1526 Ardmore avenue, was knocked down and killed in Clark street near Ardmore avenue by an automobile driven by William M. O'Malley.

Mrs. Ida Lindbergh, 58 years old, 7235 Cottage Grove avenue, died from injuries received Tuesday, when she was struck at 72d street and Cottage Grove avenue by a car driven by Lester Sturdy, 8029 Maryland avenue.

Table for Eight Years.

A table of motor deaths for the last eight years, illustrating how the number of fatalities is climbing upward, follows:

1920	491	1924	703
1921	606	1925	787
1922	667	1926	890
1923	740	1927	988

The toll for 1927 by months follows:

January	61	July	82
February	73	August	88
March	68	September	91
April	75	October	87
May	91	November	93
June	89	December	101

It will be noted from the table that the fatalities were much heavier in the second half of the year than during the first.

TRIBUNE HELPS 5,000 VETS FILE BONUS CLAIMS

At 6 o'clock last night a total of 5,000 war veterans and their dependents had been assisted at THE TRIBUNE Public Service Bureau, 1 South Dearborn street, in making applications for adjusted compensation. Applications were issued, the instruction sheets given out, fingerprints taken, and the applications notarized.

Because a 24 hour extension has been granted, the bureau will be open all day today and until midnight tonight to assist any of the veterans or dependents who could not file their applications earlier. Three days in all will have been devoted to the task.

NOTED ENGINEER, EDUCATOR KILLED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Detroit, Mich., Dec. 31.—[Special.]—Henry Thornton Winchester, nationally known consulting engineer and builder of the Lawyers' Club building in Ann Arbor, and Prof. Herbert S. Mallory, associate professor of rhetoric at the University of Michigan, were fatally injured last night when an automobile driven by Prof. Mallory crashed into a Pere Marquette freight train near Ypsilanti. The accident was due to a blinding snowstorm.

Prof. Mallory's daughter Cynthia, who was riding with them, was uninjured. The party was returning to Ann Arbor from Detroit. Mr. Winchester died three hours after the accident in an Ann Arbor hospital. Prof. Mallory died in a hospital at Ypsilanti.

Mr. Winchester was formerly with the Stone and Webster company of Boston. He was a graduate of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, and at the beginning of the war took charge of Camp Custer construction.

Later he went to Philadelphia and took charge of construction work at the Hog Island navy yard.

Mr. Winchester, a resident of Ann Arbor, was recently elected vice president of the Apex Coal company of Chicago. He leaves a widow and five children.

Prof. Mallory was one of the best known members of the University of Michigan rhetoric faculty. He received the degree of doctor of philosophy at Yale in 1904 and the following year served as instructor in English in that institution. He became professor of English at Grinnell college in 1905 and instructor of rhetoric at the University of Michigan three years later. He is survived by the wi a daughter and a son.

PARENTS OF S-4 CHIEF DENOUNCE NAVY AS CRUEL

Use Letter in Move for Investigation.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 31.—[Special.]—Direct accusation that the navy department crucified the crew of the submarine S-4 and displayed cruel indifference to the fate of the "poor boys who died in the service of their country" was made today by the parents of Commander Roy K. Jones, the commanding officer of the ship.

The denunciation of navy officials is contained in a jointly signed letter written by Mr. and Mrs. John M. Jones of Hennessy, Okla., to Representative McClintic [Dem., Okla.] in support of his demands for a sweeping Congressional investigation.

"As you no doubt have been advised," the letter states, "we are the parents of Commander Roy K. Jones, who went down with the ill-fated S-4. It was some consolation for us to know that you are demanding the raising of the ship without delay.

Six Day Vigil.

"We were first advised of the disaster by the press, and not until four hours after we had wired the department did we hear a word from them. Mrs. Jones and I kept vigil for six days waiting for some word of encouragement from Washington only to be rewarded with a statement from the secretary that the S-4 would probably not be raised before spring.

"We both feel that the navy department has crucified our dear boy and his comrades, and the cruel indifference which they have shown these poor boys who died in the service of their country is inhuman and without a precedent.

"Mrs. Jones and myself both commend you for the stand you have taken, and hope and pray that you may be successful in causing this ship to be raised immediately."

Wilbur Makes Reply.

Secretary Wilbur took cognizance of the Jones letter by announcing that the navy did everything possible to rescue the six men known to have lived in the S-4 for several days after the collision.

"We have the utmost sympathy for Mr. and Mrs. Jones and respect their agony and grief too much to enter into any discussion or controversy with them," Mr. Wilbur said. "Never the less, if they could have seen the heroic work of the divers who risked their lives in the hope of saving their son, and have seen one of them taken to the hospital in a critical condition because of his efforts, they would perhaps have reached the conclusion that their brothers in the service had not been neglectful."

After making the letter public, Representative McClintic asserted it "will be a travesty on justice" for congress to refuse to create a special committee to investigate the disaster.

Weather Delays Diving.

Provincetown, Mass., Dec. 31.—(AP)—Rough seas and threat of a storm forced suspension of salvage operations on the sunken submarine S-4 late today, after everything was in readiness for removing the engine room hatch and entering the hull in quest of bodies. It is believed that 10 of the 40 men who perished were in the engine room.

Weather permitting, divers will enter that compartment tomorrow.

Eight divers worked on the hull of the S-4 today. Bradford Bedford, making his first descent to the submarine, had to be assisted to the surface when his gear became tangled.

The divers reported to Rear Admiral Frank H. Brumby, directing salvage work, that the forward periscope of the S-4 is pointing straight ahead, while the after periscope is slanted four points to the starboard. This would indicate, it was said, that the men in the control of the submarine had sighted the coast guard destroyer Paulding before that vessel rammed and sank the S-4.

Navy Exonerated.

New York, Dec. 31.—[Special.]—Everything humanly possible was done by the navy in its efforts to save the men entombed in the submarine S-4, which sank in a collision off Provincetown. All efforts were balked by adverse weather conditions, and criticism of the navy in connection with the rescue work is unwarranted.

This conclusion was reached in the report submitted today to the New York Board of Trade and Transportation by Eugene F. Moran, president of the Moran Towing and Transportation company, and head of a special commission named to investigate the sinking of the S-4.

The report completely exonerated the navy department and its personnel from blame for failure to save the lives of the six men known to have survived the collision which sank the submarine.

STRANGER KILLS FATHER OF SLAIN JULES PORTUGESE

Harry Portugese, 19, 1310 West Roosevelt road, father Jules Portugese, gem thief, hi-jacker, and west side gangster, who was slain in July, 1926, was himself murdered last night by an unidentified assailant.

According to police Portugese was in his restaurant at 900 Jefferson street when a man believed to be a jewelry salesman entered and quarreled with him. Their argument was terminated when the stranger drew a dagger and stabbed Portugese above the heart. The wounded man drew a revolver fired two shots and collapsed. He was dead when taken to Mother Cabrini hospital.

An investigation of efforts that Portugese had acted as fence for jewel thieves will be made by police. It was further recalled that after naming Louis [Big] Smith as his son's slayer, the father retracted the accusation at the inquest.

Divorces Toledo Mayor Day. His Term Expires

Toledo, O., Dec. 31.—A divorce was granted Mrs. Louise Bry in domestic relations court here from Fred J. Mery, who retires today from office as mayor of Toledo. Mr. Mery did not contest his wife's suit.

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All models are finished in fashionable new colors of genuine Duco; and the rich new upholsteries, the indirectly lighted instrument panel and the handsome appointments create an atmosphere of interior luxury as gratifying as it is unique.

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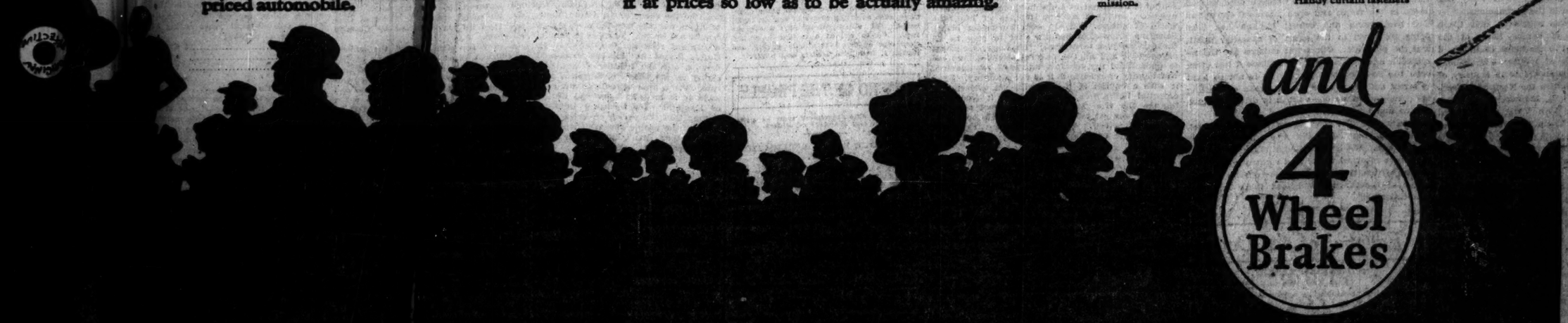
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STREET NAMES AND TRADITIONS.

Some citizens favoring the change in name by which the city council made Robey street Damen avenue seem to be of the impression that the opposition of THE TRIBUNE to the change is captious and singular and that this is the only instance of the kind in which protest has been made. The Voice of the People has some correspondence to this effect. The impression has no foundation.

THE TRIBUNE protested many times over a considerable period against changing the old and appropriate name of South Water street to Wacker drive, and it feels now that dropping the old name was a mistake. The right of Mr. Wacker as a devoted promoter of the Chicago Plan to have a memorial in its constructed works and to have the honor while he could appreciate it is recognized just as heartily in this office as it could be anywhere, but it need not have been at the sacrifice of something important in the Chicago of other days.

As it happens, the outer drive which has been called Leif Ericson drive could have been Wacker drive and when all the work has been done that Wacker drive could have been the fine boulevard from Jackson to Lincoln park, a more imposing memorial even than South Water street, which is now Wacker drive. With reference to Leif Ericson drive, THE TRIBUNE again questioned the propriety of it, although there nothing was being detached from the city's sense of the past, but the congruity of the name was questionable in that application.

That controversy involved some of the city's substantial Norwegian citizens and THE TRIBUNE was supposed to have some prejudices in the matter, which was absurd. It presently involved some substantial Italian citizens who found in the Norwegian devotion to Ericson an implied reflection on Columbus and an intent to belittle his place in American history. This is in some respects a merry city and this controversy was more to the merry than to the acrimonious.

Some time ago it was suggested that Clark street seek a change of name. Some of the merchants thought that in the name Clark street there was a fixed idea of inferior development and use. The fixed idea should be in memory of the man who made American the Northwest Territory, the states of Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, Michigan, and Wisconsin. THE TRIBUNE protested against any change. There are other ways of making Clark street what its people think it ought to be than the one inadmissible way of dropping the name of a man who should be perpetually honored.

THE TRIBUNE regrets that Evanston avenue was changed to Broadway, and in the older days that Green Bay road was changed to Rush street. That was a testimonial to a great Chicago physician, but it was a mistake. The Green Bay road was an old trail from Green Bay to the Chicago river and it was full of the region's history. We believe that Evanston avenue also was a part of Green Bay road which should have persisted in its true name throughout the line of the old trail. The change in turn from Evanston avenue, which had its meaning, to Broadway, which has none, was a vulgarity.

This is a new country, still new in spite of its rich experiences, and its future is something which should be related to and not detached from its past. In the Wattling street the English have a Roman road. Hardly any other people so destroy the vestiges of their past as the Americans do and probably none should have more regard for it or has greater need to keep it.

These are the general sentiments involved. In accord with them it is appropriate that Father Damen should have a suitable memorial in Chicago, but THE TRIBUNE does not believe that it was proper or necessary, regardless of the historical arguments advanced, to take away a name so conspicuously connected with the west side and so familiar in use. It being even the case that the associations of Father Marquette and of Father Damen, who later carried on his work, were with a location marked by the street and the river, it was not necessary. That indicated the spot for a monument and did not dictate the changing of a street name.

In this case it further happens that many merchants in the street accustomed for years to have their places of business identified by the street name feel injured and aggrieved. They were entitled to consideration and they are now. The discussion so far as THE TRIBUNE is concerned is without prejudices. There is an entire willingness to recognize all contributions to American life with a realization of their value. It must be perceived, however, that the only value of a memorial is in its acceptance by the future.

About the first act of a new Roman emperor in the times when Rome was getting its succession from assassination, legion uprisings, provincial revolt, fratricide, and various kindred processes was to strike coins in his own image and tear down his predecessor's triumphal arches and statues.

If each generation is to rip out the vestiges of another, each will be living in itself alone and only by itself.

AMERICAN LIBERALISM.

A press agent hand-out for "immediate release" contains an announcement of a celebration in honor of Oswald Garrison Villard's ten years of editorship of The Nation, "a liberal weekly." Members of the committee of arrangements include Senators Borah, Norris, La Follette, Nye, Wheeler, Capper, Frazier, Howell, and Shipstead. In addition there are some notable civilians, if that word makes the distinction required. It is further announced that The Nation in the last ten years has grown from 7,200 to 38,500, "making it today the largest liberal weekly in the English speaking world."

The senators for this celebration are from the wide open spaces of the west where manly fancy sees the he-man in the mirror. Mr. Villard is representative of the eastern ideologist. The coalition is one of the plains and the parlor, of the hairy chest and the perspiring brain cell, of the Black Hills and Greenwich village, and, although incongruous, it seems to be congenial, a combination of the successful politics of the west with the futile publicists of the east. And, although congenial, it is not wholly explicable that the plains of the west should turn to the parlors of the east for inspiration.

That is not explicable, but the state of the liberal party in the United States is. It has a great tradition both in Great Britain and, under various names or in various activities, here. One of the great parties of America ought to be in ideas, if not in name, Liberal. The Republican party under Lincoln was. The Republican party under Roosevelt was. The Democratic-Republican party under Jefferson was, and the Democratic party under Jackson was.

Now liberalism has been preempted by men with a genius for small nonconforming groups and minorities. It has been reduced to the circumference of The Nation and can be contained within the eye of Mr. Villard.

Liberalism in the United States, as at present self-described, is (1) a belief that Sacco and Vanzetti were the innocent victims of a capitalistic state; (2) that whatever Secretary of State Kellogg does is wrong; (3) that military instruction of civilians is junker militarism; (4) that any attempt to prevent government by assassination in Haiti is a crime against civilization; (5) that any production of oil in Mexico is a shameful reproach to the United States; (6) that American government in the Philippines is tyrannical, and (7) that American nationalism is a sinful addiction.

That is complete liberalism in the United States, the doctrines to be applied automatically to every situation as it arises. It can be condensed into the formula that whoever may be President of the United States will be unworthy and whatever policy may be adopted by the United States government will be vile.

MR. TARKINGTON ON INDIANA.

Booth Tarkington takes time off between novels to reaffirm his faith in Indiana. He says he is encouraged and cites Indiana's willingness to uncover its scandals and to prosecute them as evidence of the state's essential righteousness. He thinks the east preserves its reputation for virtue the way some citizens do, by maintaining two establishments and keeping the bad one secret.

Mr. Tarkington's philosophy and reasoning will appeal to Chicagoans. We feel that Chicago is also a victim of its own honesty. We do not like hypocrisy and we let the world in on our scandals and our crime statistics. As a result, our reputation suffers, but we never have to sneak up a back alley.

Indiana's situation, however, has been worse than anything in Chicago. Chicago does its bad deeds in the frank and open name of corruption and bootlegging and crime; Indiana has been doing its worst in the name of sanctity, uplift, and the pure life. Our worst citizens are the responsible ones in Chicago. In Indiana it has often been the so-called best people. It is not so hard to arrest and convict for killing a man or stealing his purse—when we do—as it is to drive out intolerance and bigotry and hate.

Hoosiers, as Mr. Tarkington knows, are such likable folk, but they have shown a very seamy side of late. We hope with Mr. Tarkington that they have returned to political righteousness. We also hope that their righteousness doesn't get the better of them again and lead them into new temptations.

Editorial of the Day

SUBMARINE SAFETY.

[New York World.]

By this time it should be apparent that what has happened to the S-4 is what may be expected to happen to any submarine. It can be regarded as a regular hazard for submarines, just as shipwreck is regarded as a regular hazard for ordinary boats, or derailment as a regular hazard for railroad trains, or a stalled motor as a regular hazard for airplanes.

Yet, from what can be learned of the problem that confronts the rescuers off Provincetown, this boat was built as though no such contingency would ever arise. It seems to have carried emergency tanks of oxygen, and to have been built in such way as to withstand the pressure of water for a considerable time. In other words, it was excellently equipped to prolong the agony of the men inside. But with regard to facilitating the raising of it to the surface quickly in event of disablement it was equipped with no devices whatever; and thus the rescue crew, confronted with what ought to be a simple operation in marine engineering, is beset with as many difficulties as though this thing had never happened before.

This is shocking because it is so stupid. It is equivalent to sending an ocean liner to sea without lifeboats, or to sending a train out of a station with no wrecking equipment available, or to sending aviators up without parachutes. What mechanical devices are called for the layman cannot pretend to know. It has been said that divers in the present instance would have been greatly helped if the hull had carried hooks on the outside to which lifting cables could have been attached. During the war a few of the German U-boats were equipped with telephone buoys so that those inside could instruct rescuers how to proceed. What is needed, naturally, is for naval engineers to work out. But, clearly, they must work out something. We cannot continue to send brave men to death in this way without taking steps to insure their safety.

I AM RESOLVED

BY THE REV. JOHN A. EARL, D. D.

[Editor The Baptist, Chicago, Ill.]

Good resolutions have been and will continue to be the habit of mankind wherever the first day of January is observed as the opening of a new year. Some people have suggested that the best resolution for the new year should take the form of a firm determination to abstain from indulging in the common practice of doing what this editorial has set out to do. But despite the value of such a suggestion I prefer to stay with the crowd that makes new year resolutions rather than train with the aristocracy of abstainers from the common practice. However, I sympathize with the idea of an economy of resolutions. A preacher once delivered a sermon with so many heads that he couldn't find ears for them. Resolutions, likewise, may be so numerous that they lose all the values they were intended to conserve. Therefore I shall make but one resolution for 1928.

I am resolved to cultivate sympathetic understanding. The phrase is not new. President Calvin Coolidge used it significantly the other day in his greeting to Col. Lindbergh. "The spirit of your mission will be sympathetically understood by both Mexico and the United States," the President wired. There are two kinds of understanding. They might be called the scientific and the sympathetic. It is common knowledge that physiology reveals two nervous systems in the human body—namely: the cerebro-spinal and the sympathetic. By means of the first all conscious brain work is carried on; by means of the second what has come to be called the subconscious activities function. Purely intellectual processes are cerebro-spinal; intuitional inspirations are sympathetic. Ambassador Dwight Morrow is officially understood by both Mexico and the United States, but "Lindy" is sympathetically understood by both Mexico and the United States. This same thought was eloquently brought out in an editorial in THE TRIBUNE of Dec. 17 under the heading: "Lindbergh, Master Stylist." One quotation is sufficient for my purpose. "He (Col. Lindbergh) rouses people's enthusiasm to an emotional height and keeps it there because he possesses the rare gift, perfect style."

A clinic in understanding was conducted in Fairfield, Conn., recently by fourteen representative Protestant citizens and one Catholic priest to discover if possible what real basis there is for the common prejudice of Protestants against Catholics and Catholics against Protestants. But before the clinic began great care was exercised in selecting men and women whose sympathies were stronger than their antipathies. And this was done to insure the success of the clinic because the promoters knew that religious prejudice can be resolved only by sympathetic understanding. Nothing was done to soft-pedal the prejudices. These were registered with the utmost frankness and freedom. But all who took part in the clinic were eager to get at the truth, even if the truth should knock their pet prejudices into a cocked hat. It was therefore a clinic in sympathetic understanding, and its results were of much value.

Possibly religious prejudice is the most obstinate of all the prejudices which afflict society. This is not altogether to the discredit of religion nor to the human race. Our religious beliefs become convictions and are therefore not easily set aside. Even war, the very antithesis of religion, has been carried on in the name of religion and for the reason just mentioned. We hold the value of our religious convictions like we hold the superlative value of human life as compared with all material possessions. When a house is burning, firemen will run greater risks to rescue a tiny baby lying asleep in its cradle than they will to save from destruction the most costly works of art that adorn the drawing room or the studio. When messengers brought King David the news that the Israelites had won a great victory, his first question was, "Is the young man Absalom safe?" When he was told the truth and David knew his son was dead, nothing else mattered. While, however, this depth of our religious convictions must be recognized, we are not to forget that only sympathetic understanding will remove or reduce religious prejudice. And sympathetic understanding is possible only as the fine art of putting oneself in the place of another is intelligently and emotionally practiced. It has been said that Abraham Lincoln had a sympathetic understanding of human slavery which fitted him to be the emancipator. The evils of slavery were registered upon the very heart of Honest Abe! He put himself so vicariously into slavery that when the lash fell upon the back of a slave he recoiled. It is by the cultivation of sympathy in this sense that true understanding will come to men as they frankly face their racial, political, industrial, religious, and even personal prejudices.

Therefore, I am resolved to cultivate a sympathetic understanding and an understanding sympathy both intensively and extensively during the year that begins today. And I am resolved upon this because nothing else is so vital and fundamental. In all the relations I bear to my God, to my neighbor, to the universe of which I am a part, to myself, sympathetic understanding is essential if I ever get to know the true God, my real neighbor, and not some caricature of him, the world of nature, and my own innermost being. Scientific knowledge has its part to play in all the regions just mentioned. Theology, sociology, psychology, and all the natural sciences help me to understand my fourfold universal relationship. But mighty as science is it is not almighty. Spell it with a capital S, if you will, yet science has essential limitations which prevent it from giving me the vital knowledge of eternal realities. No man ever yet experienced friendship by studying anthropology. Friendship is the rich and luscious fruit of sympathetic understanding.

But sympathetic understanding does not grow without cultivation. It is easy to say, "I am resolved." That may be a mere impulse stimulated by the dawning of a new year, or it may be the automatic registration of an old habit. It is the determined effort that counts after the mind is made up. Prejudice grows like weeds in the dirty soil of ignorance. It requires no effort to produce a crop. But sympathetic understanding must be cultivated in season and out of season. The good resolution which I am making today will utterly fail to make me a true brother to every man and a citizen of the world unless I suit the action to the words and begin systematically to enlarge the area of my sympathies and extend the borders of my understanding.

To this end I am resolved to approach all my prejudices this year with a view to reducing them to the minimum or removing them altogether. I am determined to deal faithfully with my antipathies inherited from a long line of Protestant ancestors and to make a more sympathetic and sustained effort to arrive at the truth about Roman Catholicism. My mind is made up to seek a more sympathetic understanding of both fundamentalism and modernism, and in the meantime I refuse to be personally bitter toward advocates of either side. In regard to the wet and dry issue my personal sympathies all run strongly and deeply with the steady current of prohibition, but I have decided not to be blind to the faults of the Volstead act and to the injustice of the present methods of enforcement if such exist. I am an intense hater of war. I regard it as the colossal crime of the nations, and I look upon warmakers as the arch enemies of God and man. But I am resolved to study sympathetically the present reaction of the nations toward the strengthening of defensive forces on sea and land and in the air that I may be able to appraise more fully the current urge for extensive military training in the United States.

In all this determined effort to soften antipathies and enrich sympathies I am resolved not to lose for a moment my keen sense of ethical standards. The Lord, whose I am and whom I serve, was sympathy incarnate and knowledge omniscient. Jesus knew God and man and nature and himself perfectly because his sympathetic understanding was complete. And yet he was a towering judge against hypocrisy, the love of money, racial and religious snobbery, and everything else that would make men less than children of God and society less than the kingdom of God. I am resolved to follow Him, my Example, my Inspiration, and my dynamic Redeemer.

How to Keep Well By Dr. W. A. Evans

To the limit of space questions pertinent to hygiene and prevention of disease will be answered in this column. Personal replies will be made to inquiries, under proper limitations, when return stamped envelope is inclosed. Dr. Evans will not make diagnosis or prescribe for individual disease.

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TIME FOR INVENTORY OF OUR HEALTH.

"WHERE are we at?" and where do we go from here? What's the answer? It is popularly supposed that the first question has been pending since the Fortieth United States congress. The second is older still. Both are stock taking questions. Expressed in business terms, the first one is: What does the inventory show? The second: What are the business prospects?

Most business concerns have Jan. 1 as their stock taking day. At that time the owner of the business gets the answer to the first question. Soon after that date he and his partners sit down before a table covered with papers, tables and charts and try to find the answer to the second.

At Battle Creek, Mich., beginning the day after New Year's day, a large number of women and men, owners of the business enterprise of We, Us and Company, unlimited, of America, will meet to try to find the answers to these questions. Since everybody is a member of this firm, everybody is privileged to attend the meeting. They call the gathering a race betterment congress, and since similar meetings have been held before, this one will be called the third.

The president of the stockholders, for the purposes of this meeting, will be Dr. C. C. Little of the University of Michigan. Since the corporation is not exactly as healthy as it might be, the presiding officer is a doctor. But since the ills are social rather than medical, this presiding officer is a social rather than a medical doctor.

Already, from one end of the country to the other, the business is being inventoried. For instance, the subject of population, and the relation of immigration and birth rates thereto will be told by Prof. E. A. Ross of the University of Wisconsin, Congressman Johnson, Dr. H. H. Laughlin of the eugenics record office, and Dr. H. E. Hull, commissioner of immigration.

Almost every sort of medical subject will be discussed, as well as many phases of public and personal hygiene. Among the hundreds of learned men from many sections, I note one whom I will be especially glad to hear. That is Dr. Hindhede of Denmark. This little nation went through the world war with lower death rates and better health rates than did any other nation in the world. Dr. Hindhede attributes this to diet. I want to hear what he has to say about what we shall eat.

There are scores of men who will have attractions for me.

NAUSEA OF MOTHER-TO-BE.

Mrs. J. M. J. writes: Should a prospective mother use only certain foods such as milk, soup, cereals, etc.? Should she diet, if during the second month of pregnancy she feels weak and dizzy—and feels like vomiting but can't? The attacks come only in the morning, at noon, or at night, and last but a few minutes.

REPLY.

As a rule, a prospective mother should eat about what she has always eaten. Most women can increase their daily allowance of milk with advantage during this period.

A woman who has nausea during the second month should eat more sweets and cereals. It is customary to eat some crackers before getting up in the morning, and some cereal between meals later in the day. Nausea and dizziness should not be neglected.

HOW TO PUT ON WEIGHT.

Miss B. K. writes: 1. I would like to know if it is all right for me to drink sweet cream every morning [½ pint]. I am 19 years old and weigh 106 pounds. 2. Is it fattening?

REPLY.

1. Yes.

2. It is if you follow certain other directions, such as eating plenty of cereals, meat, bread, and other substantial, wholesome food. Go to bed at a regular hour and sleep nine hours. Live quietly, calmly, and regularly, free from anxiety and worry.

FRIEND OF THE PEOPLE

Letters to this department must be signed with names and addresses of writers.

MAIL YOUR BONUS APPLICATION TODAY.

Chicago, Dec. 31.—[Friend of the Soldier.]—Why is it that some say the soldier bonus applications must be in Saturday when the instruction sheet says they may be mailed on or before Jan. 1, which would be Sunday? This is important, for my brother gets here Sunday and I have been holding an application form for him. Please advise. D. D.

The law provides that all applications must be made and filed before midnight this (Sunday) night. The war department, according to Washington dispatches, is interpreting this as meaning that the applications must be in hands of war or navy departments in Washington or hands of the veterans' bureau there by midnight Sunday. Arrangements have been made to take up the last delivery at the postoffice Sunday at midnight. Telegraphed applications are interpreted as not acceptable, as the law provides applications must be accompanied by signature of applicant. It is possible that applications made today (Sunday) may be taken care of in a special bill to be offered in congress later.

The Tribune's Public Service Office, No. 1 South Dearborn street, will be open from 9 a. m. until midnight tonight to give out application blanks and instructions for applying for this bonus.

BUSINESS IS BUSINESS.

Chicago, Dec. 29.—[To the Legal Friend of the People.]—Can a finance company after taking a car away from me for nonpayment of two notes which I could not pay on account of illness, sell the car and make me pay $51 deficit? 2. If so, would I be compelled to pay the whole amount at once or could I pay in installments? F. G. S.

1. It seems probable that the contract is so worded as to give them this power.

2. No payment of less than the full amount due will cut down their right to pursue full legal remedies.

TRIBUNE LAW DEPARTMENT.

QUALIFIED TO MARCEL.

Chicago, Dec. 31.—[To the Legal Friend of the People.]—I have learned marcelling from a friend of mine and have not taken up the course in any beauty school. Can I secure a position as a marceller or must I first take up the course? Also, can I do marcelling at home or must I secure a license if I have a sign in the window? E. M.

Submit your qualifications to the department of education and registration, Springfield. TRIBUNE LAW DEPARTMENT.

RELATIVELY SPEAKING, ANOTHER YEAR PASSES



FROM THE TRIBUNE'S COLUMNS

65 YEARS AGO TODAY

JANUARY 1, 1863.

WASHINGTON. — President Lincoln's emancipation proclamation, promised for Jan. 1 in his proclamation of Sept. 22, last year, will be telegraphed in the course of the day. The cabinet meeting carefully considered the whole general subject, and immediately after the adjournment Mr. Lincoln went to work upon the document, denying himself to all callers throughout the evening. Few if any, either within or without the cabinet, know in what precise shape it will finally appear. It is positively asserted in some circles that the new edict of freedom will be the signal for instituting a new and better order of things, military and civil.

HEADQUARTERS, ARMY OF THE POTOMAC.—A reconnoissance in force started out and probably will be heard from in a few days. It is believed that a considerable portion of Lee's army has moved from its late position on our front and gone up the Rappahannock. Its destination is not known.

WASHINGTON.—The last heard of Stuart's rebel cavalry was that it was seen near Snyder's Gap, returning from its excursion into Maryland.

NEW YORK.—The report that the rebel cavalry passed into Maryland at or near Edward's Ferry is confirmed, according to a report from the New York Times correspondent in Washington.

CHICAGO.—J. D. Dennis and Miss Ella Keeler were married on Dec. 30 by Elder W. F. Black.

25 YEARS AGO TODAY

JANUARY 1, 1903.

WASHINGTON.—Reports just received from Gov. Taft of the Philippines indicate that the islands, or more particularly the island of Luzon, will soon be the scene of an extraordinary religious warfare, and the most serious results are feared. There is impending a general rebellion, not against the United States but for the purpose of driving out the Spanish friars. Recently on the island of Luzon a separate church was organized. In some ways it is modeled after the Church of England. Its members take the ground that the parish churches were built by the people and are their property rather than that of the Catholic church or the friars.

CHICAGO.—The Rev. E. Armstrong Ince of Quincy, Ill., will be the new pastor of the Fourth Baptist church, Ashland boulevard and Monroe street. He has been pastor of the Vermont street Baptist church of Quincy for nine years and is at present chaplain of the Illinois naval reserves.

CHICAGO.—A hair clipper robbed Rosa Hersch, 673 North Rockwell street, of nearly three feet of braid when he met her at Rockwell and Division streets.

WASHINGTON. — President Castro formally accepted the proposal to submit the controversy between Venezuela and the European powers to arbitration by The Hague tribunal.

10 YEARS AGO TODAY

JANUARY 1, 1918.

STOCKHOLM.—Ukrainian and Cossack forces in a great battle on the southwestern front have defeated bolsheviki troops, taking 400 prisoners and capturing eight big guns and 328 machine guns, according to a dispatch from Petrograd. The Cossacks are in hot pursuit of the bolsheviki.

OTHER WAR NEWS. — Notwithstanding the fact that deep snow covers the ground along the western front in northern France, bitter fighting has been in progress between the British and Germans in the Cambrai sector. Seeking to take the Welsh ridge, south of Marcoing in the old Hindenburg line, the Germans on Sunday attacked over a front of 1,200 yards, and using liquid fire against the defenders of the ridge succeeded in entering one of the British trenches. In a brilliant counter attack Field Marshal Haig's men recovered the lost ground. Violent artillery duels continue on the Italian front, especially around Monte Tomba. London reports the British have made gains of seven miles in Palestine.

CHICAGO.—New Year's eased in on Chicago minus all the booze, bombast and flapdoodle of other similar occasions. The loop cafés entertained orderly crowds of polite persons who ate and drank sparingly out of respect for the war times.

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE

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DOWNSTATE LOOKS AT REAPPORTIONMENT.

Morrison, Ill., Dec. 17.—It was my fortune to be a member of the general assembly when the last senatorial apportionment was made and as a member of the senatorial apportionment committee I had a good opportunity to see how it was done. What I may say is not as a finality, but as it appears to me. It is idle to talk of compelling the legislature to enact any legislation and madness to argue that a senatorial apportionment can be obtained by mandamus action.

Senatorial districts are political districts, formed by political action and used for political purposes. There never was a senatorial district otherwise formed. It is Republican finesse to put an overwhelmingly strong Democratic territory into a large district. It is Democratic policy to so use the Democratic density [numbers is meant] as to neutralize or jeopardize several Republican districts. Utopian methods are unknown at the statehouse in apportionment matters. At the time the last senatorial apportionment was made, Chicago received an increased number of districts and as a result the downstate districts were enlarged. In some instances counties from which a member of the legislature came were put into districts so constituted that the county as well as the member would pass into political oblivion. It required political aid from the state and nation to make the apportionment. Circuit judgeships, federal and state appointments were used as pawns.

In the making of the Chicago districts, at that time, it was proposed by certain Chicago politicians to curtail the growing power of another certain Chicago politician by mapping the districts. The members of the house, owing allegiance to the latter party, refused to vote for the apportionment until the bill was recalled and amended. Here was an apportionment in favor of Chicago and all but treated by Chicago members.

A very few men control the politics of Chicago. Former it was no offense to ask a Chicago member who voted him, and if asked how he voted on some pending legislation would reply that he had not heard, but would know next week. He was a cog in a machine and if he did not mesh true with the rest of the machine he would be replaced with another; if controlled the legislature would control the veracity as to the character of its politicians as to the character of the state is better off as it is.

At a cost of 10 cents a minutes of time a Chicago member of the legislature can go from one end of the state to the other and many of the districts are residential. The district in which I live is 86 miles long and has an extreme width of 30 miles. It contains three county seats, twenty-two incorporated towns, 350 miles of main track railroad, switch tracks, repair yards, factories, cement mills, navigable river, lumber yards, water powers, the Mississippi, besides sands of farms, with conditions which prevent a look to a downstate district should be doubled a new residential district in Chicago people cry representation. Owing to an outgrown constitution the country pays general tax far in excess of its representation. It is said that 35 per cent of the wealth pays 70 per cent of the general tax. A farmer with land valued at $150, although mortgaged to the limit, pays not only the interest but tax on the full valuation. A professional man in the city with an income of $25,000 per year pays no general tax.

It might be well for city people to reflect occasionally that the greatness and splendor of Chicago is but the reflection of the richness of the country tributary thereto. Should some great natural convulsion destroy the city of Chicago, great as the loss would be to the country, it would not be irreparable. Should some climatic change render the country tributary to Chicago a desert then the waves of the lake would again wash the beach on Michigan avenue and the coyote howl unmolested at the corner of State and Madison streets.

It is true that the constitution provides for senatorial apportionment every ten years, it is equally true that it says there shall be no class legislation; yet almost one-third of the laws in the statute books of the state are class laws, applying to Chicago alone.

There is no common ground where the city and country can meet and that is in a movement to give Chicago home rule.

A. N. ABBOTT.

SOVIET STATISTICS.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 20.—An article by Ronald Day, dated from Riga, published in THE TRIBUNE of Dec. 18 (part 1, page 10) is full of misstatements, evidently conveyed to Mr. Day from the publicity factory maintained by Tsarist émigrés in Riga. I will cite only two of these misstatements, which as it happens can be disproved without relying on soviet sources.

Mr. Day says: "Within Russia factories have not had any replacements or new equipment since 1916." Soviet purchases and shipments of industrial machinery and equipment in the United States alone, for the last three fiscal years (soviet fiscal years ending Sept. 30), were as follows:

1925-'27	$ 6,932,536
1925-'26	6,365,823
1924-'25	7,034,895
Total, three years	$20,333,254

These figures may be verified through the United States department of commerce. They do not include machinery shipped from this country to the soviet unions by American concessionaries, such as the Georgia Manganese company (Harriman). In fact, during the last fiscal year about $490,000,000 was spent by the soviet union on capital improvements in industry. The total imports of industrial machinery over the European frontiers were $35,831,640 for the year. Mr. Day states: "The chervonets, by the way, is worth $3 today." The par value of the chervonets is $5.146. For several years it has been quoted at about parity on foreign exchanges. If Mr. Day, in any bank in Riga, or the editors of THE TRIBUNE, in any American bank dealing in Russian exchange, can pick up any chervonets for $3, I'll eat [illegible]. HAROLD KELLOCK.

Statistical Director, Soviet Union Information Bureau.

AN ONLY CHILD.

Chicago, Dec. 31.—Doris Blake contends that an only child never amounts to much. How about Lindbergh?

MODERN MAMA.

ONE OF THE FAMILY

[London Passing Show.]



Mistress: "It is very ungrateful of you to leave. Haven't we always treated you as one of the family?"

Servant: "Yes. That is why I am leaving."

AVONDALE AVE. AUTO ROAD PLAN GOES TO MAYOR

Experts Agree on Details for Model Drive.

(Continued from first page.)

north western city limits along the route of Avondale avenue.

"Due to the cordial coöperation of President Michael J. Faherty of the board of local improvements this recommendation can be made to your honorable body many months earlier than would otherwise have been possible.

"Mr. Faherty assigned six engineers to aid our technical staff in the preparation of these plans and estimates, so the project can truly be said to have been worked out jointly by the city and the plan commission.

"A summary enclosed, setting forth the main features of the undertaking, is intended to facilitate consideration of the proposal by the municipal authorities, so that early action may be taken toward supplying Chicago with this greatly needed improvement."

Five Plans Studied.

The letter was signed by James Simpson, chairman of the plan commission. It was announced that the special committee had made exhaustive studies of five different plans to treat the Avondale project and that four had been rejected as not being up to the standards which Chicago should aim for in this effort. The commission as a whole will act finally upon the recommendation early in January.

One of the significant phases of the Avondale development is that of the relief offered for traffic from the 300 miles of paved trunk line country highways which penetrate far into northeastern Illinois and into Wisconsin over an area of 1,100 miles. While it is estimated that traffic entering the city from that quarter exceeds 24,000 cars a day, it is predicted that if rapid transit is provided from the point where these feeders converge the immediate development of traffic would exceed 100,000 a day.

In commenting on this feature Engineer Young in his report says:

"There is probably no similar traffic situation in the country today where an improvement will be so productive of benefits with respect to the convenience, safety, and saving in the cost of operation of traffic."

High Lights of Plan.

A digest of the characteristics of the proposed highway offers the high lights of the detail that has been worked out. Starting from the southern terminus, the following description covers the various engineering sections:

Canal street between Monroe and Madison is widened to 180 feet, creating a plaza at the center of which a 56 foot incline rises to the upper level at Madison street.

The elevated structure then continues north to the junction with the proposed North River Bank drive. The latter extends east from Canal street across the river to the Franklin-Orleans bridge and then east to its termination.

From that point Avondale proceeds northwesterly by viaduct over the Northwestern tracks to Chicago avenue. At the intersection of Chicago avenue and Halsted street the highway is elevated to permit grade separations.

Road Carried on Fill.

Between Chicago avenue and North avenue the roadway adjoins the east side of the Northwestern railway right of way. For the greater part of the way the road is carried on a fill or extension of the railroad elevation. This section includes a low level street fifty feet wide from Elston to North avenue, adjacent to the highway.

A viaduct crossing is made over the Northwestern tracks at North avenue.

From North avenue to Bloomingdale avenue, three miles, the roadway is carried on a fill along the west side of the railway elevation. A subway is provided under the Milwaukee road tracks at Bloomingdale avenue.

Between Bloomingdale avenue and Lowell avenue the highway is carried on a fill along the southerly side of the Northwestern tracks, excepting at street crossings. A subway is provided at the Northwestern tracks at Lowell avenue.

Crosses to North of Tracks.

Between Lowell avenue and Cicero avenue the highway is carried on a fill, except at street crossings, along the northerly side of the Northwestern tracks. It crosses the Mayfair cutoff of the Milwaukee road by viaduct at Cicero avenue.

From Cicero avenue to Milwaukee avenue the line adjoins the northerly side of the Northwestern tracks and is carried on a fill.

Just east of Milwaukee avenue the roadway is carried on a viaduct, north of the Northwestern right of way, and then follows Milwaukee avenue to Northwest highway and thence along Northwest highway to a point one block west of Parkside avenue.

At this point Avondale returns to the ground and, under present plans of the county highway department, will continue on to the northwest as a 40 foot concrete road. The extension of Avondale avenue as an elevated structure, however, is not prejudiced by the coming to grade at that point. If conditions in future demand continuation of the elevation the problem is without serious difficulties.

Subways for Streets.

Along the alignment of the highway subways are provided at all street intersections where they now exist under the Northwestern tracks, except at Lowell avenue, where the descending grade of the roadway passing beneath the Northwestern tracks cuts off this local street.

A total of twenty-three ramps is provided to connect ground level street systems with the elevated roadway. These ramps are built in the center of the roadway and traffic using them does not interrupt the flow of through traffic in either direction. The ramps are provided for the following streets: Wilson, Lawrence, Milwaukee, and Montrose avenues; eleven intersecting streets between Bloomingdale and Lowell avenues; Wabansia avenue, Halsted street, Chicago avenue, Erie street, Grand avenue, North Bank drive, Lake street, and Monroe street.

Between Elston avenue and Canal street, where the highway extends over railroad yards, the local low level street is unnecessary and has been omitted from plans. In this section the viaduct structure will provide two 66 foot driveways and two 12 foot sidewalks. This arrangement is considered necessary because of the prospective air rights developments above the railroad tracks over which Avondale avenue is to extend.

From Chicago avenue to the northwesterly terminus the road is planned to be carried on fills alongside the Northwestern tracks. South of Chicago avenue the highway will be carried on a viaduct structure. The aggregate length of viaduct structure is to be 3.5 miles and that of the fill foundation is to be 5.3 miles.

Items Included in Cost.

The estimates prepared by the plan commission include the cost of right of way, the construction of viaduct work and fills, the building of ramps, the paving of surfaces, the adjacent 50 foot low level roadways, the balustrades and lighting fixtures, the architectural embellishments, damage to buildings, and supervising fees.

The members of the plan commission express the hope that the recommendation will go immediately to the city council and by that body be referred to the board of local improvements without delay, so that the necessary surveys for cost proceedings can be started at once by the board, and negotiations entered with the county and state authorities looking to an equitable division of cost between the city, county, and state.

Financing a Big Problem.

The financing of the project, it is admitted, is a problem involving much negotiation and infinite patience. A casual survey of this phase of the enterprise has resulted in a tentative allotment of costs in the following ratio: The county to take up 24 per cent of the cost, which is equivalent to the paving of a 40 foot strip of concrete for the distance; the state to take up 12 per cent of the cost, which would be equivalent to the paving of a 20 foot strip for the distance.

Some portion of the county's and perhaps the state's shares, could justly come from the revenues derived from the automobile gasoline tax, it is pointed out.

This would leave a remainder of 64 per cent, or $18,000,000, to be met by the city. As the street has a length of about ten miles inside the city limits, the cost would be spread out widely, and when the city wide bond issue proceeds less subtracted the amount to be assumed by abutting property would be low.

How Benefits Are Figured.

Under the head of "economic considerations," the plan commission discussed the question of justification of expense. Citing a recent authority which found that the operation cost of motor cars in the New York area, trucks to flivvers inclusive is 12 cents a mile, the commission says:

"For the Chicago district and the class of traffic which it is expected will use Avondale avenue the value of 10 cents a mile will be taken, as the percentage of trucks is less than there. The authority also gives the money value of a car minute at 1.5 cents. For Avondale traffic we will assume the minute value as 1.5 cents.

"A study of present traffic conditions at the northwest city limits shows that there is an average daily traffic of 24,000 vehicles converging at this point. About 10,000 cars detour east and south to other than direct streets.

"Actual traffic observations show that vehicles can now travel the distance from the northwest city limits to the downtown district, using rectangular streets, in approximately the same time that is required to travel in on Elston or Milwaukee avenues. The observations show that it takes from 40 minutes to an hour to travel the distance, depending on the density of traffic.

"If we assume that only 10,000 vehicles make this detour daily, the saving that Avondale avenue would offer, shortening as it will the distance to town by three miles, would amount to about $600,000 a year, which is 5 per cent of an invested capital of $12,000,000, the amount which might be spent economically to save three miles of distance.

Saving for 24,000 Vehicles.

"The annual saving due to shortening the time, as well as distance, for the trip as now made by 24,000 vehicles daily to enter and leave the city, the amount which might be economically spent to save 20 minutes of time would be $2,160,000, which, capitalized at 5 per cent, would be $43,200,000.

"Taking these two figures together, it may therefore be assumed that a sum of approximately $60,000,000 might profitably be spent to effect saving in time and distance for the present traffic.

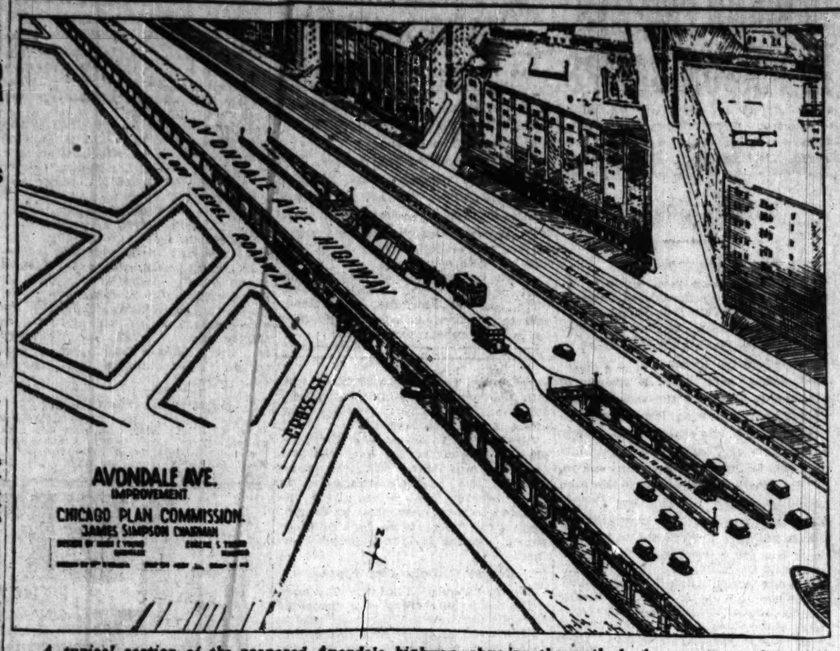
"If the saving to 24,000 vehicle trips per day justifies the cost of the improvement, then the saving to traffic when Avondale has attained its full capacity would be over twelve times the present saving, amounting to $36,000,000 a year which, capitalized at 5 per cent, would amount to $720,000,000, the amount that it would be economically sound to spend in order to effect the saving in time and distance involved in making 75,000,000 vehicle trips a year. On the foregoing basis, the saving per vehicle trip possible by the Avondale improvement would be 48 cents a trip.

Actual Cost Per Car Trip.

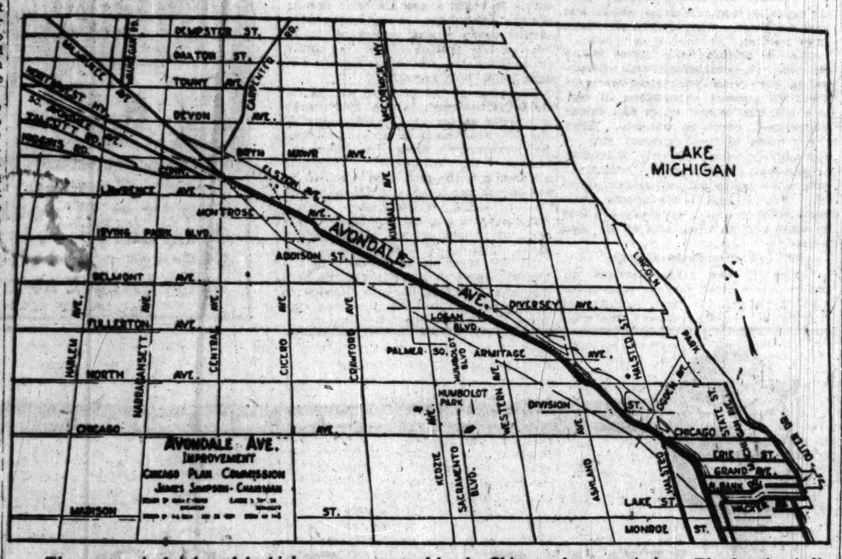
"As a matter of fact, it will take only one-twelfth of $720,000,000 to construct the Avondale highway, so that the actual cost of the improvement per car trip will be 4 cents. In other words, an investment of 4 cents per car trip based on the ultimate capacity of Avondale highway will be sufficient to pay for the entire cost of the improvement.

This means that an investment of 4 cents a vehicle trip based on the capacity of the thoroughfare will make possible a net saving of 44 cents to every vehicle that will take advantage of this direct and convenient route to the city."

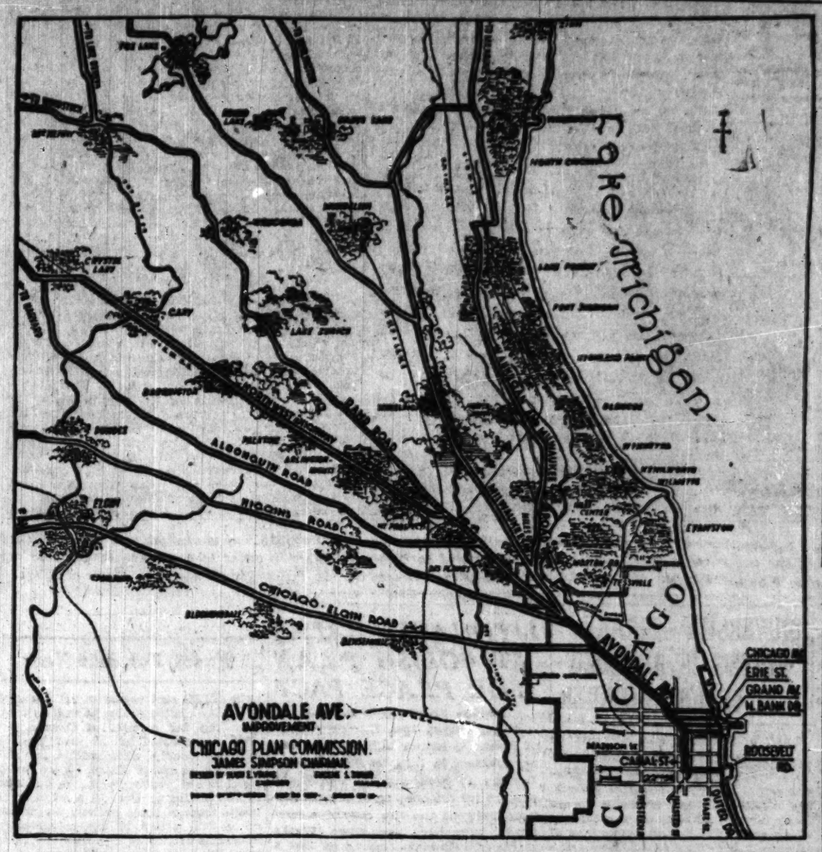
CITY PUSHES AVONDALE AVENUE PROJECT—COMPLETE PLAN IS PRESENTED



A typical section of the proposed Avondale highway, showing the method of ramp connection with the low level streets and the low level roadway adjoining. Two way traffic is provided for on the ramps. For those coming on to the structure, however, vehicles bound south use the south ramp, and northbound they use the north ramp.



The route of the Avondale highway as proposed by the Chicago plan commission. The drawing indicates the location of familiar landmarks at either end of the ten mile speedway.



This map gives an idea of the territory tapped by the 300 miles of concrete highway extending, fanlike, from the northwestern corner of Chicago. The area covered by the highways is 1,100 miles in extent. The motorist portion of the population that inhabits the area can save from twenty to forty minutes per trip in and out of Chicago when the Avondale highway is completed.

NICHOLAS M. BUTLER, HERE, ASKS U. S. TO SIGN WORLD PEACE TREATY

A permanent peace treaty between the United States and other leading powers was strongly advocated last night by Nicholas Murray Butler, president of Columbia university, in his speech before the Chicago Council on Foreign Relations, meeting at the Palmer House. He also assailed the United States navy building program, proposed by Secretary Wilbur.

"France and Germany made such an agreement at Locarno," Dr. Butler said, "and now France's foreign minister, Aristide Briand, suggests that France and the United States enter such an agreement.

"This has been called 'outlawry of war.' It is not, exactly. It is conceivable that if the United States, France, Great Britain, Germany, Italy, and Japan were allied with peace treaties, war would still go on among smaller nations, but there could be no great war again, and without the support of these great nations the little nations could not continue their war very long."

Dr. Butler said he was confident these great powers could be trusted to keep their word. "If they cannot, then there is no foundation for civilization at all," he said. He strongly indorsed the resolution of Senator Capper of Kansas that "it shall be the policy of the United States, by treaty with France and other like-minded nations, to renounce war and settle international disputes peacefully."

"If the Capper resolution be adopted as declaring the policy of the United States, and if, having declared that policy, our government and our people keep their word, a long, long step will have been taken on the path to peace. It is only the will to peace that will establish the habit of peace," Dr. Butler said.

BUSINESS PICKS UP IN RENO; 1,700 DECREES IN 1927

Reno, Nev., Dec. 31.—(AP)—Reno's divorce business boomed by the three months residence law, which became effective last March, more than doubled in 1927.

Statistics compiled at the county clerk's office today showed a total of 2,200 cases filed during the year, and it was estimated that approximately 1,700 decrees were granted. Census figures show 770 marital knots were severed in 1926.

There was a big increase, too, in marriage licenses as Californians have flocked here to be wed since passage of a law in that state requiring a wait of three days after applying for a license.

2 SHOT AS CARD PLAYERS THWART HOLDUP ATTEMPT

Three bandits who attempted to stick up a party of card players in a room of the Alamo hotel, 827 Wilson avenue, were met with a hail of bullets fired by the players. The robbers returned the fire and then fled. One of the players was wounded and one of the stickup men was also hurt, according to a report to the police.

The wounded player, Joseph Honeyman, 11 West Walton place, was taken to the Lakeview hospital with bullets in both legs.

Police were told that two men entered the hotel room shortly before 3 o'clock and informed the card players that they were policemen. They were followed by a third man with a revolver who ordered the players to hand over their money. Instead, the players produced guns and fired. After firing several shots in return, the bandits fled, two of them assisting the third, and escaped in an automobile.

Egyptian Hieroglyphic Type Received by U. of C.

The first complete font of ancient Egyptian hieroglyphic type ever to be used in the United States has been received by the University of Chicago press, it was announced yesterday. The set comprises 724 symbols modeled by Prof. James Henry Breasted. Each represents an idea rather than a letter, showing humans and animals in various situations. One of the characters is said to indicate that the Egyptians had a credit system and probably received first of the month bills.

Bride Comes to Join Vet She Met at Paris Reunion

A Parisienne bride of the second A. E. F. arrived in Chicago yesterday afternoon to join her husband, Meyer Liebermann, deputy bailiff for the Municipal court. Liebermann, an American Legion convention delegate, met Mlle. Eda La Youssef on his second day in Paris last summer when at a banquet. They were married the morning of the day that Liebermann sailed for the United States.

TWO U. S. GIRLS CROSS SAHARA IN AUTOMOBILE

ORAN, Algeria, Dec. 31.—(AP)—Two American women have crossed "The Land of Thirst" by automobile, setting what is believed to be a new record in women's adventures.

Miss Susan Frazier and Miss Ellen McMillan crossed the Sahara desert by the Tanfrouft route. They went by automobile to Gibraltar and from there by boat to Dakar, Senegal. From Dakar they started their daring ride.

Girls Are Art Students.

New York, Dec. 31.—(AP)—Miss Susan Frazier and Miss Ellen McMillan, the young American women who have completed the hazardous journey by automobile across the Sahara desert, are art students.

Miss Frazier is the daughter of Kenneth Frazier, an artist of Garrison, N. Y., and the great granddaughter of Hamilton Chase, who was governor of New York. Miss McMillan is the daughter of Mrs. Gilbert McMillan, formerly of Detroit, and now of Riverside-on-Hudson, N. Y.

HOO[illegible] 1—PAG[illegible]EDICTS PROSPEROUS 1928 IN U. S. BUSINESS

Says Economic Stability Is Dominant.

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

Washington, D. C., Dec. 31.—[Special.]—Economic forces now dominant in the business world forecast continuation of American prosperity throughout 1928, in the opinion of Secretary of Commerce Hoover. In a statement issued today on business prospects for the new year, the secretary finds no indications of a prospective business slump.

According to Secretary Hoover, a survey of the business situation discloses ample credit at low interest rates, crops abundant, wages high, foreign trade steadily increasing, and industrial conditions sound.

Agriculture Still Lags.

As to particular industries, the secretary finds that agriculture, textiles, bituminous coal, and some metals still lag behind the others. He points out however, that the average price on nonagricultural goods has fallen during the last year while the average price of agricultural products has been somewhat higher.

"It may be said," Secretary Hoover said, "that there is an ample supply of credits at low rates, the somewhat larger stock of goods which were accumulated during the summer are being reduced, there is no consequential speculation in commodities, the crops have been abundant, wages are at a high level, and we are recovering from some partial unemployment, especially in the automobile industry.

Peace in Labor World.

"There is peace in most sections of the labor world except bituminous coal, there is more peace in the international world than at any time since the war, the foreign world is recovering its economic strength and buying power, therefore our foreign trade is steadily increasing. The phenomena usually accredited as premonitory of a slump are therefore absent.

"During last year there have been important shifts in our own economic world which have an important bearing upon the future.

"Manufacture and distribution have by savings and diminished profits accommodated themselves to this situation of decreasing prices without reduction in the average level of wages and therefore in the national buying power. But the great extent to which industry has accommodated itself to lower prices by decreased costs makes for a sounder condition for the ensuing year.

"Despite decreasing prices, production and consumption of manufactured commodities have been maintained on a high level as shown by car loadings of this class of goods, which have been about equal to those of last year.

"Taken in a broad sense we enter the new year with the forces of stability dominant in the business world."

SLASHES WRISTS IN JAIL.

John Gunderson, 43 years old, went to the Town Hall police station Friday night and asked for a place to sleep. Yesterday morning he was found on the floor, his wrists slashed with a piece of glass. His condition was said to be serious.

Two Youths Confess Slaying Slow Moving Holdup Victim

Two 17 year old colored youths yesterday confessed they murdered Morris Chames, 31 years old, a clerk for the Freemen Piano and Furniture company, 4504 South State street. Shames was shot last Wednesday in a holdup when he was slow in raising his hands. The shooting of John Cudema, 6448 South Morgan street, a vegetable peddler, during another holdup a month ago, was also admitted by the youths. They are Charles Pickett, 1724 South State street, and William Hendricks, 4554 South State street, who were arrested by Sergt. Chris Callahan when he recognized them from a description given by Shames before his death.

Steal Valuable Rug from Home of F. Edson White

Burglars entered the Lake Forest home of F. Edson White, president of Armour & Co., several days ago and escaped with a valuable Oriental rug, it was learned yesterday. Several years ago burglars looted the same home and Jack Durand, foster son of Scott Durand of Lake Bluff, is now serving a sentence of three to twenty years in the penitentiary for the crime.



CASTS PART OF SPECIAL TRANSIT SUBWAY LEVY

Hewitt Cites Caution of Bankers, Faherty.

BY OSCAR HEWITT.

The one power probably needed the most to give Chicago more and more rapid transportation is the unquestionable authority to levy special assessments for the purpose of constructing subways.

On the face of the record, however, such legislation is least needed. Mayor Thompson was quoted yesterday in THE TRIBUNE as saying: "I didn't ask him [Gov. Small] for any subway legislation. Corporation Counsel Ettelson's discovery eliminated the need for that."

The "discovery" is a legal opinion saying the city now has power to build subways by special assessments.

Lawyers Sometimes Differ.

Evidently the companies' lawyers were of the opinion that the city lacked that power, or that there was or might be some question regarding it, and so at the last session asked the legislature to grant the city that power. That means that leading local bankers, connected with the transportation companies, also had some doubt in their minds on this point, or held decidedly contrary views, as the state Supreme court has not ruled whether Chicago now has that power, according to the corporation counsel.

More specifically, this is the situation:

Under the opinion given to Mayor Thompson by Mr. Ettelson the city has the power to levy special assessments against the property specially benefited by a subway to pay for its cost. The opinion says the city can make these assessments payable over a stretch of 20 years, probably one-twentieth being paid each year. To build the subways contemplated an estimated cost of $30,000,000 is involved. The contractors who build the subways cannot and will not wait 20 years to get their pay. They must have cash to meet pay rolls, buy materials, and machinery.

Would Use City's Credit.

Therefore the city would issue anticipation warrants against the special assessments levied. That paper would be sold to get the cash to pay the contractors as they finished their work. It would be impossible to sell $30,000,000 worth of paper, or 60 per cent of that amount, except at ruinous discount, if the bankers doubted the validity of special assessments for subways. The bankers might be wrong on the law, but the marketability of the paper would be gone nevertheless. That condition will continue until the state Supreme court says the Ettelson opinion is correct.

No city official in the last 25 years has been as daring in proceeding with construction as Michael J. Faherty, president of the board of local improvements, but there is a limit beyond which he hesitates to go before a Supreme court decision settles the question of the city's authority.

Looks Like Old Stuff.

It may be suggested that Mr. Faherty, the transportation companies, and the leading bankers were unaware that the city legal department had made a "discovery."

Maj. Edgar B. Tolman, then corporation counsel under Mayor Carter Harrison gave an opinion June 30, 1902, holding that it was proper for the city to build subways by special assessments. The corporation counsel's office under Samuel A. Ettelson, during the previous Thompson administration, turned out a like opinion Nov. 17, 1915. That was written by Eugene H. Dupee and Harry F. Atwood.

Another opinion of like import was written Feb. 11, 1923, by Assistant Corporation Counsel Ralph I. Crandall during the Dever administration.

Another like opinion was written during the Dever régeme by William H. Sexton, a former corporation counsel under Harrison, and Stephen A. Foster and Jerome H. Frank.

Cite Former Opinions.

Now comes the latest opinion, under Mr. Ettelson again, which was written by William H. Sexton, Leon Hornstein and Joseph J. Thompson. These former opinions of the city law department are frankly referred to in the latest opinion of the corporation counsel.

That power appears to be questioned by the transit companies, by Mr. Faherty, and by interested bankers.

The council local transportation committee, by insisting on another so-called special assessment bill being prepared to present to a special session of the legislature, also has indicated a doubt.

If doubters' view is not correct, why hasn't the city started to build subways by special assessments? Samuel Insull has told the city twice that he would use the subways if they were built and he would pay a fair rental for them. On Sept. 27, 1924, Mr. Insull said to the city in writing: "If the city will construct such a subway with its own resources, the Chicago Rapid Transit company stands ready to enter into some fair arrangement—by way of rental or by division of earnings—for the use thereof in connection with its system."

Later an agreement was reached with the city council and mayor that yearly rental would be 6.7[illegible] per cent of the [illegible]

[illegible] Have Own Ideas.

It is surmised that Mayor Thompson's statement that the city needs no subway legislation is part of his further negotiations with Gov. Small. Mr. Thompson appeared before the legislature at its last session and gave the five bills, presented by the transportation companies, a boost. He said nothing then about the subway bill being useless. Several Chicago aldermen, representing the city council, also discussed the companies' bills before the senate, and none of them suggested that the subway bill was not needed.

In fact, the city council had a special session to propose amendments to the bills. One of the most important amendments—in the council's opinion—was to the subway bill.

All of the city's legal opinions saying the city can build subways by special assessments—except the last one, dated Dec. 29, 1927—were avialable at that time, and some of them were much more elaborate than the last one.

A Morning's Mail in Patriotic Game of Flags



The above photograph was taken in the receiving room in Tribune Tower just after a first mail had come in for the day. The girls are opening and sorting the entries in order to assist the judges who are to pick the winners of the $10,000 in cash prizes offered by The Tribune in the Patriotic Game of Flags. [TRIBUNE Photo.]

UNIVERSITY LIBRARY SYSTEM IS BRANDED AS SERIOUS BLUNDER

Lack of foresight and blunders on the part of both librarians and architects in planning university libraries and estimating their probable growth, has resulted in the university library being the one building on the campus which shows the largest percentage of failures in providing for the needs of a university, Frances Warner of the Iowa State college library at Ames, Ia., asserted yesterday in addressing the American Library association.

"Buildings have been erected," Miss Warner said at the conference at the Drake hotel, "that within fifteen years have proved unsuitable, and which could not even later be adapted for satisfactory use. The building at the University of Chicago, erected in 1911, and the library at Ohio State, erected in 1905, verify these statements.

"Possibly we university and college librarians have been at fault in our failure to present a manual of fundamentals in university library architecture, and in our failure to insist that the library be erected with these fundamentals in mind.

"Too often the main function of a library building is overlooked. In the case of a new building, the faculty thinks it desirable to have their offices there. Students demand auditoriums, exhibit rooms and class rooms.

"There is a consistent failure to estimate correctly the space needed for the library collections."

LITHUANIA BALKS AT POLISH PLAN FOR PEACE PACT

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

RIGA, Latvia, Dec. 31.—The efforts of Poland to induce Lithuania to open negotiations in Riga in the middle of January to close a peace treaty and prepare for the opening of communications between the two countries have failed. Premier Augustinas Waldemaras of Lithuania announced that a month's preparation is necessary before the conference can be held, and unless Poland agrees to return Vilna the present unofficial state of war may last indefinitely.

Lithuania's intention to sabotage the agreement recently signed at Geneva, under pressure from the league of nations, was confirmed by the Lithuanian premier's statement, in which he was said to have intimated that he was even skeptical about the inauguration of consular relations.

The attitude of the Lithuanians has awakened the anger of the Poles, who are rapidly proceeding with the organization of an independent Lithuanian army at the town of Lida, in the Vilna corridor. Some Lithuanians, who were promised sixty cents a day and a bonus of $20 to enroll in the army, have escaped and returned to Riga. They reported that the recruits are given Polish army uniforms with the insignia of the Lithuanian army, regulation Polish army pay and rations, and are drilled by Polish officers.

COATH ANSWERS HIS CRITICS WITH 'HAPPY NEW YEAR'

"Scandal mongers, poison pens, and character assassins never build a city," J. Lewis Coath, president of the school board, said yesterday in reply to members of the public schools emergency committee who, in a statement Friday, charged him with demoralizing the school system and usurping the powers of the superintendent.

"I'm highly amused at the flattery given me by my good Christian friends and brothers," Mr. Coath said. "But I wish them all a happy New Year, lots of health, and God's blessing."

The committee, an affiliation of civic organizations pledged to investigate school affairs, charged that Mr. Coath, "suffering from delusions of grandeur," was making a political organ of the schools.

From Far and Near

CITIES and towns in all parts of the United States as well as from the far corners of Canada are represented in the mail that is arriving hourly with entries for the Patriotic Game of Flags. Each week for fourteen weeks, beginning on Sept. 18 and ending on Dec. 18, a set of composite flags of three nations was printed in full colors in the rotogravure magazine section of THE SUNDAY TRIBUNE. Entrants were asked to cut apart the flags, put them together properly, and name them.

All entries must reach THE TRIBUNE by midnight of Jan. 8.

Although neatness and accuracy are two of the merits on which the judges' decisions will be based, many of the entries are not only neat, but ornamental as well.

shown above was one sent in by a woman who had devised an interesting game to be played with the flags after they had been put together. One contestant has written a bit of verse to go with each of the flags, the verse containing mention of the ruler over whose country the particular flag flies. Another has placed opposite each flag a tiny doll in the costume of the country.

There are entries from Montreal and Quebec and Winnipeg and Calgary. They come from north, east, south and west in the United States. Uncle Sam's mail sacks bulge with the work of the army of contestants striving for the $10,000 in cash prizes to be distributed.

Most Beautiful S. American Girl to Be Picked by Spain

MADRID, Dec. 31.—(AP)—A Hispano-American beauty contest will be held at the same time as the Spanish-American exposition in Seville, sponsored by the government. Each of the South American republics will be asked to select a representative beauty. The Spanish government will send a ship to bring the girls to Seville.

French Uncover Plans for Alsace-Lorraine Republic

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

PARIS, Dec. 31.—Complete plans for proclaiming Alsace-Lorraine a free republic were unearthed tonight by the French police, who continued the arrests of autonomist leaders.

Former King of Bulgaria Sails for South America

BREMEN, Germany, Dec. 31.—(AP)—Former King Ferdinand of Bulgaria sailed for Rio de Janeiro and Buenos Aires today aboard the steamship Sierra Morena. He visited the South American capital some thirty years ago.

HELD AS BAD CHECK WRITER.

Albert Davis, 24, of 1232 Carmen avenue, accused of having specialized in passing fraudulent checks while posing as an investigator for the state's attorney's office with the aid of a fire attorney's star, was arrested yesterday by Sergt. Roy Coutre.

MEXICO DENIES HERDING PRIESTS IN PRISON CAMPS

Official Makes Reply to Vatican Charge.

BY JOHN CORNYN.

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

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MEXICO CITY, Dec. 31.—"There are no concentration camps in Mexico like those the Spaniards maintained in Cuba before the liberation," a government official said today, in answer to statements issued by the vatican state department, following Pope Pius' reference to the mistreatment of priests and Sisters of Charity in alleged Mexican and Chinese concentration camps.

"In certain rebel districts it has been found necessary to clear out the inhabitants because the revolutionary bands not only lived in the towns, but were constantly informed of the movements of the Mexican army by dwellers in the towns," the official continued.

"When ordered out of the rebel-infested country the inhabitants were informed they might bo to specific towns and villages outside the area of rebel activities, but they were not obliged to go to specified places, as the only object of the order was to get them out of the area of rebel activities."

Allowed to Go Freely.

"Once in said towns no watch was kept on them. They might go where they pleased.

"As to priests, only those found carrying on anti-government propaganda were molested. Some were ordered to present themselves in certain specified larger cities and towns where they could be watched. Here they were allowed freedom and a place of residence, the only obligation being that they present themselves before the police authorities periodically. Virtually all these orders have been revoked and the priests are free to come and go when and where they please.

"No Concentration Camps."

"Even in the rebel districts no orders were issued for the concentration of priests in given centers of population. In other words, the military orders for depopulation in certain districts, for military purposes, did not distinguish priests from other Mexican citizens.

"Nowhere in Mexico are the people being guarded in concentration camps as was done during the latter days of the Spanish occupation in Cuba, because Mexico never has attempted to form concentration camps. The story from Rome is absolutely wrong because it is not founded on fact."

Report Catholic Plot Nipped.

The newspaper El Sol this afternoon publishes a long story of a projected Catholic uprising in Queretaro, capital of the state of Queretaro. According to El Sol, an extensive plot was discovered by government agents and the plotters were arrested. Papers were secured to show that the plotters had raised 2,500 men in the state with which to begin a new Catholic revolutionary movement. They had sent a revolutionary agent, according to El Sol, to the United States to obtain funds from the Catholics there. The agent also was arrested.

The plan of the plotters was to extend the insurrection rapidly through numerous states at the beginning of the new year, so as to make it difficult for government troops to follow all phases of the movement. Apparently all details of the plot were revealed by the documents seized and the names of the principal plotters are known. Among them are said to be a prominent lawyer and woman of the highest social standing in Queretaro.

El Sol says an agent sent to the United States to arrange for the buying and introduction into Mexico of arms and ammunition also was captured before he crossed the border.

RADIO CORPORATION BUYS INDEPENDENT WIRELESS COMPANY

New York, Dec. 31.—(AP)—The Radio Corporation of America announced today that it had purchased the assets and stations of the Independent Wireless Telegraph company.

A major result of the merger, officials of the company said, will be elimination of interference by marine coastal stations to broadcast listeners. It is expected also that better marine service to the benefit of ship owners will be made possible.

Spark transmitters of the Independent at New York, New London, Conn., and East Moriches, Long Island, will be replaced as soon as possible by modern tube transmitters.

ANOTHER PLANE STRUT FOUND IN OCEAN; WHOSE?

CHARLOTTETOWN, Prince Edward's Island, Dec. 31.—(AP)—A piece of debris, similar to an airplane strut and bearing the number A-1393, was picked up near Savage Harbor on Monday by four fishermen, who reported their find here today.

Fishermen here were inclined to the belief that the strut might be part of either Mrs. Frances Wilson Grayson's plane, the Dawn, or the ill-fated White Bird of Capt. Charles Nungesser and Francois Coli, French trans-Atlantic fliers, who disappeared last summer.

Not Grayson Plane.

New York, Dec. 31.—(AP)—The supposed airplane strut found by fishermen off the coast of Prince Edward Island today undoubtedly was not from the Frances Wilson Grayson's plane, the Dawn, Igor Sikorsky, builder of the plane, said tonight. The Dawn bore the number NS-1282, Mr. Sikorsky said, and explained that it was not customary to put numbers on the struts of airplanes.

NEGROES CONFESS ROBBERY.

Carbondale, Ill., Dec. 31.—[U. P.]—Coy Moody, 25, and Henry Johnson, 23, both colored, of St. Louis, were captured here today and confessed they robbed the J. Y. Walker Clothing store, according to Cadis Adams, acting chief of police.

D'ANNUNZIO'S WORKS BARRED BY ITALIAN BISHOP

CREMONA, Italy, Dec. 31.—(AP)—The literary works of Gabriele D'Annunzio are not for Catholics, Mgr. Vazzani of this diocese told a gathering of Catholics, and urged them to boycott the coming revival of D'Annunzio-poet plays.

"It is the civic duty of Italy," the prelate said, "to honor the poet-land in civilization and art, but to fall in silence their unworthy machinations.

"This is a word of order. I want to see how many and who are Catholic soldiers upon whom I can count."

France Probes Death of Five in Airplane Wreck

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

PARIS, Dec. 31.—The government tonight ordered a thorough investigation of the accident which caused the deaths of five aviators when the giant hydro-airplane they were testing crashed and fell on the aviation field near Marseilles at noon today, killing the entire crew instantly. Witnesses say one wing crumpled while the plane was 1,000 feet in the air. The bodies of the men were horribly mangled.

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Watson's Hat in ... Grand Juries

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. ... dial.]—Indiana's political ... over again on New Year's ... two grand juries reporting ... that may end in the pen... some politicians and Sena... Watson letting it be known ... headed for the White Hou... the May primary.

One grand jury, in the f... indicted Clyde Walb, chair... Republican state committ... charge of having knowingly ... securities which led to th... the First National bank of ... of which he was vice pr... last summer.

Suggest Continued I...

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Aided by Pec...

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Watson Fights Ge...

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NEW YEAR FINDS HOOSIERDOM IN POLITICAL FEVER

Watson's Hat in Ring; 2 Grand Juries Act.

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 31.—[Special.]—Indiana's political pot boiled over again on New Year's eve, with two grand juries reporting on scandals that may end in the penitentiary for some politicians and Senator James E. Watson letting it be known that he is headed for the White House race in the May primary.

One grand jury, in the federal court, indicted Clyde Walb, chairman of the Republican state committee, on the charge of having knowledge of forged securities which led to the failure of the First National bank of La Grange, of which he was vice president until last summer.

Suggest Continued Inquiry.

The Marion county grand jury, which has already indicted Gov. Ed Jackson, Mayor John Duvall of Indianapolis, and several other politicians, ended its long labors by returning an indictment against an unidentified person, recommending contempt citations against three others, and suggesting that the inquiry into political corruption be continued by the next grand jury. The shadow of D. C. Stephenson and the klan scandals still hang over the state.

Walb was indicted with Valentine Weaver, president of the bank. The securities involved were used as a backing for the Walb Construction company, of which Walb was president, and were among the bank's assets at a value of $76,000.

Aided by Pool.

Walb has already announced his retirement from the office of state chairman, where he has wielded a powerful influence for years. A $50,000 bond will take care of his financial troubles. He is rapidly organized by James E. Watson, rich, former governor. It was Mr. Goodrich who performed a similar service for former Gov. Warren T. McCray before the crash which sent him to the penitentiary.

In eliminating Walb from the political scene, the chief political interest now centers in the reorganization of the state committee. Goodrich is trying to get control of it in the interests of Herbert Hoover's candidacy for President. Senator Watson is seeking to prevent reorganization until next May.

Watson Fights Goodrich.

Senator Watson's entrance in the presidential primary race was made known after conferences in Chicago and Indianapolis. In 1924 he was a vice presidential candidate. His present move is taken as a decision to do his best to head off the Goodrich-Hoover campaign, which is formidable. He is indebted to friends of Vice President Dawes and presumably will throw his strength to Mr. Dawes or to Lowden as convention developments show the way.

Postmaster General New is aligned with the Goodrich group, which may decide to enter Everett Sanders, secretary to President Coolidge, in the governorship contest or against Senator Arthur Robinson, who must stand for renomination next spring.

Senator Watson was a witness today before the retiring grand jury. The nature of his testimony was not disclosed. Miss Adah Bush, for many years secretary to former Gov. McCray, was another witness.

Await His Arrest.

The one person indicted today was charged with being an accessory before the fact in attesting an affidavit. His name was ordered withheld pending arrest. He lives at Evansville, it is believed.

The three whom the jurors said should face contempt charges are John H. Kiplinger, Rushville attorney; Mildred Meade, former confidante of D. C. Stephenson, and L. G. Julian, former business associate of Stephenson.

The grand jury charged that Kiplinger had caused witnesses desired by the grand jury in the Stephenson case to leave the state. It recommended that William H. Remy, prosecuting attorney, prepare an information citing him for contempt.

Left the State.

The report also charged Miss Meade and Julian left the state with Kiplinger's connivance. The report further charged Kiplinger visited them while outside the state and supplied money to meet their expenses.

"The grand jury is of the opinion that there have been other law violations coming under the head of what is commonly called political corruption within the jurisdiction of this court," the jury's report said, "but such violations occurred more than two years before the grand jury was impaneled, and indictments would be barred by the statute of limitations unless the grand jury should further find that there had been an active concealment of the fact that such crime had been committed; and the grand jury, after fully investigating, did not find sufficient evidence of concealment to warrant the return of other indictments.

Ask Better Citizenship.

"We wish to suggest that our citizens should not depend on grand juries to correct evils of our community, but every real home loving person should at all times assume the responsibility of his own citizenship and exercise his rights at all elections, which will materially help in the selection of proper men for taking care of public offices, and finally we urge upon all good citizens that when called for jury service they render this duty of citizenship whole heartedly."

The grand jury asserted there has been much interference with witnesses in the inquiry, which has made it difficult to proceed.

"From the evidence presented to this grand jury, as well as former grand juries," the report said, "we are of the opinion that there has been considerable disposition on the part of others to interfere with this investigation. Witnesses have absented themselves and when found have been unwilling to testify, thereby greatly delaying and impeding the inquiry."

In regard to the Stephenson black boxes the report said:

"The grand jury reports to the court that we have examined all of the books, papers, writings, photographs, and memoranda that were delivered in the 'black boxes' and belonged to D. C. Stephenson, and such information does not, because of the statute of limitations, warrant further indictments."

INDICTED



CLYDE WALB.
[TRIBUNE Photo.]

WEDDINGS SLUMP TO LOWEST MARK OF LAST 5 YEARS

Fewer marriages were performed in Cook county during 1927 than in any year since 1922, records of County Clerk Robert M. Sweitzer disclose. The total of licenses to wed issued by his office during the twelve months that ended last night was 40,670, a slump from the 1926 total of 42,323. Louis C. Legner, chief of the marriage bureau, said unemployment is responsible for the falling off. The last seven years read:

1921	42,803	1924	42,299
1922	38,190	1925	40,877
1923	38,094	1926	42,323
		1927	40,670

1924 is a leap year. Clerks in the marriage license bureau said the opportunities for women to propose with propriety make little difference in the number of weddings and pointed to statistics to substantiate their statement.

CUPID LAGS IN NEW YORK.

New York, Dec. 31. — (AP) — Cupid's business here fell off in 1927, it was revealed when the marriage license bureau closed today. Licenses totaled 36,220. This was 793 less than last year.

IRA C. COPLEY BUYS ILLINOIS STATE JOURNAL

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 31.—[Special.]—S. Leigh Call and Will H. McConnell today announced the sale of the Illinois State Journal to Ira C. Copley of Aurora. The purchase price was not announced.

Call and McConnell retain the large printing plant they have been operating in connection with the newspaper. The paper's present staff is to be retained and Mr. Copley has announced no change in policy. He owns papers at Aurora, Joliet and Elgin.

The State Journal was established in 1831 and is the oldest paper of continuous publication in Illinois. It has an historic background. Originally a Whig paper, it became a Republican organ when the new party was established and has since been of that political faith. Abraham Lincoln was a contributor to the editorial columns during the period of his activity in local and state politics.

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—the *Studebaker Dictator*, which established new endurance and speed records for stock cars listing below $1400 by running 24 hours at an average of 61.795 m. p. h;

—the *Erskine Six*, the European type car which during 1927 invaded the export markets of the world with unprecedented success;

—the *new American Edition of the Erskine Six* now being introduced in the United States. In October this car established new 24-hour endurance and speed records for stock cars priced below $1000.

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U. S. Loses Many Thousands by Crooked Spies

Washington, D. C., Dec. 31.—[Special.]—Among the reports to be submitted to the house appropriations committee by Prohibition Commissioner James M. Doran next month will be one to indicate that only five dry agents have been dismissed from the federal service for perjury during the eight years of Volstead an. The same report will include a statement that only 23 agents have been ousted in the eight years for the submission of false statements to superiors.

No mention will be made in this report of "agents dismissed for cause" or the hundreds of agents all over the country who have been allowed to resign under fire or those eliminated from the pay roll by "reorganizations" which obviated the necessity of book records of their perfidy.

Framed by Crooked Agents.

The exact number of such cases is not known and of course no estimate can be made of the thousands of dollars lost to the government in the costs of prosecutions which have been abandoned when it was discovered that the alleged liquor law violators have been "framed" with faked evidence supported by the perjured statements of crooked agents.

All details of the cases of the 27 agents who have been dismissed for perjury or falsification of reports are closely guarded by the prohibition bureau and it is asserted that in these cases the perjury was not discovered until the trials based on the faked evidence were well under way.

Suspected as Falsifiers.

In scores of cases, however, it is asserted, agents have been exposed as perjurers and fakers before the innocent citizens were placed on trial, and rather than risk a public scandal the charges against the alleged violators have been quietly dropped and the crooked agents allowed to resign.

Frequent "reorganizations" of the prohibition service in recent years have provided an easy method to eliminate agents suspected of falsification but against whom there is insufficient evidence to warrant formal charges.

Even now special operatives assigned by Elmer L. Irey, chief of the treasury intelligence unit, are investigating charges that federal prohibition agents in Arizona have been swearing to false affidavits and forging search warrants to enforce the Volstead act in that district.

Scandal at Washington.

Washington itself was the scene of one of the more recent scandals which have attracted nation wide attention. Last July two "under cover" dry snoopers who had figured prominently in more than 200 liquor raids were trapped as perjurers and framers.

They immediately confessed their perjury and as a result 25 liquor cases based on their alleged evidence and set for trial the next day were nolle prossed by United States Attorney Peyton Gordon.

The two men, Charles D. Davis and Jesse J. Hall, were highly recommended to Maj. E. B. Hesse, superintendent of the metropolitan police, by Harry N. Douthitt, secretary of the Citizens' Service association, an organization of volunteer dry spies who pledged themselves to inform prohibition authorities or the police of liquor law violations by their neighbors.

Work on Reward Basis.

Employed on a "commission" or reward basis, the pair had phenomenal success in making "buys"—so phenomenal that the suspicion of the police was aroused. They finally were assigned one day to make a "buy" at a certain address which happened to be the home of one of the policemen, one of the most trusted members of the force. Davis and Hall, however, were told it was the home of "Danny Millis."

An inspector of police, with a captain and several citizen witnesses waited throughout the day for Davis and Hall to appear but their wait was in vain. Meanwhile the two had appeared at police headquarters, displaying a pint of whisky which they declared had been purchased from "Danny Mills" at the given address.

After they had sworn to warrants for the arrest of "Mills" they were themselves arrested and the confessions that they had framed scores of cases similarly followed.

Douthitt immediately disclaimed any connection with the two men but Maj. Hesse and other police officials asserted both Davis and Hall had been recommended by Douthitt.

Davis and Hall subsequently indicted for perjury were found guilty on Oct. 7. Davis was sentenced to serve two years in the penitentiary and fined $250, while Hall, also fined $250, was sent to prison for eighteen months.

A similar scandal, also involving a volunteer dry law enforcement organization, broke in Pittsburg on Nov. 17 when William L. King, then executive secretary of the Citizens' League of Pittsburgh, confessed that he was the leader in a gigantic plot to fake evidence against alleged liquor law violators.

As a result of the confessions nearly eighty cases which had been prepared for trial by the United States district attorney and which were based on the false affidavits and evidence had to be abandoned.

Instances in which state prohibition law enforcement agents or "undercover" men, tempted to make a "record" or working on a "fee" basis, have resorted to perjury and framed innocent citizens are almost numberless.

Dry Gets Prison Term.

One of the most recent cases reported was that of Melvin Fudge, an auto cover man employed by Taylorville, Ill., local authorities on a commission basis to ferret out Volstead law breakers. Fudge was sentenced to serve from one to fourteen years in the state penitentiary when he was convicted of perjury as a result of his testimony that he had purchased whisky on two occasions from James Corman, a prominent citizen of Pana, Ill.

Fudge, after making the charge before the grand jury, which refused to indict Corman, repudiated the statement and admitted he never had purchased whisky from Corman at any time.

"HERETIC" DIES



DR. A. S. CRAPSEY.

DR. A. S. CRAPSEY, NOTED HERETIC, IS DEAD AT 80

Rochester, N. Y., Dec. 31.—[Special.]—Algernon Sidney Crapsey, D. D., 80, author, lecturer, and former Episcopal clergyman, who styled himself the "last of the heretics," died today at his home here.

Dr. Crapsey's views on theology led to his expulsion from the Episcopal church in 1906. A year later he organized the Brotherhood for Social and Spiritual Work.

In 1924, while William Montgomery Brown, retired bishop of the Episcopal church, was facing trial for heresy Dr. Crapsey declared the council of bishops would not dare give Bishop Brown a real trial. A few days later Bishop Brown was convicted.

DEATH CLAIMS MORRIS JOSEPH IN PALESTINE

Morris Joseph, wealthy Chicago lumberman, died suddenly of heart disease on Friday while visiting his mother in Palestine, according to a telegram received yesterday by Judge Harry M. Fisher.

Mr. Joseph was 46 years old and a native of Dubuque, Ia. More than twenty years ago he came to Chicago and with his brothers, Samuel and Harry, formed the Joseph Brothers Lumber company. He was a director of the Covenant club and a member of the Bryn Mawr Country club.

Three months ago Mr. Joseph left for a long vacation with his mother. He is survived by his widow, three sons, and a daughter. The body will be brought to Chicago for burial.

Here's a Prize, Girls, for First Leap Year Proposal

Waukegan, which has gained a reputation as a marriage center because of the large number of Chicago elopers who choose the north shore city as a goal, yesterday offered an inducement to the first girl applying for a wedding license in 1928 who will admit she took advantage of the leap year and did the proposing. Her licenae will be issued without fee, County Clerk Lew Hendee announced yesterday, and Justice of the Peace Louis Eckstrand said he will perform the ceremony without cost to the couple.

Civil War Nurse Dies; Served at Gettysburg

Atlantic City, N. J., Dec. 31.—(AP)—One of the few remaining civil war nurses, Miss Cornelia Hancock, died at her home here today. She was born Feb. 9, 1840. During the civil war Miss Hancock spent months on the battle fields of Gettysburg and Fredericksburg.

NEW YEAR OPENS SCRAMBLE FOR G.O.P. DELEGATES

Primaries to Tell Hoover, Lowden Strength.

BY ARTHUR SEARS HENNING.
[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

Washington, D. C., Dec. 31.—[Special.]—With the beginning of the new year the contest for the Republican omination for president will become an active scramble for delegates on the part of the backers of Lowden and of Hoover, not to mention a number of favorite sons.

There will be spirited fighting between the rival candidates in some of the 17 presidential direct primary states, in which 499 of the 1,089 delegates in the convention will be selected, but the results will not shed much light upon the degree of popular favor attaching to each of the contestants.

It is not unlikely that Lowden will come out of the direct primaries with upwards of 100 delegates and Hoover somewhat less, while the remaining 300 or more will be split among favorite sons and uninstructed delegations.

There are two less direct presidential primary states this time than four years ago. Montana and North Calolina have repealed their presidential primary laws since the 1924 conventions. Whether Illinois is to select its 61 delegates to the Republican convention by the direct primary method is uncertain since the judicial jolt given its present law.

First Move in Illinois.

With Illinois retained in the list the calendar of presidential direct primaries follows:

Date.	State.	Number Delegates.
March 13	New Hampshire	11
March 20	North Dakota	15
April 3	Michigan	33
April 3	Wisconsin	26
April 10	Illinois	61
April 10	Nebraska	19
April 24	Massachusetts	39
April 24	Ohio	51
April 24	Pennsylvania	79
May 1	California	29
May 7	Maryland	19
May 8	Indiana	33
May 15	New Jersey	35
May 18	Oregon	15
May 22	South Dakota	13
May 29	West Virginia	19
June 5	Florida	10
Total		499

The first moves in the Presidential primary contests will be made in Illinois if that state retains the calendar of the present law which provides that nominating petitions of Presidential candidates shall be filed on Feb. 10 and the petitions of candidates for district delegates on Feb. 20. It may prove necessary in new legislation, however, to fix later dates for these processes in Illinois.

Hoover Is Favored.

In Illinois, the home state of Lowden, as in California, the home state of Hoover, candidatorial courtesy will prevail. Hoover will not be a candidate in the Illinois primary and Lowden will not enter the California primary. Whether Lowden will be opposed by any other candidate in Illinois remains to be seen. Mayor Thompson of Chicago is credited in some quarters with an itching to become a regular out and out America First and-down-with-King George candidate for President. The preference vote in Illinois under the present law is merely "advisory" of action by the Illinois delegation in the convention.

Hoover is expected to bag the first bunch of delegates in the Presidential primaries. He is a favorite in New Hampshire in which the first primary will be held.

Michigan Vote Is Significant.

North Dakota Republicans will declare their preference for President on March 20 and under the law of that state the delegation is bound to vote that preference. Lowden has considerable strength in North Dakota but radical Republicans, who dominate the state politically, are against him and intend to round up the delegation for Senator Norris of Nebraska.

The Hoover managers contemplate entering their candidate in the Michigan primary, which will be held on April 3. If Lowden, as well as Hoover, is entered in this primary the country will be treated to a spectacle of the first trial of conclusions between these major candidates for the nomination.

Will Vote for Norris.

There will be a desperate struggle in the Wisconsin primary on April 3 over the election of national convention delegates between the La Follette faction and the conservative Republicans. The La Follette leadership, which has been jolted of late, will be at stake. The Wisconsin delegation will be bound by the preference vote. The logical candidate of the La Follette faction will be Norris of Nebraska. If either Lowden or Hoover should get in on the other side, there would be a real battle of presidential candidates in Wisconsin for the first time since the elder La Follette pre-empted the rôle of Wisconsin favorite son close to two decades ago.

Nebraska presumably will vote its preference on April 10 for its senator, George W. Norris. There is strong Lowden sentiment in Nebraska but the Lowden forces in that state are disposed to go along with the program of making Norris the favorite son, taking precautions the while for the selection of delegates friendly to Lowden.

Willis Favorite Son.

Great interest will attach to the primary in Massachusetts on April 24. Under the Massachusetts law a candidate for delegate may declare his preference for president only if he has the written consent of the presidential candidate. Otherwise no presidential preference is voted. At that late stage of the pre-convention canvass 10 will be interesting to see whether either Hoover or Lowden or both get into the fight in Massachusetts or whether the influence of the Republican leadership in the president's home state contrives to send the delegation uninstructed or nominally for Gov. Fuller as a favorite son.

Senator Willis will be the favorite son of Ohio. He will be voted the preference of the state for president and under the Ohio law even the few delegates favorable to Speaker Longworth will be bound to vote for Willis in the convention.

Bullet Intended for Wife Kills Son; Shoots Self

Waterloo, Ia., Dec. 31.—(AP)—Turning his revolver on himself after the bullet he had intended for his wife struck and instantly killed his 12 year old son, Ernest, Walter Hauser, 46, today shot himself twice through the breast. Slight hope is held for his recovery.

FORMER PREMIER DIES.

ST. JOHNS, NF., Dec. 31.—(AP)—William Warren, a former premier of Newfoundland and recently a member of the Supreme court bench of the colony, died here today.

HOOVER IS ELIGIBLE FOR PRESIDENCY, IS OPINION OF BORAH

Washington, D. C., Dec. 31.—[Special.]—Senator Borah, chairman of the foreign relations committee, in a letter to William Hard, a newspaper man of this city, has expressed the belief Secretary Hoover is eligible for the presidency.

Senator Borah does not give an exhaustive legal opinion. He was requested to study the facts and the law in the matter and then state his view as to whether, as some have contended, Mr. Hoover, by reason of his residence abroad, is ineligible for the office.

The senator has come to the conclusion that Secretary Hoover at no time in any legal or constitutional sense lost his residence in the United States. Holding this opinion, he maintains there cannot be any question as to his eligibility. Senator Borah's opinion is given, he says, not as a supporter or opponent of Mr. Hoover, but purely as a legal proposition.

Vatican Abandons All Its Horse Vehicles for Autos

ROME, Dec. 31.—(AP)—The vatican will be completely motorized for the new year. Today was the last upon which horse drawn vehicles were to be seen in the gardens and grounds adjoining the apostolic palace. Until now the pontiff had retained a few coaches and other carriages for members of his suite, although he himself preferred automobiles.

DEATH NOTICES

In Memoriam.

HEINZEL—Herman C. Heinzel. In loving remembrance of our dearly beloved husband and father, who passed away one year ago today, Jan. 1, 1927.
LOVING WIFE AND CHILDREN.

HUNTER—In kind and loving remembrance of my dear son, Louis R. Hunter, who passed away five years ago today.
MOTHER.

JOHNER—Marie Johner. In fond memory of our loving wife and mother, who passed away one year ago today.
LOVING HUSBAND, SON, AND DAUGHTERS.

KELLER—Marie Keller. In memory of our mother, who passed away Jan. 1, 1927.
THE KELLER FAMILY.

ARREST BARES SOUTH CHICAGO BLACKMAIL PLOT

A plot to blackmail wealthy members of the Croatian colony in South Chicago was revealed yesterday by a police investigation following the arrest of Frank Hockavar, 30 years old, of Lemont, Ill. Hockavar was taken into custody when he picked up a package at 95th street and Avenue M which had been left as a decoy in response to a $10,000 blackmail demand on a woman.

Hockavar and Joseph Jerkovich, 44 years old, 225 East 91st street, are alleged to have written letters to several leading members of the Croatian colony. One of them was Mrs. Rose Zeberis, 9525 Avenue M. She notified police and Hockavar's arrest followed.

Jerkovich was arrested last week and the police learned, they said, that he had served sentence for extortion in Kansas City, Mo., Stillwater, Minn., and Folsom, Cal.

POLICE SUSPECT JEALOUS WOMAN SLEW ACTRESS

New York, Dec. 31.—(AP)—Detectives found a new clew today which led them to believe that Mrs. Emma Harrington, vaudeville actress, might have been killed by a woman and that jealousy might have been the motive.

A letter in a feminine hand was found, bearing a Detroit postmark, reminding Mrs. Harrington in extravagantly endearing terms of her friendship for the writer in the past and insisting that the actress spend the holidays in Detroit.

Police said that the letter gave weight to a previous suspicion that a woman might be the slayer, which arose when the autopsy showed that none of the blows on Mrs. Harrington's head had been sufficient to fracture the skull. The actress died from loss of blood from the wounds.

FLOGGING TRIALS POSTPONED TO AN INDEFINITE DATE

Birmingham, Ala., Dec. 31.—(AP)—An indefinite postponement of the Jefferson county flogging trials, scheduled for next Tuesday, was announced today by Attorney General Charlie C. McCall, after a conference with Solicitor James Davis.

The second postponement of the trials, originally set for Oct. 17, was made to await a decision from the Alabama Supreme court on the appeals of the first two defendants in the Cheonta flogging trials who were sentenced to ten years in prison for kidnaping.

DEATH NOTICES

In Memoriam.

LANG—Elizabeth Lang. In fond and loving memory of my mother's birthday, Jan. 1, 1928. Born Jan. 1, 1860. Died Feb. 14, 1923.
DAUGHTER ALICE.

MERSON—Florence Virginia Merson. In loving memory of Florence Virginia Merson who entered into eternal rest twenty years ago today.
MOTHER, FATHER, SISTER.

MONTEITH—Anna R. Monteith. In fond memory of my mother who passed away 5 years ago today. Your memory is as dear today as in the hour you passed away.
DAUGHTER MYRTLE.

MOORE—Mrs. J. R. Moore. In loving memory of
"He giveth His beloved sleep."
A FRIEND, AILEEN M. KELLEY.

Fraternal Notices.

KEE HIVE LODGE, NO. 909, A. F. & A. M. Jacob Kase. Funeral Monday, Jan. 2, 10 a. m., from chapel, 4437 Broadway. Interment at Waldheim. Members please attend.
SIDNEY A. ALEXANDER, Master.
JOSEPH A. HERRMAN, Secretary.

EQUITY CHAPTER, O. E. S. No. 707—Members please be notified that Sister Elizabeth Barrows passed away. Funeral Jan. 2, 1928, at 10:30 a. m., at residence, 3231 N. Karlov-av., 11 a. m., at St. Barnabas Episcopal church, 4345 Washington-blvd. Eastern Star services at chapel, 4617 W. Chicago-av., at 11:30 a. m.
FLORA WAGNER, W. M.
LOUISE ROBINSON, Secy.

FR. O'CONNOR COUNCIL, LADIES OF ISABELLA—Members please attend 9:30 mass, Our Lady of Mercy church, Monday, Jan. 2, 1928, Troy and Sunnyside, to pay respect to our deceased sister, Catherine Waller.
CATHERINE GARRY MEYER, Grand Lady.

LOGAN SQUARE LODGE, NO. 891, A. F. & A. M.—Edward H. Anderson. Assembly at lodge hall at 1 o'clock Monday, Jan. 2. Funeral at 2 o'clock from chapel at 4325 Fullerton-av. to Mount Emblem cemetery.
GEORGE L. BENSON, Master.
L. C. CRAMER, Secretary.

NORMAL PARK CHAPTER, NO. 211, O. E. S. Members please attend funeral of Sister Dorothy Z. Gordon Monday, Jan. 2, 1928, 1 p. m., at chapel, 63d-st. and Harvard-av.
DELLA BROWNING, Worthy Matron.

ADAMS—Mayward Rosalind Adams, wife of the late Edward A. Adams, at Minneapolis, Minn., Friday, Dec. 30, mother of Charles E. and George H. Adams, and Mrs. Walter S. Carr. Funeral private.

ALBRIGHT—Cassius M. Albright, Dec. 31, 3838 Gladys-av., husband of Minnie M. Albright, father of Beatrice and Ameta, brother of Mrs. Hattie Henderson and Mrs. Lena Rowley of Jackson, Mich. Funeral notice later.

ANDRESEN—Andrine Andresen, born in Drammen, Norway, Jan. 20, 1853; passed away Dec. 30 at 6:40 a. m. Beloved wife of the late Edwin, fond mother of Theowald of Berlin, N. H.; Mrs. Karen Sorensen, Mrs. Margaret Smith, Mrs. Marie Hook, Mrs. Ruth Bostrand, and Daniel Andresen, sister of Olava Mills of Hopkins, Mich.; Marie Hansen of Oslo, Norway; Anthony, Carl, and Jorgen Torgerson. Funeral from daughter's home, 7431 Ingleside-av., Monday, Jan. 2, 1928, at 2 p. m. Interment Oak Hill cemetery.

BACKEY—Olga Backey, beloved daughter of Clara and the late Olof Backey, fond sister of Charles, Arthur, Mrs. Bertha Schuls, Mrs. Ellen Scanlon, and the late Clarence Backey. Funeral Monday, Jan. 2, at 2 p. m., from late residence, 3130 Cuyler-av. Interment Rosehill cemetery.

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DEATH NOTICES

RAGHMANN—Fred J. Raghmann, of 2606 Central Park-av., Evanston, suddenly, aged 61 years. Husband of Mae Raghmann and father of Fred J. Jr. Masonic services will be held Tuesday, 3 p. m., at Memorial Park cemetery chapel, Evanston. Member of Park lodge No. 643, A. F. & A. M.

BERRY—Benjamin W. Berry, beloved husband of Priscilla Berry, fond father of Reginald W. Berry, 2040 N. Clark-st. Services at chapel, 2219 Lincoln-av., Monday, 1:30 p. m. Burial private.

BOYD—Mary A. Boyd, wife of the late Thomas G. Boyd, mother of Elizabeth, James R., Mrs. Charles R. Stevens, Mrs. George K. Ferris, and Thomas L. Boyd. Funeral from her residence, 7258 Oglesby-av., Tuesday, at 2 p. m. Interment Oakwoods.

BROOKS—Alfred Brooks, Dec. 31, 1927, beloved husband of Anna L. Brooks, father of Harold, Robert, Ruth, and Alfred. Services at residence, 6050 Eggleston-av., Tuesday, Jan. 3, at 2 p. m. Interment Mount Hope. Member of Banner Blue lodge No. 924, A. F. & A. M.

CODY—Patrick Cody, Dec. 29, 1927, loving husband of Bridget, nee Gilney, fond father of Feltz, Mrs. Isabelle Tansey, Edward, Honore, Margaret, Joseph, Peter, Arthur, John, Rita, Marcella, brother of Mrs. Nora McCullom and the late Edward and Felix Cody. Funeral from his late residence, 7715 S. Laflin-st., Monday, Jan. 2, at 8:30 a. m., to St. Sabina's church. Interment Holy Sepulchre cemetery. For information call Prospect 9071.

COHEN—Fannie Deborah Cohen, age 77, late of 4749 N. Monticello-av., mother of Philip, Nathan, Isaac, Jacob, and Louis, Mrs. A. Rosenberg, Mrs. A. Harris, Mrs. George B. Friend and Mrs. S. Goldstein. Funeral Monday, Jan. 2, at 12:30 p. m., from chapel, 4036 Broadway. Interment at Waldheim. Please omit flowers.

CONNORS—Henry T. Connors, ex-officer, beloved husband of Delia, nee Mulvihill; father of Thomas J., Mrs. May Reavely, Delia, Michael, late Honora, James P., and Henry T.; brother of Thomas Connors, brother-in-law of Michael J. Muivihill. Funeral Monday, Jan. 2, at 9:30 a. m., from late residence, 7948 St. Lawrence-av., to St. Dorothy's church. Interment Mount Olivet. Member of St. Dorothy's Holy Name society. For reservations call Yards 0663.

COWGILL—Mrs. Mildred A. Cowgill, widow of the late Frank S., at Anchorage, Ky., Dec. 30. Funeral Springfield, Ill., Sunday, Jan. 1.

DALY—John Daly, beloved husband of the late Mary, nee Ryan, fond father of Thomas and the late John. Funeral Tuesday at 9 a. m. from late residence, 2127 W. Gutter-st., to St. Pius church. Interment Mount Olivet. Member of St. Francis Court, No. 54, C. O. F. Please omit flowers. Canal 4810.

DISCHINGER—Frances Hertzaney Dischinger, aged 43 years, beloved wife of Fred J. Dischinger, fond mother of Willibald, Ruth and Marian, sister of Richard Wensky. Funeral Monday, Jan. 2, at 1:30 p. m., from late residence, 6045 S. Peoria-st., thence to St. Luke's church, 62d and Green-sts. Interment Mount Greenwood cemetery.

FRIENT—Florence Friend, late of 6627 Greenwood-av., beloved daughter of Mrs. Ellen Friend, sister of Neil, Madge, Kenneth and Mrs. Olive Davis. Funeral from chapel 6535 Cottage Grove-ave., Monday, 9 a. m., to Holy Cross church. Burial Holy Sepulchre.

GATHEMANN—Ludwig A. D. Gathemann, Dec. 30, late of 4606 N. Leavitt-st., beloved husband of Amelia Gathemann, nee Dinklage, father of Hermann, Adolph A., Louis, William, Charles, and the late Mrs. Marie Berger. Funeral Monday, 2 p. m., from chapel, 3176 N. Clark. Interment Rosehill.

GAUGHAN—Michael Gaughan, Dec. 29, dearly beloved son of William and Mary, nee Lyon. Funeral Monday, at 9 a. m., from late residence, 1254 W. 72nd-pl., to St. Brendan's church. Interment at Holy Sepulchre. For reservations, Yards 0703.

GENTY—Thomas J. Genty, beloved husband of the late Helen Genty, of 3040 Lexington-st., fond father of Mrs. Winnefred McKay, Frank J. Genty, Mrs. Helen Delaney, and Thomas J. Genty. Funeral notice later.

GRUNER—Henry J. Gruner, Dec. 31, resident of 1161 E. 67th-pl., son of the late Susan, brother of Mrs. F. J. McCormack, William, Albert, and Charles. Funeral Tuesday, 9:30 a. m., from chapel, 3110 Cottage Grove-av., to St. Clara's church. Interment St. Boniface. Phone Fairfax 2361.

HARAN—Mollie Haran, Dec. 31, 1927, daughter of the late Edward and Mary Haran of Westport, Ireland. Beloved sister of Catherine Haran and Edward of New York, John, Michael, and Patrick, of Westport, Ireland. Funeral from late residence, 4 N. State-st., Monday, at 9:30 a. m., to Holy Name cathedral. Interment All Saints'.

HASSETT—Officer Stephen W. Hassett, beloved husband of Lillian Hanrahan Hassett, fond father of William J., George E., Lillian, and the late John, brother of John Hassett, at his residence, 1821 S. Peoria-st. Funeral Monday, January 2, at 9 a. m., Sacred Heart church. Interment Mount Carmel. Member Policemen's Benevolent association. Phone Canal 0041.

HENNINGS—Catherine Hennings, nee Callahan, beloved wife of the late Oscar Hennings, fond sister of John Callahan, at residence, 4721 N. Kenton-av. Funeral Monday, at 10 a. m., to St. Edward's church. Antos to cemetery.

HERRICK—James P. Herrick, suddenly, Dec. 31, 1927, fond brother of Lena, Margaret, and Aitken, and William Herrick. Remains will lie in state at chapel, 2701 N. Clark-st., until Monday evening. Interment Newport, N. H.

IRVING—Forrest Irving, Dec. 31, late of 5015 N. Ashland-av. Funeral Tuesday, Jan. 3, 2 p. m., from chapel, 923 Belmont-av. Interment Montrose.

JAUCH—Hattie Jauch, nee Trapp, Dec. 29, aged 44 years, late of 3520 N. Seeley-av., beloved wife of William Jauch, fond mother of Evelyn, Harold, Harriet, La Verne, William Jr., and the late Myrtle, daughter of William Trapp, sister of Mrs. Fahrenbach and Mrs. Holdsmar. Funeral Monday, Jan. 2, at 2:30 p. m., from chapel, 2056-58 Belmont-av., to St. Lucas cemetery.

JOHNSON—Clara Johnson, beloved wife of August Johnson, devoted mother of Charles, Mrs. Anna Meyers and the late Albert Johnson. Funeral Tuesday, Jan. 3, at 2 p. m., from chapel, 3150 Harrison-st. Interment Woodlawn.

KANE—Thomas Kane, Dec. 29, aged 45 years. Funeral from chapel, 913 Madison-st., Tuesday, Jan. 3 at 9 a. m. Interment Mount Carmel.

KASE—Jacob Kase, 4430 W. Montrose-av., beloved husband of Flora, fond father of Ida Friedman, Bertha Friedman, Ethel, Lillian, Frances, David, and Ben Kase, brother of Edith and Louis, grandfather of Seymour, Shirley and Thelma Friedman and Lois Mae Kase. Funeral from chapel, 4447 Broadway, Monday, Jan. 2, 10 a. m. Please omit flowers.

KELLY—Elizabeth Kelly, nee Bradken, Dec. 30, widow of the late Timothy and fond mother of Edward, Lawrence, John, Timothy, and James Kelly, Mrs. Edward Cheverley, and Mrs. John Flynn, and sister of Daniel Bracken, Mrs. Charles Casey, Mrs. Owen Mitchell, and Mrs. John Crocker. Funeral Tuesday, at 9:30 a. m., at daughter's residence, 5600 La Salle-st., to St. Gabriel's church. Interment at Mount Olivet. For reservations, Yards 0703.

LINDBERG—Ida Mary Lindberg, of 7235 Cottage Grove-av., beloved wife of Peter Lindberg; 3 sisters and 2 brothers also survive. Funeral Tuesday, Jan. 3, at 3 p. m., from chapel, 7350 Cottage Grove-av. Interment Oakwoods. Phone Stewart 0076.

LINDER—Frank J. Linder, beloved husband of the late Clara, devoted father of Mrs. Florence Cadmen, Ray B., and the late Frank and Edwin, son of the late Bartholomew and Barbara, brother of Mrs. Mary B. Weina and Mrs. Anna Styx. Funeral Monday at 8:45 a. m., from late residence, 7254 Calumet-av., to St. Columbanus church where solemn requiem high mass will be celebrated. Interment St. Adalbert's. Phone Stewart 1003.

LITTLE—Russell Little, Dec. 31, 1927, beloved son of Christine Lyons, brother of William. Funeral at the late home, 3597 Princeton-av., Tuesday at 2 p. m. Interment Forest Home.

LONG—Bennie Long, at residence, 3237 Foltz-st., beloved daughter of the late Thomas and Hannah Long, sister of Mary and Mrs. W. J. Whitcomb. Funeral Monday, Jan. 2, at Maple Grove, Wis. Requiem high mass at St. Patrick's church.

LUCE—Johanna Luce, wife of the late Levi, mother of Mayme Wale, Elsie Carty, Gertrude Piper, Geraldine Runlap, and the late James Luce. Member of St. Ann's Sodality and St. Ann's court, No. 7, C. O. F. Funeral Tuesday, from 4415 Princeton-av., to St. Ann's church. Interment Mount Olivet. Members of Sodality and W. C. O. F. will assemble at above address Monday at 3 p. m.

MALCHER—Lee M. Malcher, at late residence, 2216 Estes-av., beloved husband of Clara Puchtmann Malcher, fond father of Robert, Pauline Warner, and Jean, brother of Otto, Mrs. Wm. Schlosser, Mrs. Mary Aichholzer, and Mrs. Samuel Carlin. Funeral Monday, 1:30 p. m., from residence. Interment Memorial Park cemetery.

MALINOWSKI—Louis J. Malinowski, Dec. 29, 1927, beloved husband of Elizabeth, nee Kane, fond father of Adam, Mrs. Vera Henry, Mrs. Evelyn Gross, Mrs. Ethel Helgerson, and Raymond. Funeral Monday, Jan. 2, at 9 a. m., from late residence, 4748 N. Avers-av., to St. Hedwig's church. Interment All Saints cemetery.

MENTGEN—Elizabeth Mentgen, beloved wife of John Mentgen, mother of Matthew Schweitzer. For information call Huntington 6930.

McKEOGH—Michael McKeogh, Dec. 29, beloved husband of Grace, nee Williams. Funeral Monday, Jan. 2, at 10 a. m., from residence, 1139 N. Mansfield-av., to St. Angela church. Requiem high mass at 10:30 a. m. Interment Mount Carmel. Member of Policemen's Benevolent association and Unity Ct., C. O. F. Native of Crazy-Newport, Tipperary, Ireland. Boulevard 8825.

McMAHON—Michael McMahon, formerly of Frisco. Beloved husband of Catherine, father of Mrs. Julia O'Connell, Roger, Hattie, and May. Funeral Tuesday, Jan. 3, from his residence, 10636 S. Oakley-av., to St. James church, 8:30. Burial Holy Sepulchre cemetery. Please omit flowers. For information call Victory 1154.

McNUTT—Ida C. McNutt, of 220 Wisconsin-st. Funeral from chapel, 3237 North-av., Tuesday, at 1:30 p. m. Interment Fort Ridge.

NEWMAN—Louise Newman, nee Chamberlain, beloved wife of Daniel Newman, dear sister of Joseph Camarello, dear sister of Joseph B., Charles J., Mrs. A. Carparaso, Mrs. Walter J. Fisher, Mrs. J. De Mariano, and the late Mrs. Daniel J. Kearns. Funeral Monday, Jan. 2, at 9:30 a. m., from her home, 5544 Jackson-blvd., to Our Lady of Sorrows church, where solemn requiem high mass will be celebrated at 10 a. m. Interment Calvary. Member of Association court, No. 49, W. C. O. F.

NOSEK—Clara Nosek, nee Jasow, beloved wife of Anton, mother of Clara, fond daughter of Louis and Rose Jasow, sister of Louis. Funeral Monday, 2 p. m., from 7017 W. 26th-pl., Berwyn, Ill. Burial at Woodlawn.

PARDOE—Ann Pardoe, 4548 Richmond, Dec. 30, 1927, wife of the late Charles Pardoe, mother of Mrs. Joe Clark, Mrs. W. Rosenbaum, Mrs. M. Stanley, Mrs. J. Lawrence, Charles, Edwin, and Arthur Pardoe. Services at chapel, 63d and Harvard. Monday, Jan. 2, at 11 a. m. Interment Mount Hope.

PETERSON—Andrew Peterson, 4146 Ridgeav., beloved husband of Augusta, fond father of Harry and Voltaire. Services from funeral home, 3918-20 Irving Park-blvd., Tuesday, Jan. 3, at 2 p. m. Interment Mount Olivet cemetery.

PRINCE—Ida Prince, Dec. 31, age 55 years, beloved mother of Joe, Clarence, Harry, Leo, Mrs. Edna Brands, Mrs. Lillian Bell, Mrs. Betty Zimmerman. Funeral service at 10 o'clock Monday morning, as chapel, 5151 W. Roosevelt-rd., to Waldheim cemetery.

RANDOLPH—Harlan F. Randolph, age 34 years, beloved husband of Mary H., son of Broderick, fond son of Smith and Mary J. Randolph. Remains at residence, 4830 Adams-st., until Monday morning, Jan. 2. Interment Danville, Ill.

REEKIE—John Reekie, beloved husband of Anna, father of Mrs. B. N. Neake, James J., John J., Mrs. J. Murray, and Barbara. Funeral Tuesday, 9 a. m., from late residence, 6535 Bishop-st. Interment Resurrection.

REIL—Hazel Reil, nee Hayes, beloved wife of Richard Reil, dear daughter of John and Olga, nee Tripp; fond sister of Harold and the late Pearl. Funeral Tuesday, Jan. 3, at 2 p. m., from chapel, 3905 Lincoln-av. Interment Acacia Park.

ROGERS—Mary Rogers, beloved wife of the late Alexander, mother of May and Mrs. Florence Perkowitz, late of 823 W. 65th-st. Funeral Monday at 9:30 a. m., from her home, 5433 S. Halsted, to Visitation church. Interment Mount Olivet. For reservations call Yards 0662.

ROSANOWSKE—Julius Rosanowske, fond father of Max, Mrs. Hazel Conerd, Mrs. Alma Sweeney and Alfred Rosanowske, grandfather of five grandchildren. Funeral from 3160 Irving Park-blvd., Monday, at 2 p. m.; interment Irving Park Boulevard cemetery.

SABATKA—Marie Sabatka, Dec. 29, 1927, beloved wife of Joseph, fond mother of Marie Setterling, Joseph, Edward, Master of Chancery, Frances Kay, Mrs. Ruth O'Connor, Mrs. Dorothy Mondrzak, Mrs. Mary Ann Sabatka, Mrs. Rose Sabatka, Mrs. Helen Sabatka, Mrs. Lillian Sabatka, Mrs. Virginia Sabatka, Mrs. Jane Sabatka, Mrs. Eleanor Sabatka, Mrs. Frances Sabatka, Mrs. Dorothy Sabatka, Mrs. Alice Sabatka, Mrs. Ann Sabatka, Mrs. Irene Sabatka, Mrs. Mary Sabatka, Mrs. Helen Sabatka, Mrs. Rose

ILLINOIS COAL MEN, MINERS IN ECONOMIC JAM

Industry Periled by Low Pay in Other Fields.

BY PHILIP KINSLEY.
[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 31.—[Special.]—"The rate of pay of Illinois coal miners is fixed in such a way as to enable the Illinois operators to compete on fair terms with those of Indiana, Ohio, Pennsylvania and other portions of the country.

"It is impossible to maintain wages in a given industry above wages in other sections of the same trade, but this merely emphasizes the necessity of more complete and general organization."

—JOHN MITCHELL in "Organized Labor."

Unless the policy outlined above by the late John Mitchell, leader of the United Mine Workers of America, is carried into new contracts this spring in Illinois, the operators of most of the mines will shut down, and this state will be faced with a new industrial conflict, union men split, pay rolls lost, and the coal business in chaos.

Uneven Wage Conditions.

With these possibilities in mind, both organizations of labor and capital are bending every sincere effort these days toward finding a peaceful way out of the difficult situation which exists as a result of the uneven wage conditions in the central competitive field.

Illinois miners and operators are caught in an economic jam. They have been struggling for three years to find a way out, still paying higher wages than their competitors, but it has come at last to the turning point. They cannot continue this scale and survive.

With freight rates spread unevenly with regard to the coal business, with the great industries buying their coal at the lowest price, without regard to the welfare of Illinois mines and miners, the operators have found it impossible to go on paying the Jacksonville wage scale and have decided to have a showdown in 1928.

Fear Backward Step.

For the union miners the situation has a tragic aspect, not only on account of the lower wages which the situation seems to demand, but because of the basic principle, or policy, involved, that they must take "no backward step" in their long fight for better living conditions. Yet strategy, the survival of the union, may demand just this.

The principle is so vital, from the miners' standpoint, that it may be necessary for the national membership to vote on it before the Illinois members are permitted to make such concessions in the new contract which must be signed by April first.

This referendum, with acceptance by the miners of a scale which the operators can afford to pay, remains the only peaceful way out, but it is a way which at this writing seems quite possible of achievement.

Might Try Open Shop.

If this fails, however, and the miners refuse to accept what is offered, an attempt will be made to open the mines without the sanction of the union, asking the individual miners to come back. If this succeeds it means the breakup of the United Mine Workers of Illinois.

There is no chance of a labor war here, as in Pennsylvania, where the strike of the miners has been broken by the importation of nonunion workers, chiefly Negroes from the southern field.

The Illinois Mine Workers are strongly entrenched politically. There is a law in this state which makes it impossible for a miner to get a job unless he has a certificate as an experienced man. The board of examiners is controlled by the union, and no one goes to work without a union card.

No Outside of State Miners.

Therefore there could be no influx of outside nonunion labor here. The operators in any effort to override the decision of the union officials would have to depend on men with union cards who chose to go to work at a lower scale rather than remain out of work for a big scale.

There is a possibility of an effort by the operators to test the miners' certificate law in the courts. All these possibilities, however, remain remotely in the picture at present. There is or will be peace between the Illinois employers and their miners. Unless the national body interferes, refuses to permit the men to sign an acceptable contract, such peace will be found.

The policy of President John L. Lewis, in all the trouble in the bituminous fields has been "no step backward in wages." The vice president, Phillip Murray, who is in charge of the lost union cause in Pentsylvania, has reiterated this same slogan. The policy committee of the national organization, however, may be induced to take a new tack, particularly in view of the storms of last year, in which the union ship has been severely battered.

All Dispute to Arbitration.

The policy of the Illinois union is to submit every disputed point to arbitration. In this lies the hope of the present. The so-called "truce" agreement in Illinois, which went into effect last October with the Jacksonville scale carried intact, expires on April 1. In the meantime a joint wage commission made up of two miners and two operators have been trying to get at the facts and reach an agreement. Each side must have all its evidence in by Jan. 1.

On Feb. 7 the commission will report its findings to the joint conference of Illinois operators and miners in Chicago. What will happen then is a matter of speculation. It is assumed that the two miners' representatives Harry Fishwick, president of the Illinois miners; Senator W. J. Sneed, of Herrin, vice president, and the representatives of the operators, Rice Miller, president and Herman Perry, vice president, will fail to reach an agreement on the basic issue, the lowering of the scale. The agreement entered into last October carries this clause:

"To facilitate agreement upon disputed points the commission may enlarge its number to five, in which case a majority vote shall be binding."

Fifth Man an Arbitrator.

This fifth man if selected virtually would become the arbitrator of the great issue and it is on the assumption that he would be forced by economic facts to find at least partially for the operators that a program of a referendum to the miners themselves had been suggested.

The Illinois operators are relying on the fair mindedness of the miners. There is no effort or wish to break the union in this state, although the decision of the operators to make a final stand has no doubt been influenced by the success of the great employers of the Pittsburgh district in producing coal without the union help.

Regarded as First Major Test.

The commission's effort is regarded by the operators as the first real major test of the sincerity of intent and purpose on the part of both operators and miners that has been undertaken in the coal producing industry in 10 years of joint, collective bargaining in Illinois.

President Miller expressed the attitude of the operators at the time the commission went to work, hoping that it would recommend "such changes as are found necessary to establish the economic parity of Illinois mines with other coal producing districts with which Illinois must compete."

The operators feel that the adjustment of the wage scale which will permit the mines to remain open would be to the best interest of all in the industry and to the general public of Illinois.

Half a million persons in Illinois are dependent on the coal industry. The pay roll runs as high as seventy-five millions a year. It is said that fifty millions a year has been lost to the miners during the last few years.

The miners have a war chest. This is the tightest union field in the county, the chief stronghold left to the United Mine Workers. They are in a dilemma which calls for the wisest kind of leadership. The United Mine Workers of America may remain a national force or may find its slow doom as a result of this Illinois decision of the next few months. Many Illinois mines have failed to open, even under the truce agreement.

Ways Out of Dufficulty.

There are ways out of the difficulty other than a wage reduction suggested by the union leaders, but as they bear no hope of immediate relief and are questionable in law, the operators have taken their stand on this one major necessity. Their position might be reviewed in volumes, but it is found in a nutshell in current market quotations of the prices of coal.

Many big industries, including some railroads in Chicago, are using Kentucky coal. Why? In the current quotations for Chicago and central western markets, which is the natural market for Illinois coal, figures are found for f. o. b. the mines. Southern Illinois, Franklin, Williamson, and Saline counties, mine run, $2.50; western Kentucky mine run, $1.05 to $1.15.

Adding the freight rates from western Kentucky, this coal can be delivered at Chicago at a dollar a ton lower than Illinois coal. This differential runs through all the grades. Western Kentucky produces at a lower cost largely because its wage scale is nonunion.

Loses Great Market.

The East St. Louis manufacturing district is the logical market for Illinois coal. The freight rate from the Kentucky and Illinois fields gives only a 45 cent differential in favor of Illinois, and as coal is produced so much cheaper in the south, Illinois has lost much of this great market.

The situation in which the operators paying the Jacksonville scale find themselves is expressed by Frank E. Tapian, head of the North America Coal corporation of Cleveland, in a recent letter to Secretary of Labor Davis. He said:

"No conference can reach a solution of the wage problem without considering the market price of coal. The operators have no way of controlling the market price of coal. The government has no way of supervising either price or output, nor has the miners' union any such power.

"Mr. Lewis injured the miners last spring by the unwise strike to enforce an impossible demand, and he and his associates are alone responsible for the miners' present situation."

Open Shop in Five States.

Caught in the east by the new open shop mines of Ohio and Pennsylvania, and in the south by Kentucky, West Virginia, and southern Indiana, Illinois is in the situation which John Mitchell foresaw years ago when he made his plea for complete organization of the miners. The miners have failed to do this. Southern Negro labor has largely blocked it. Out of this situation, besides lower wages, the union leaders see a hope in a zoned freight plan enforced by the interstate commerce commission which would give to each field its logical market and at the same time stand behind present union wages.

Back of this is the basic situation in the country where there is a potential coal production of a billion tons a year, with consumption at one-half of this. It has become a cutthroat game among the operators in various fields. National legislation is afar off. The President has given the miners a cold shoulder by telling them to find some other occupation, as there are too many of them.

In a national way the miners are looking for some action this spring by party leaders that will aid their cause and keep the strike situation out of presidential politics.

In the meantime, with markets on the wane, there is a movement in the union to force merchants and manufacturers into the use of Illinois coal by the boycott.

"Buy Illinois coal," is the slogan, and union men are finding out where coal is purchased before giving their patronage.

FIREMAN FATALLY INJURED.

Cedar Rapids, Ia., Dec. 31.—(AP)—Manuel G. Vlach, 56, city fireman, died today from injuries received in a fire which last night destroyed the Hatch-Brookman Lumber company office. The loss was estimated at $150,000.

War Days Revived



JOSEPH P. STRAUB.
[TRIBUNE Photo.]

JOSEPH P. STRAUB, a printer in the composing room of THE TRIBUNE, was assisting in the "makeup" of the rotogravure section for this Sunday's issue when he discovered that he was the central figure in the photograph, "The Day Before Christmas in Luxemburg" [page five].

"I'm the one with the pole," said Straub. "We were stringing telephone wires that day in the little town, and I recall how Sergt. Jackson asked me to 'hold still a minute.' The plates were sent on to Paris and none of us had a chance to see the prints. But here I am, now—nine years later—setting up the lines to go under my own picture. I also remember the scene of the dinner, shown beneath the Diekirch street picture, but am not in the particular group. We had two names for everything on the menu that day. Our other name for coffee was 'mustard gas.'"

Straub recalls Diekirch as a town of about a thousand inhabitants and a brewery. He says his company was stationed there for four months.

POLICY OF CIVIL SERVICE BOARD IS UNDER FIRE

Horan Says War Vets Are Being Cheated.

An investigation by the city council of the civil service commission was threatened yesterday by Ald. Albert J. Horan [29th], who charged that the rights of war veterans had been ignored in the recent examination to select new police sergeants. While the list of sergeants was under fire Chief Michael Hughes announced the appointment of three veteran police lieutenants to captaincies.

A list of candidates and their ratings in the examination was posted last Monday by the commission. On the same day Chief Hughes issued an order promoting 39 at the top of the list to fill sergeant vacancies.

Several Rated Promotions.

Under the state law, however, exsoldiers are allowed .5 of a point on their grades for each six months of service in the army, Ald. Horan, himself a war veteran, pointed out. A maximum of 1.8 points is allowed, he said. Several men near the top of the list but below the first 39 would have been promoted, Ald. Horan believes, had they been given the extra points.

He contends that after the grades are published that the war veterans taking the examinations should be given time to qualify for additional points by presenting their credentials. In the case of the 39, they were made sergeants thirty minutes after the names were posted, without allowing veterans lower in the list to obtain proper credit.

Defends Commission's Acts.

Thomas J. Houston, head of the commission, denied that there was anything wrong with the procedure. Chief Hughes, he said, "apparently needed the sergeants at once, and we didn't have time to go out and round up all the ex-soldiers to get them in. They can try again for promotion in March."

The three new police captains will fill vacancies to be created by the same number of existing captains to deputy commissionerships under the proposed plan of Chief Hughes. The project awaits authorization by the city council, which is expected soon.

Lieuts. John P. Ryan, Thomas Kilroy and Willard Malone were the men advanced in rank. Ryan has won creditable mention forty times in the past, and has killed three burglars. All are veterans on the force.

SON-IN-LAW FILES NEW SUIT AGAINST PICK

Archibald L. Lynne, vice president of the Elevator Company of America, yesterday filed a replevin suit against his father-in-law, Albert Pick, hotel supply man, seeking to recover furniture the defendant is alleged to have moved from the Lynne home in Winnetka after Mrs. Pauline Pick Lynne, the plaintiff's estranged wife, left her husband a few weeks ago. She is suing for divorce and Mr. Lynne has an alienation of affection suit pending against Mr. Pick. The furniture is valued at approximately $15,000, according to Attorney C. B. Heffenberg, representing Mr. Lynne.

Remus Asks Rehearing to Test His Sanity

Cincinnati, O., Dec. 31.—[U. P.]—Motion for a new hearing on George Remus' sanity was filed today in Probate court by Remus' co-counsel, Charles H. Elston.

250,000 SLAVES FREED IN AFRICA BY WORK OF WOMAN "ABE LINCOLN"

FREETOWN, Sierra Leone, Africa, Dec. 31.—(AP)—Abraham Lincoln's benign spirit tonight is smiling upon the little Negro cabins of Sierra Leone's hinterland. It is the joyful eve of the great emancipation of more than 250,000 Negro domestic slaves in the protectorate, and Sierra Leone will record, as Lincoln did, the equality of human rights.

It was Lady Kathleen Simon, wife of Sir John Simon, distinguished leader of the Liberal party in England, who was responsible for making known to the outside world that domestic slavery still existed in the protectorate, and as a result legislative action was taken to abolish it.

The slaves were owned only by natives of the protectorate and not by Europeans. They are principally people captured in the intertribal or internecine wars before the establishment of the protectorate, and the descendants of such persons. Since the proclamation of the protectorate in 1896 these wars have ceased.

CHAS. W. GRAY'S $175,000 ESTATE GOES TO WIDOW

The estate of the late Charles W. Gray, president of the Yellow Cab company, who was killed in a fall from his horse on Christmas, is worth $175,000, according to an estimate filed yesterday with Assistant Probate Judge Edward S. Scheffler. Assets consist of $150,000 in personal property and $25,000 in real estate, the document shows. Mr. Gray's will bequeathed all of his estate to his widow, Mrs. Johanna M. Gray, 6759 Bennett avenue. Nine children, three of them by a former marriage, survive him.

WOMAN PASTOR, SMOKER, LOSES SPEAKING DATE

Miss Maude Royden, famous English woman preacher, had a date to speak in Chicago in February under the auspices of the Woman's Home Missionary society of the Methodist Episcopal church—but she hasn't now. A rumor that Miss Royden's fondness for smoking was responsible for the cancellation of the engagment was denied yesterday by Mrs. Daniel Brummit of Evanston, who was in charge of the arrangements.

"It was simply," Mrs. Brummit explained, "that the missionary society found it could not use the date that was available for Miss Royden to speak here. I'm not sure who will sponsor her talk in Chicago."

"Then it was not a matter of her smoking that caused the cancellation?"

"I wouldn't say so, no."

"But was there any discussion in the organization concerning the fact that she smokes?"

Mrs. Brummit evaded the direct question.

"Why, as to that," she answered, "I think there is always more or less discussion, wherever Miss Royden goes, about her smoking. It has been known, of course, for a long time, and it isn't as if it were a recent thing at all."

American Odd Fellows and British Lodges May Reunite

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

LONDON, Dec. 31.—Negotiations are in progress for the reunion of the Manchester unity Odd Fellows Friendly society and the American Order of Odd Fellows, which seceded from the parent body a century ago. Joseph Powley of Toronto, past grand master of the American society, has been conferring with the board of the Manchester unity, and the grand master of the English organization announced in a New Year's message that prospects are bright for a reunion.

Mayor's Aids Oust Engineer in Row Over Tainted Water

Chicago's siege of tainted water threatened yesterday to turn into a city hall row when Chief Sanitary Engineer Arthur E. Gorman suddenly was suspended following charges that he permitted heavy overdosing of the water with chlorine.

Gorman was replaced by H. H. Gerstein, assistant sanitary engineer, after a conference of Mayor Thompson's special water pollution commission. Health Commissioner A. H. Kegel, one of the members, announced that analyses had proved to the commission's satisfaction that the disagreeable taste of the water has been due not to bacteria but to phenol, a chemical byproduct of coke plants. Little extra chlorine was needed to safeguard health, he said.

Reduce Use of Chlorine.

Acting under Dr. Kegel's orders, pumping station engineers immediately cut down the chlorine dosage. Meanwhile the mass of sewage and industrial wastes, swept north by a storm Wednesday, had receded and Chicagoans once more were drinking palatable water.

"Still smells bad, but drinkable," "the bubbles are gone," and "doesn't taste in the coffe," south side residents replied last night in response to inquiries.

Members of the mayor's commission, in addition to Dr. Kegel, are Richard W. Wolfe, commissioner of public works, and Samuel A. Ettelson, corporation counsel.

Tells Inquiry Results.

"The commission discovered that the normal content of phenol in the water, 1.5 parts to one billion of water, jumped up to 80 parts after the storm Wednesday," explained Dr. Kegel, spokesman for the group. "The bacteria count remained about normal. Chlorine is to kill bacteria. Still the dosage of chlorine was boosted up from 2 pounds per million gallons of water to 12 and 14 pounds in some cases. The taste of the chlorine was almost as bad as the phenol."

None of the three commission members was willing to blame Mr. Gorman, although all three made it clear that they believed he was responsible for the extra chlorine dosage. His suspension, in fact, was "temporary" and it was hinted that he might be reinstated later.

Others Blame Politics.

Mr. Gorman made no statement, but his friends declared that his leave taking will be permanent. Some of them expressed the belief that he has been slated for dismissal by the Thompson administration for some time and that the water row merely furnished an opportunity to get rid of him.

Another report had it that Mr. Gorman is likely to take a position under Dr. Herman N. Bundesen, former health commissioner, now with the sanitary district. Dr Bundesen and Mr. Gorman were closely associated during the former's régime as health chief.

Although the local chlorinization squabble temporarily diverted attention from the major source of the trouble—dumping raw sewage into the lake by northern Indiana towns and industrial plants—the officials involved were agreed that it must be vigorously attacked.

"We don't propose to let a change in the city hall divert us from our duty to the people of Chicago," Dr. Kegel said. "The mayor's commission is determined to exhaust every possible means to get coöperation from engineers from the offending towns and owners of the plants. Failing in that we will invoke the aid of the federal government and make them clean up."

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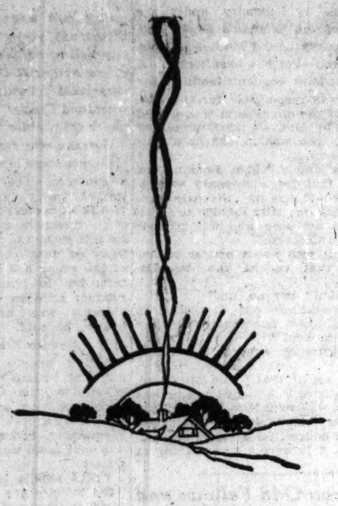
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BUTLER NOSES OUT MAROON BASKETBALL TEAM, 25-24

CHADD'S LAST MINUTE SCORE BRINGS VICTORY

Chicago Five Leads at Half.

BY HARLAND ROHM.

One lone point separated Butler's and Chicago's basketball teams in a New Year's eve game but the Blue Bulldogs bounced the ball about Bartlett gym so effectively that the Maroons immediately made New Year's resolutions to shoot more baskets. The final score was 25 to 24.



CHUCK HOERGER.

Six times Butler held the lead, five times Chicago had an advantage and four times the score was tied, yet the small crowd was less excited over the basket by basket battle than it was over the two baskets Referee Fred Young shot when the nets got hooked up on the hoops.

Butler Hits Basket.

Butler matched miraculous basket shooting against the scrambling but powerful guarding of the Maroons. The one point margin, gained when Captain Chadd of Butler sank a basket from mid floor with half a minute to play and which Gist tried to duplicate as the gun was fired, accurately indicates the strength of the teams. There was little to choose and in the last half as they alternated in the lead, each by a point, and either might have won.

Butler used nine men, Coach Paul Hinkle, former Maroon star, substituting frequently to find the combination which could cope with the bigger and far heavier Maroons. Hoerger's and McDonough's height gave them the ball off the back board most of the time and through more than half of the time played, they held the lead. It was in the early part of the game and the last minutes that the leads varied rapidly.

Christopher Starts It.

Christopher, Butler's guard, started the scoring with a short shot and followed it a minute later with a long one, before Chicago's defense began to mess up Butler's beautiful passing game. As usual Chicago did not play a pretty game but they did play strongly.

Chicago soon spoiled that lead for Zimmerman sank a long shot, McDonough added a foul, and Zimmerman plunked the ball in the basket once more. Chandler caged a short one from a held ball, giving Butler the lead, and Gist tied the score with a free throw and put the Maroons in the lead by sinking two more free throws. From there the Chicago team went on to lead, 13 to 8, at the half.

The second session was a ding-dong battle. Jackman, the little slope shouldered sub, plunked two marvelous shots through the net from far down the side lines to open, putting Butler within a point of the Maroons, and after several minutes of play Butler grabbed the lead by a point on White's shot. From then on the advantage alternated.

Christopher twisted his ankle and was taken out. On resumption of the play Gist looped a shot through the hoop and Hildebrand tied it.

Chicago Ties Score.

In the next five minutes until the end Butler nearly threw away the game by persisting in taking long shots, but some of them swished through the net from amazing distances. White's free throw gave Butler a two point lead, but Gist came through with another foul line shot and tied the count at 20 all.

Finally Hoerger gave Chicago a two point lead with a minute and a half to play, but White dropped in a foul shot and then little Chadd, who had been trying from midfloor throughout the second half without luck flipped the ball high in the air from near the center circle and it went through the hoop. Chicago grabbed the ball on the tipoff with just about time for Gist to try a shot. The ball left his hands as the gun cracked, but it hit the back rim of the basket.

BUTLER (25).	B	F	P
Chandler,rf	2	0	0
Jackman,rf	2	0	0
Chadd,lf-rf	1	1	1
Gist,lf	2	1	0
Hinz,c	0	0	2
Hildebrand,c	2	1	0
Christopher,rg	2	0	2
Curry,rg	0	0	0
Louis,lg	0	0	0

CHICAGO (24).	B	F	P
Zimmerman,rf	3	1	1
Chapman,rf	0	0	0
McDonough,lf	1	1	0
Gist,c	3	2	0
Hoerger,rg	1	0	1
Farwell,lg	0	1	1

Referee—Fred Young (Illinois Wesleyan). Umpire—Guy Lowman (Wisconsin).

BOXERS' TRUNKS MUST DIFFER IN COLOR, NEW RULE

The Illinois athletic commission announced yesterday that hereafter all contestants in boxing matches must wear trunks of opposite colors. All seconds must be neatly attired in sweaters or jerseys of plain colors. These requirements, the commission said, would be rigidly enforced.

Les Canadiens Whip Ranger Sextet, 1 to 0

MONTREAL, Que., Dec. 31.—(AP)—The Canadiens scored a brilliant 1 to 0 win over the New York Rangers in a fast National Hockey league game here tonight. It was a keen struggle between the rival sectional leaders, with the Canucks deserving to win by a larger margin. Only phenomenal goal tending by Lorne Chabot kept the Canadiens from piling up a bigger score. Howie Morene scored the goal soon after the start of the third period.

PIRATES, 4; MAROONS, 0

Pittsburgh, Pa., Dec. 31.—(AP)—The Pittsburgh Pirates registered an unexpected and overwhelming 4 to 0 victory over the Montreal Maroons here tonight in a National league hockey game. Held scoreless throughout the first two periods, the Pirates cut loose with a vicious attack in the last stanza, Darragh, McCurry, Milks, and Cotton hanging up tallies within eight minutes.

OTTAWA, 6; DETROIT, 2

Detroit, Mich., Dec. 31.—(AP)—The world champion Ottawa Senators broke through the defense of the Detroit Cougars tonight to win a National league hockey game, 6 to 2.

Clancy and Kilray scored two goals apiece for the champions. All of Ottawa's goals were scored on long shots

Loyola Whips Oregon Aggies Five, 29 to 19

Loyola university wrote a fitting finish to a successful athletic year last night by defeating the Oregon Aggies basketball team, 29 to 19, at Loyola. A crowd of 1,500 saw the game.

Loyola was complete master of its western opponent at all times, flashing a brilliant offense and a tight zone defense which held Oregon scoreless for the first ten minutes. Loyola led at the half, 16 to 5.

Murphy and Lawless led the Chicagoans' attack, each scoring 4 field goals. Burr proved the ace of the Oregon team, caging 5 goals from the floor, all in the second half. Lineup:

LOYOLA (29).	B	F	P	OREGON AG. (19).	B	F	P
Bremner,rf	2	2	0	Cordy,rf	0	0	0
Lawless,lf	4	2	2	Patterson,lf	0	0	0
Murphy,c	4	0	0	Fadory,c	0	1	3
West,rg	1	0	4	Carson,rg	2	3	2
Wiley,lg	1	0	0	Hartung,lg	0	0	0
McGrath,rf	0	0	0	Burr,rf	5	1	2
Sekstrow,lg	0	0	0				

IOWA BEATS MARQUETTE

Milwaukee, Wis., Dec. 31.—[Special.]—After leading by the scant margin of 9 to 7 at the half, the University of Iowa basketball team finally broke away here tonight and defeated the Marquette university quintet, 31 to 17. Excellent floor work and shooting by Harrison, guard, and Wilcox, center, won for Iowa.

MARQUETTE (17).	B	F	P	IOWA (31).	B	F	P
O'Donnell,rf	2	1	1	Twor'd,rf [C]	3	2	0
Rydeski,rf	0	0	0	Malone,rf	0	2	0
Zummach,lf	0	1	1	Lawson,lf	2	0	1
Ramer,lf [C]	1	0	2	Johnstone,lf	0	0	0
Burns,lf	1	0	2	Wilcox,c	6	0	0
Moser,lf	0	1	0	Addy,c	0	0	1
Andrew,c	3	0	2	Harrison,rg	3	0	0
Gebert,rg	0	1	0	David,rg	0	0	1
Padden,lg	1	1	2	Kinnan,lg	0	1	1
				Lauer,lg	0	0	1

TILDEN LOSES IN PONTIAC TOURNEY FINALS, 30 TO 18

Pontiac, Ill., Dec. 31.—[Special.]—Cornell, runner-up last year, won the Pontiac invitational basketball tourney tonight by defeating Tilden Tech of Chicago, 30 to 18. Sullivan of Tilden and Moore of Cornell starred. Lineup:

TILDEN (18).	B	F	P	CORNELL (30).	B	F	P
Sullivan,rf	3	1	1	Myers,rf	3	0	0
Budrich,lf	2	0	0	Mills,lf	5	0	1
Peterson,c	2	0	1	Moore,c	5	1	2
Rittmeyer,rg	0	0	2	Beck,rg	1	1	0
Wingert,lg	1	1	0	Wayman,lg	0	0	0

Boone, Ia., won the consolation championship by defeating U High of Normal, last year's champion, 28 to 20.

Following is the all star team: Bentley, Fairbury, and Sullivan, Tilden, forwards; Moore, Cornell, center; Cury, Boone, and Beck, Cornell, guards.

OTHER SCORES.

Austin, 32; Villa Grove, 20 [third place consolation].

Clinton, 27; Fairbury, 23; [third place].

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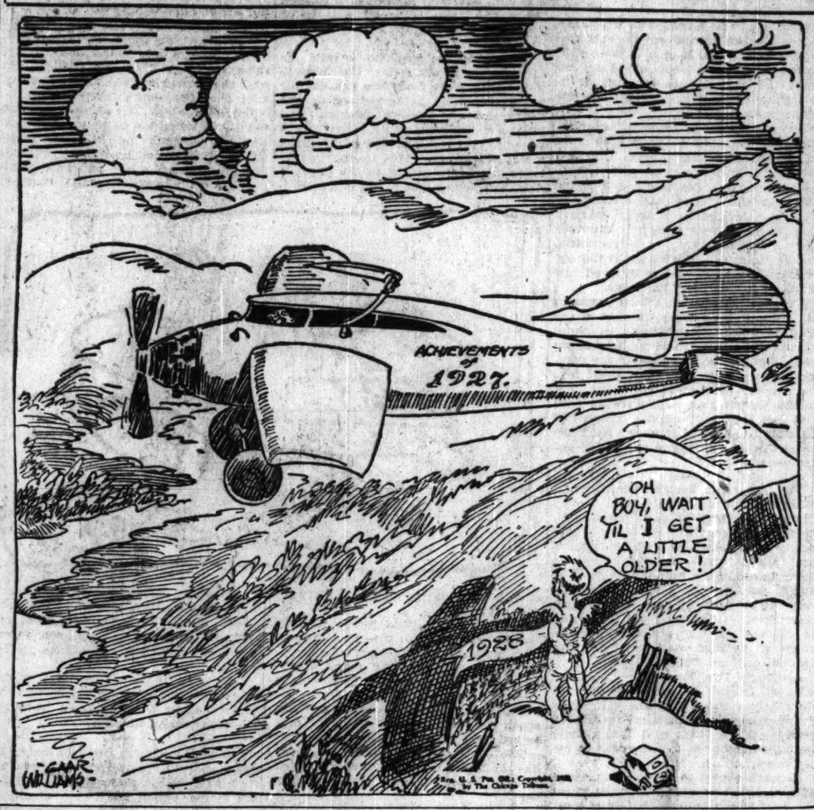
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SPEAKING OF SPORT

BY DON MAXWELL.

Sport kept the turnstiles and the statisticians whirling in 1927.

Turf time was shattered. New marks were set on cinder tracks and on the athletic fields. Professional promoters reaped a bountiful harvest in cash. Amateurs crowded the links.

It was a record breaking 12 months in sport.

Figures on the number of folk who attended sporting events write their own story.

Imagine, if you can, the incredulity with which a sport fan of 25 years ago would have greeted the prophet who foretold a boxing match attended by 143,000 people. Yet that is number lured through the gates of Soldiers' field to watch the second annual display of the Tunney-Dempsey spectacle.



Imagine, if you can, how foolish it would have sounded 25 years ago to predict that a football game between the teams of Notre Dame and Southern California would attract 117,000 spectators.

Those crowds were actualities in 1927—the banner year of sport.

Football, as usual of late years, was the leading crowd enticer.

In the middle west Chicago, Illinois, Michigan, Ohio, and Northwestern universities have modern stadia built to accommodate football crowds. They are huge stadia. But all of them were packed during the gridiron season. Michigan's team played before 86,000 three times.

Baseball, like football, had a notable year in 1927.

The Chicago Cubs in the National league and the New York Yankees in the American played to home throngs totaling more than 1,000,000. The New York Giants drew an attendance of more than 1,000,000 on the road. The world series crowds were bigger than ever.

Nor did sport interest lie only in boxing, football, and baseball. America's fans have a diversified enthusiasm for athletics. New race tracks were built and made money. More than 40,000 attended each of the two polo games in which the Meadowbrook four humbled a crack British team and thus retained the famous international cup. Hockey teams packed the rinks in the east and filled them in the middle west.



Eighty-five thousand jammed the aisles of historic Churchill Downs and overflowed the lawns to see Harry Payne Whitney's Whiskery win the Kentucky Derby. The Preakness, the other Derbies and the Futurities drew their attendance from north, south and east and west.

Americans have liked their sport. In 1927 they liked it better than they ever did before. At least they spent—so the statisticians say—more than $90,000,000 to attend its competition and applaud its spectacles.

The sport repaid its supporters with thrills in plenty.

Folk who saw Gene Tunney thwart Jack Dempsey's attempt to wrest back the heavyweight championship of the world are still talking about the long count and replecturing the drama of the seventh round.

Baseball fans were given something to cheer when Babe Ruth conquered Lou Gehrig and forged on to set a new record of 60 home runs in a season of play.

Baseball fans found something to remember in the brilliance of the New York Yankees. Seldom in major league history has a greater team been developed than that led by Miller Huggins. Only twice before 1927 had a national championship been won in four straight games.

Turf fans got a thrill out of the brilliant performances of Anita Peabody, a Chicago owned filly, bred and trained in Illinois. Her triumph in the first $100,000 Futurity was one of the outstanding feats of racing record.



Turf fans, moreover, saw three American running marks shattered in 1927. Handy Mandy, a three year old filly, ran a mile and a half in 2:28 3-5, and Mike Hall, also a three year old, ran the mile and seventy yards and two miles and a quarter faster than they'd ever been run before.

Boxing fans saw two new champions crowned in 1927. Joe Dundee toppled Pete Latzo, the Scranton miner, from his welterweight chair and Tommy Loughran of Philadelphia fell heir to the light heavyweight title vacated by Jack Delaney. Loughran only recently proved his right to the championship by whipping Jimmy Slattery.

Nor were all the brilliant accomplishments of 1.27 sport confined to competition among ourselves.

Bobby Jones went to St. Andrews to win for the second consecutive year the British open golf title. Later he came home to win again the national amateur title of the United States.

In only one major sport was America humbled. France took the Davis cup after we had held it for seven years.

It was a great year in sport—this year called 1927. Full of color, replete with interest.

Good-by—1927.

Good morning—1928.

In the WAKE of the NEWS

THE YEAR 1928.

ENTERING 1928, the sporting world looks forward to the next twelve months with confidence that the aggregate balance of all athletics will be on the side of progress and achievement. That rosy forecast is based on precedent established in 1927 and previous years.

In baseball, Chicago's Cubs so far surpassed what was expected of them by most critics that they actually looked like pennant winners at one stage of the race, but lacked the all-around balance to survive the stretch run. Their showing was creditable. Presumably trades have strengthened their position. At least, they again will be contenders and that's about all any one can predict in the National league with the balance as close as it now is.

The White Sox did not meet hopes of their admirers, but their admirers hoped for more than the material, weakened by injuries, warranted. Manager Ray Schalk still needs more material on which to work. His year of experience as pilot will stand him in good stead. While the New York Yankees retain their 1927 form, it is futile to talk of pennants.

We of Chicago are fortunate in our racing, thanks to the new law. Lincoln Fields, our former lone brag for beauty and equipment, has been supplemented by Arlington Park, lavishly equipped, whose newness will give way to its planned standard. Hawthorne, always popular with race goers, Washington Park and Aurora fill out the roster of five tracks whose generous purse and stake offerings promise to bring this city to its long merited place as a great turf center.

Gene Tunney is not a universally popular pugilistic champion. In, his habits and tastes, he is not orthodox as ring champions are orthodox. But there is this about Tunney—he brings no discredit on boxing by any actions outside the ring. He will defend his title one or more times in 1928. Unless some one else bobs up as a better card, Jack Dempsey is still his logical opponent.

After long tenure, the United States surrendered the Davis international tennis cup to France. That result was inevitable against the rising French youngsters. The only question was when. Of course we will challenge to regain the cup. The advantage of home courts is all with the holders. It will be a surprise if America regains the trophy this year.

College sports, football and basketball in particular, have attained their greatest popular interest with no particularly disturbing clouds on the horizon. Schedules are becoming yearly more attractive with intersectional contests as a stimulant.

While the caliber of competitive golf, both amateur and professional, continues to improve, more notable is golf's adoption by a growing army of players who find in it pleasure and exercise, that great class of dubs to which most of us belong but who have more real fun than the tournament players subject to strain and anxiety.

And so on through all the list we find almost universal progress, seldom decadence. We are a sport loving nation. That is a good trait. It takes us outdoors and it provides amusement and diversion from the swift pace necessary to success in any business or profession. Welcome 1928!

This Wake Wishes All Helpers and Readers Their Happiest New Year. Harvey T. Woodruff. Help! Help!

Do You Remember Way Back When:

Forty years ago and longer, families and some invited friends gathered in their homes New Year's eve to "set out" the old year and when the clock struck midnight, they would all wish one another the blessings of a New Year, and then the hostess would serve each person a glass of good old fashioned home-made wine before they departed for their respective homes?—F. V., L. Pella, Ia.

N. DAME GRABS EARLY LEAD TO BEAT PRINCETON

Easterners Fall by 35-24 Score.

Notre Dame, Ind., Dec. 31.—[Special.]—With its lead jeopardized only once during the game, Notre Dame basket team crashed through to a 35 to 24 victory over Princeton tonight. The Nassau five was unable to cope with the driving attack under the basket employed by the Irish in the first half, which ended with Notre Dame leading, 18 to 12, but put up a rugged battle in the second chapter.

Princeton narrowed the count to 21 to 19 early in the second period, but Newbold, substitute Notre Dame forward, sank four free throws in a row to put his team safely ahead.

The Notre Dame quintet was attired for the first time in silk togs similar to the regalia sported by the football team. Score:

NOTRE DAME (35).	B	F	P	PRINCETON (24).	B	F	P
Crowe,rf	1	0	1	Thoburn,rf	1	2	0
Jachym,lf	0	2	0	Dekovics,lf	1	0	3
Colerick,c	2	2	0	Foote,c	3	0	1
Bray,rg	0	0	0	Miles,rg	2	1	3
Smith,lg	2	1	1	Wittmer,lg	0	0	1
Newbold,rf	1	5	0	McCullough,rf	0	0	0
Donovan,rg	1	0	2	Bowen,c	0	0	1
Vogelwede,c	0	0	1	Whitsett,rf	2	1	1
McCarthy,lg	0	0	1	Davis,rg	0	0	0
Hamilton,c	0	0	0				

Referee—Schommer (Chicago). Umpire—Kinney (Yale).

PITT BEATS OHIO

Pittsburgh, Pa., Dec. 31.—[Special.]—The University of Pittsburgh's fast flying basketball team tonight kept up its victorious march by trimming the fast quintet of Ohio State university, 50 to 32, on the Pitt floor. It was Pitt's first victory over the Ohio institution, and the sixth win of this season in the same number of starts.

The Pitt boys were too fast for the Buckeyes, Wrobelski, Pitt's dimunitive guard, starring with seven goals from the floor. Several of his shots were of the sensational order. He was followed closely by Charley Hyatt, former Union Town high school star, who rang up five baskets, and several free throws.

Pitt took the lead from the start when Capt. Reed dropped the ball into the basket soon after play opened, and was leading 21 to 12 at the end of half time. Ohio got its scoring combination working in the second half but the Pitt team also put on steam and maintained the same advantage as in the first half. Rowley and Danheyde led the Ohioans in scoring and displayed lots of speed on the floor.

ALL IS WELL IN A. L. AS NEW YEAR ARRIVES—PREXY

Cleveland, O., Dec. 31.—(AP)—The American league closes the year in "a healthy condition" and faces 1928 "with the knowledge that all is well in the organization," says a statement issued here tonight by E. S. Barnard, president of the league.

"The American league is confident of a greatly improved competition among its members during 1928," Mr. Barnard declared. "An unusual number of player exchanges have taken place since the close of last season and all the clubs involved seem to have been benefited."

Yale Rallies in Second Half to Beat Penn Five, 24-21

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 31.—(AP)—Yale triumphed over University of Pennsylvania, 24 to 21, in the opening game of the Eastern Collegiate Basketball league tonight. Penn led at the half, 11 to 6. Nassau and Fodder were the Yale stars, while Schaaf was the best performer for Penn.

Iowa Boy, 16, Swims 20 Miles in 12 Hrs. 17 Min.

Fort Dodge, Ia., Dec. 31.—(AP)—Marion Nelson, 16 years old, a local high school youth, set what is believed to be a midwest indoor tank record yesterday when he swam 20 miles in 12 hours and 17 minutes. Nelson already holds several Lake Okoboji records.

Broadcast Sports Review of 1927 Over W-G-N Today

Radio listeners will hear many of the leading sports events of the year revived this afternoon, when "Quin Ryan's Sports Review of 1927" is broadcast between 3 and 5 p. m. from W-G-N, The Chicago Tribune station on the Drake hotel.

Ryan is to reproduce his own broadcasts of the Kentucky Derby, the Dempsey-Tunney fight, the Minnesota-Michigan football game, and also the more exciting portions of the Dempsey-Sharkey fight and the final game of the world series, just as though he were actually broadcasting from the scene.

It is a radio innovation—this reproduction of history—that has proven successful in the representations of the famous old prize fights.

DOUBLE CHAMPION



FRANK SHIELDS.

Shields Wins Junior Indoor Tennis Crown

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The Inquiring Reporter

Every Day He Asks Five Persons, Picked at Random, a Question.

The Question.

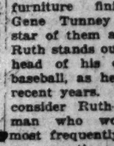
Whom do you consider the outstanding athlete of 1927?

Where Asked.

Adams street at Dearborn.

The Answers.

Jack Sproger, 2633 Hirsch boulevard, salesman—Red Grange quit hauling ice a long time ago, and is now moving into the movies—there's a good chance here for an effective leap year proposal. Red Grange, Tunney, Babe Ruth, and perhaps Paddy Driscoll—all were prominent in 1927. But all of these were outstanding in 1926, 1925, and earlier. The coming year ought to bring out some new names to liven things up a bit.



W. J. King, 6321 Langley avenue, furniture finisher.—Gene Tunney is the star of them all. Babe Ruth stands out at the head of his class in baseball, as he has in recent years. I would consider Ruth as the man who would be most frequently named in answer to your question.



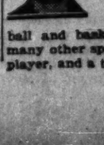
Thorne H. Lindstrom, Hotel Morrison, salesman.—The difficulty here is that no stars have appeared in 1927 that were not equally prominent in 1926. Gene Tunney retained his heavyweight championship in 1927, and Babe Ruth is still the foremost player in baseball. All the way through, the big names of 1925 and 1926 are still the big names of 1927.



M. K. Rinella, 1316 West Grand avenue, salesman.—Gene Tunney. He's a scientific boxer, a good golfer and an all-around athlete. Helen Wills also deserves a high place of honor in 1927. I am most interested in bowling and bicycle racing, but there are no names in these branches of sport that are well known to the public.



Elmer W. Rieck, 3246 North Troy street, accountant.—If there is a more conspicuous figure in 1927 than Benny Oosterbaan of the Michigan football team I am not aware of it. He is an all-around athlete, a star in football, baseball and basketball and is active in many other sports. He also is a clean player, and a thorough sport.



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MARCUS LEADS WINNING DRIVE OF COAST TEAM

30,000 Brave Rain to See Game.

Meat for Bears

CALIFORNIA [27].	PENN. [13].
F. Scull	L. E. J. Dougery
Hahe	L. T. Green
Uts	L. G. Kaufman
Wenzgale	C. Riegel
McGinnis	R. G. H. Gill
Smith	R. T. Coltrin
Leeman	R. E. Phillips
Shober	Q. B. Evans
Murphy	L. H. B. Love, Marcus
F. Scull	R. H. B. Newman, Ferris
Wanzenlenis	F. B. R. Dougery

Touchdowns—Dougery, Shober, Murphy, Klaus, Marcus [2].

Points after touchdown—Evans, Scull, Cockburn [3].

Berkeley, Cal., Dec. 31.—(AP)—In the finest display of individual playing seen here this year, Brick Marcus, California's fleet footed, bespectacled halfback, closed his football career today when he almost single handed led California's Bears to victory over Pennsylvania, 27 to 13.



PAUL SCULL.

Coming into the game near the end of the third period with the two elevens tied, 13-13, the red haired flash instilled new life into a somewhat weary California squad, and with brilliant runs and great pass snagging exhibitions crossed the Penn line twice in the following quarter to mount up a winning total.

Runs 55 Yards for Touchdown.

On the second play the speedy ball lugger, whose impaired vision necessitates his wearing specially constructed glasses, broke through the line to travel 55 yards to touchdown. Thirty thousand spectators who had braved the showers and threatening weather cheered to a turn as Marcus made the spectacular run that put California in a lead that was never relinquished.

Heartened by this fresh strength, his teammates opened with a furious spurt that tore the Penn line to shreds while Marcus, in quick succession, packed the ball for a total of 105 yards and two touchdowns.

Penn's Early Strength.

California's final touchdown followed a drive down the field to Penn's one yard line. A 15 yard penalty for holding set the Bears back to the 16 yard line. Here Marcus started again. Two plunges and the ball was over.

Penn's best showing came in the second period, when it drove California back relentlessly to count two touchdowns. Aside from that the Bears outfought and outplayed their rivals almost steadily.

PITT ARRIVES FOR GAME

BY WALTER ECKERSALL.
[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

Pasadena, Cal., Dec. 31.—Pittsburgh, undefeated during the 1927 season, and Stanford, one of the strongest football teams on the Pacific coast, will meet in the Rose bowl here on Monday in the annual east versus west struggle. The Pitt team arrived today and limbered up in the Rose bowl. All the players appeared in excellent condition.

The game will be the athletic feature of the thirty-ninth annual Tournament of Roses festival. Among the spectators will be Gov. C. C. Young of California and his staff.

Interest in the game is running high and at least 70,000 fans, the largest crowd which ever has witnessed the east-west game, will be in the Rose bowl at the kickoff. The additional seats were made available by the completion of the south end of the bowl and the installation of extra seats.

Although it has rained almost continually for the last week, a couple of days of sunshine will leave the playing field in excellent condition. Both elevens will perform much better on a dry gridiron and with a dry ball. Both are so well fortified with open plays in which the forward pass is a dominant factor that their attacks may be weakened if the weather is bad.

Quinn Leaves to Look Over Training Site in Florida

Boston, Mass., Dec. 31.—(AP)—President Robert Quinn of the Boston Red Sox will leave Boston tomorrow for Bradenton, Fla., on an inspection tour of the club's new training grounds. He will make the trip alone and plans to look over the field, clubhouse, and hotel accommodations before making final arrangements for the arrival of the battery men on Feb. 23 and the rest of the squad a week later.

Ace Hudkins Reinstated by N. Y. Boxing Moguls

New York, Dec. 31.—[U. P.]—Ace Hudkins, Nebraska contender for the welterweight championship, has been reinstated by the New York athletic commission.

He was suspended for failure to fulfill a contract to box Sergt. Sammy Baker here last summer.

KING FOOTBALL EXTENDS SWAY; BREAKS RECORDS

Largest Crowds See '27 Teams in Action.

1927 Grid Champs

East—Pittsburgh and Yale.
Western conference—Illinois.
Missouri Valley conference—Missouri.
Rocky Mountain conference—Colorado Aggies.
Pacific Coast conference—Tie between Southern California, Stanford and Idaho.
Southwestern conference—Texas Aggies.
Southern conference—Georgia Tech.

BY WALTER ECKERSALL.

Pasadena, Cal., Cal., Dec. 31.—Although several strong elevens and splendid players were developed, the football season of 1927 has been marked as the greatest from the standpoints of interest and attendance.

Never before in the history of the great intercollegiate game have the struggles attracted such huge crowds. This was not only true of the major struggles, but the same conditions existed among the minor institutions. Some of the stadia recently completed could not accommodate the throngs which desired to attend major contests, while the average games drew capacity crowds.

It remained, however, for the intersectional struggle between Notre Dame and Southern California to break all records. This contest was decided on Soldiers' field in Chicago and drew a crowd of 117,000, the largest which ever saw an American game of football. In 1926 the Army and Navy met on the same gridiron before a crowd of 111,000, which at that time created a new record.

Michigan Opens New Stadium.

Michigan opened its new stadium, one of the finest in the country, with a capacity crowd for the Ohio State game. The structure, which will accommodate 86,000, was packed for the Ohio, Navy and Minnesota struggles.

Practically the same conditions existed in other parts of the country. Yale and Princeton played to capacity in the Yale bowl, while the service game in New York attracted a capacity gathering. Georgia and Georgia Tech played before 56,000 at Atlanta which was a record crowd for the south.

California and Stanford clashed in the presence of a capacity crowd at Palo Alto and the same was true of the Southern California-California game at Berkeley. The Trojans also played to capacity when they met Washington at Los Angeles a week after the Notre Dame struggle.

Lateral Pass Used Indifferently.

The action of the rules committee in moving the goal posts from the goal to the end lines did not meet with the expected favor. The action went a long way to discourage field goal kicking However, the change did permit more scoring plays on the goal lines.

The lateral pass, adopted at last year's meeting of the rules committee, failed to create much interest. It was used sparingly by the leading coaches, who claim the general tendencies in football are to advance and not retreat. There was considerable misunderstanding between the fumbled punt and the muffed punt. The question of control and possession also resulted in many arguments and the committee is expected to clear up a number of these points at its annual meeting next year.

Some very strong teams were developed in all sections of the country. Pittsburgh, coached by Jock Sutherland, went through the season undefeated, but was held to a scoreless tie by Washington and Jefferson. The Panthers were chosen to represent the east in the Pasadena game against Stanford.

Although many claim Pitt was the strongest eleven in the east, Yale was just as powerful at the close of the season. Old Eli met with an unexpected setback by Georgia early in the season, but won all the other games on its schedule. It defeated Dartmouth, Princeton, Harvard, and the Army, representative elevens of the east. Yale's defeat by Georgia did not impair its standing in the east.

Notre Dame Loses One Game.

In the Western conference Illinois and Minnesota went through the season undefeated. The former was tied by Iowa State, a non-conference eleven, while Minnesota was held to a tie by Indiana, which was beaten by Chicago and Purdue. Both elevens flashed powerful attacks at the close of the season, and they were just as effective on the defensive.

Notre Dame, however, is entitled to consideration when the western championship is considered. Coach Rockne's eleven lost but one game, and that to the Army. It was held to a 7 to 7 tie by Minnesota and won from Indiana, 19 to 6. The Ramblers also defeated Navy, Georgia Tech, Detroit, Drake, and Coe.

Missouri has been generally recognized as the champion of the Missouri Valley conference, although Nebraska is entitled to consideration. Early in the season Missouri won from Nebraska, 7 to 6, but later was beaten by Kansas, 14 to 7. It was the general belief of close followers of the game in the section that Nebraska was the best team in the association at the close of the year.

Triple Tie on Coast.

On the Pacific coast Southern California, Stanford, and Idaho were placed on a par. The Trojans and Cardinals played to a 13 to 13 tie and Idaho went through the season undefeated. Stanford was beaten by St. Mary's and Santa Clara, neither of which is a member of the Pacific coast conference.

Georgia Tech won the southern championship by defeating Georgia in the final game of the season, 12 to 0. It was a very hard fought and clean game, played under adverse conditions. It rained the day before the struggle and the gridiron was ankle deep in mud. Despite these conditions, it was an interesting contest, which showed the south is making advances in football.

PONTIAC TOURNEY SCORES.

SEMI-FINALS.

Cornell, 38; Fairbury, 29.
Tilden Tech, Chicago, 27; Clinton, 26.

CONSOLATION ROUND.

University High, 32; Villa Grove, 25.
Bemis, 56; Austin (Chicago), 24.

Tunney-Dempsey Battle Gives Boxing Record Year

The heavyweight championship fight between Gene Tunney and Jack Dempsey, which established a new record for attendance and receipts, easily was the outstanding feature of the year in pugilism.

This fight, held on Soldiers' field, Chicago, drew an estimated crowd of 145,000 and the receipts were approximately $2,444,000. The fight made ring history not alone because of the records it shattered, but because of the now famous long count. Referee Dave Barry was accused of giving Tunney a long count because he did not start tolling off the seconds as soon as Gene hit the floor, but waited until Dempsey had retired to the farthest neutral corner in accordance with an agreement reached between the fighters before the battle.

175 Pound Class Active.

It was the only time Tunney entered the ring in defense of his title during the year. With the exception of the seventh round, Gene showed all the cleverness and ring generalship which has made him champion of the world. He intends to defend his crown at least twice in 1928.

There was considerable activity in the light heavyweight division. Jack Delaney resigned his light heavyweight title to fight in the heavyweight division. The New York boxing commission then recognized Mike McTigue of Ireland as the 175 pound champion. Tommy Loughran of Philadelphia won the decision over McTigue in fifteen rounds and the Empire state commission then looked upon Tommy as the champion of the division. In the meantime, the National Boxing association, composed of ring chiefs of twenty-four states, rated Jimmy Slattery of Buffalo the title holder. The pair of title claimants was brought together in New York, Loughran winning the decision and the right to the crown.

La Barba Resigns Title.

Fidel La Barba of California resigned his flyweight title and the New York commission now looks upon Izzy Schwartz as the 112 pound king. It is rumored, however, that La Barba will reenter the ring and defend his title against any and all challengers.

Bud Taylor of Terre Haute, Ind., generally is recognized as the bantamweight king. Bud is the choice of the National Boxing association. The only states in which the sport is legalized which do not belong to the association are New York, California, Pennsylvania, and Massachusetts.

Tony Canzoneri of New York is entitled to the featherweight championship. Although Johnny Dundee, the former holder of the title, resigned the 126 pound title because he could no longer make the weight, he dropped a decision to Canzoneri a short time ago. Tony was at weight and therefore won a clean claim to the championship.

Morgan Retains Title.

Ted Morgan of Washington retained his junior lightweight crown, but had a narrow escape in his bout with Joe Glick, who lost the chance to win the title by fouling Morgan in the fourteenth round. Glick had the best of the early rounds, but Morgan started to rally in the last half of the match.

Sammy Mandell of Rockford, Ill., had little trouble to retain the lightweight title. Sammy defended his honors on only a few occasions, and the results of these fights never were in doubt. Mandell, however, is greatly improved, and it will take a good fighter to beat him.

Mushy Callahan of California still is the junior welterweight champion. Mushy, however, did not have a particularly successful year. He was stopped by Sergt. Sammy Baker in Chicago in nine rounds and then dropped decisions to Jackie Fields and Dick Hoppe on the coast. The championship was not involved in any of these fights.

Dundee Wins Welter Crown.

Joe Dundee of Baltimore succeeded in taking the welterweight title away from Pete Latzo, who previously had won it from Mickey Walker. Joe was matched to meet Ace Hudkins in Los Angeles for the title, but the inability of the promoters to pay the champion his guarantee resulted in the match being declared off.

Mickey Walker, who won the middleweight championship from Tiger Flowers in December, 1926, retained his honors during the year. Walker went out of his class to stop Mike McTigue and win a ten round decision over Paul Berlenbach. Manager Jack Kearns intends to seek a match with Tommy Loughran for the light heavyweight championship during 1928.

Tiger Flowers, former middleweight champion, and Jimmy Delaney, light heavyweight division, died during the year. Young Griffo and Spider Kelly, wonderful fighters of the old days, also passed away, but their ring craft will live long in the memories of those who saw them in action.

Boxing Champs

Flyweight—Izzy Schwartz.
Bantamweight—Bud Taylor.
Featherweight—Tony Canzoneri.
Junior lightweight—Ted Morgan.
Lightweight—Sammy Mandell.
Junior welterweight—Mushy Callahan.
Welterweight—Joe Dundee.
Middleweight—Micky Walker.
Light heavyweight—Tommy Loughran.
Heavyweight—Gene Tunney.

Jones and Hagen Lead Parade in 1927 Golf

BY HARLAND ROHM.

Golf presented its usual paradox in the year of 1927, for the outstanding feature of the year was the monotony with which two golfers continued to add championships to their already record strings. They are, of course, Robert T. Jones Jr., three times national amateur champion, twice national open champion, and twice British open champion, and Walter Hagen, whose twenty major championships were crowned this year with the amazing feat of winning the United States professional championship for the fourth consecutive year.

To Jones goes the palm for the greatest golf of the year. That withering blast of 675 and 685 at Minnikahda seared the hopes of Jimmy Johnstone by 10 to 9, of Francis Ouimet by 11 an 10 and of Chick Evans by 8 and 7 on three successive days. This came after tieing the medalist record with 142 in his qualifying rounds, to say nothing of his record 281 [including one round in 66] in the British open.

Jones has a unique system in that he loses one of the four major championships each year and wins two of them. Since 1923 inclusive, five years, he never has been without at least one major championship. In 1926 he lost the national amateur but won the national open and the British open. This year he lost the national open but won back the national amateur and repeated in the British open.

Hagen Keeps on Going.

While Jones was putting still higher an unmatched record in amateur golf, Hagen was doing exactly the same thing among the professionals.

He riped through the field in the Western open with such speed the championship was his at the end of the third round, when he eased up, but won with strokes to spare. It was in the national professional championship, however, where he reached the top of his form, as he usually does. In the ten professional championships played, Hagen has won five times, losing only one match out of 31 against the pick of the golfers who are good enough to make their living at it.

Three years in succession has been an impossible achievement for any golfer in any major championship, yet the imperturbably "Haig" came to Cedar Crest with that record behind him and set it another notch higher. His path wasn't smooth and with Tommy Armour and Joe Turnesa he had hard battles, but once more he made it known that he still is able to defend his reputation as the greatest match player in the world.

Armour Wins Open Title.

While these two performed the outstanding feats of the year, there were plenty of other thrills and plenty of good golf—in fact, the season proved that golf is keeping step with other sports and the pace is getting swifter year by year. In the national open Tommy Armour crowned years of fine golf with a national title.

Through the four rounds the championship was a scramble and anybody's until nearly every score was in. Half a dozen men, including such great golfers as Hagen, Gene Sarazen, Bill Mehlhorn, all had a chance on that final round but Oakmont's killing course tossed them all aside except Armour who came to the last long hole needing a birdie three to tie Harry Cooper. The story of one of Tommy's great iron shot seconds to ten feet of the pin and the sinking of the putt has been told often but it was to be climaxed by a great playoff.

The playoff justified the prediction that the man who could play Oakmont's deadly short holes would win the championship. For three times on short holes in that round Armour chipped from off the green dead for his three. After sinking a 50 foot putt on the fifteenth green to square the match, when Hooper's putt, which wasn't a yard shorter, hit the back of the cup and stayed out, they came to the sixteenth hole. Tommy again saved himself by a chip to the pin while Cooper's shot to a murderous trap cost him two shots. Once more came a climactic thrill when Cooper pitched his second to a foot of the pin on the seventeenth and Armour played his as delicately over a trap to within eight inches of the cup's lip.

Perhaps as great a surprise as any came in the women's national championship when Mrs. Miriam Burns Horn brought the first women's national championship to the west. With Mlle. Sion de la Chaume, champion of Great Britain and France, Mrs. W. G. Fraser, Miss Ada Mackenzie as foreign threats and Glenna Collett heading America's greatest women golfers, the twenty-four year old westerner didn't seem to have a chance, especially as she had lost to Mrs. David Gaut in the women's western a few weeks before.

Farrell Wins 8 Open Meets.

Incidently, a new star in women's golf appeared in Mrs. Pressler, wife of a California pro, who competed in the women's western unheralded and swept through to the championship on as fine a game as any woman has shown in years.

There is material for a volume in the year's golf. Mlle. de la Chaume's march to two women's championships in Europe; Bon Stein's great golf in the western; Chick Evans' return to his great form of a few years ago; the golf of Chicago's young and coming star, George Thomas; George Voigt's blazing path through the southern amateur tournaments; Jess Sweetzer's return to health which will make him a factor in the future, though he didn't compete last year.

All of these and more were highlights and in addition two records stand out among the professionals. One is Bobby Cruickshank's string of victories in the southern tournaments which won him $11,000, and the other is the record of Johnny Farrell in the "regular" golf season. Farrell won eight open championships, six of them in succession, a burst of golf which ranks with Hagen's and Jones' achievements.

Champions

United States amateur—Robert T. Jones Jr.
United States open—Tommy Armour.
United States women's—Mrs. Miriam Burns Horn.
United States professional—Walter Hagen.
United States public links—Al Kaufman.
British amateur—Dr. William Tweddell.
British open—Robert T. Jones Jr.
British women's—Mlle. Sion de la Chaume.
Canadian amateur—Donald Carrick.
Canadian open—Tommy Armour.
Canadian women's—Miss Helen Payson.
Canadian professional—James Johnstone.
Western amateur—Don Stein.
Western open—Walter Hagen.
Women's western—Mrs. Harry Pressler.
Western junior—Albert Rakes.
Illinois state amateur—Geo. W. Thomas Jr.
Illinois professional—Al Espinosa.
Chicago district amateur—Jack Westland.
Chicago district open—Johnny Farrell.
National intercollegiate—Watts Gunn.
Western conference—Lester Bolstad.
North and south amateurs—George Voigt.
North and south women's—Miss Glenna Collett.
Southern open—Robert T. Jones Jr.
Eastern open—Johnny Farrell.
Metropolitan open—Johnny Farrell.
Los Angeles open—Bobby Cruickshank.
Texas open—Bobby Cruickshank.

International Dog Sled Derby to Be Held Feb. 20-22

The eastern international dog sled derby will be run at Quebec, Canada, Feb. 20 to 22.

TOO MUCH YANKS EPITOMIZES 1927 BASEBALL DRAMA

National League Leads in Attendance.

BY IRVING VAUGHAN.

Baseball's Follies of 1927 will go into the books as a case of "Too Much Yankees." The Yanks were too much for their own league. In fact, so much so, they ruined the season financially for some of the clubs. And the influence of the Yanks was so strong that it reached out in early October and gave the National league a taste of a potion that hadn't been passed around since the 1914 Braves knocked down the Athletics in four straight world's series games.

The world's series setback, however, was the only poor act that crept into the National league's season. The parent major, from an aggregate attendance standpoint, flourished as it never had flourished before and shaded the American league by a large margin. The American league merely paid for the blind policy that once permitted the Yanks to raid Boston and build up, and the National league enjoyed the fruits of a four team flag race.

Chicago Cubs didn't win a pennant, but they at least were the key to the National dramatic exhibition. Coming up out of nowhere to carry the burden of first place for almost half the race, McCarthy's team converted itself into the league's best attraction, being next to the Giants as a road drawing card and setting an at-home record of 1,190,000, a mark that never has been passed in either league except by the Yankees.

The American league race was the exact reverse of the National. Before the curtain went up predictions were freely made that Connie Mack would surely go somewhere with his Athletics. Mack went nowhere except to the drugstore for a headache cure. The Yanks got the jump on him at the very start and never were headed, their final count being 110 wins and 44 defeats, or just six victories shy of tying the high mark set by Frank Chance and his Cubs in 1906.

Although the Yanks shattered all interest in the actual race they at least helped the rival owners by their drawing powers. The home run match between Babe Ruth and Lou Gehrig brought customers to the parks in every town.

Gehrig's threat to bat the run crown off the Babe's brow faded out at about the half way post and the Babe went on to his mark of 60 circuit taps, one above his 1921 record. Gehrig's batting feats, as well as his all around play, were not overlooked, however, his reward coming in the annual Most Valuable Player selection.

The National league had a home run affair of its own but it did not develop into a spectacle. The principals were Hack Wilson, the broad boy who plays center field for the Cubs, Cy Williams, the venerable Philly, and Rogers Hornsby of the Giants. At the finish Wilson and Williams were tied with 30 four-cornered hits and Hornsby was behind them with 26.

Not a little of Pittsburgh's successful quest for the National league flag was due to the hitting and fielding deeds of Paul Waner and the lad was properly rewarded with the $1,000 most valuable player prize. Waner topped the league with a final batting average of .380, a mark that helped the Pirates to turn in a team average of .305.

There may be some difference of opinion as to the year's outstanding hurler, but as figures do not lie, even in baseball, Charley Root of the Cubs hardly can be overlooked. The ex-Coast leaguer with the fast ball, control and courage, didn't top the circuit in effectiveness as regards runs scored against him but he led all in games won with 26 against 15 losses.

Urizar Wins 2 Matches in Rainbo Hi Li

Jai alai fans who were kept away from the Rainbo fronton last night by the cold or who sought their New Year's entertainment elsewhere missed a lively performance by the two Spanish mites, Jeff Santiago and his brother, Urizar.

Jeff has not done much in the way of encouraging his backers, but last night he came through with a victory to reward his folowers the best price of the evening. He won the seventh game, an elimination doubles, with Barrutia. They paid $10.50 for a $2 ticket.

Urizar, paired with Joaquin, won the feature match of the night, the two team match fifth on the program, and then returned to the court to capture the following singles event.

Urizar and his team mate outclassed their opponents, Uranga and Magueregui, winning 15 to 10, and paid even money. His price was slightly better for his singles triumph as he rewarded his followers $5 for $2 invested. Summaries:

FIRST GAME—ELIMINATION DOUBLES.

Lucio-Murica, 6 points	$6.10	out	out
Pascau-Ulacia, 3 points		out	out
Guillermo-Aramendi, 3 points			out

SECOND GAME—ELIMINATION DOUBLES.

Pascau, 8 points	10.20	6.30	4.50
Anibal, 7 points		5.00	4.00
Creus, 6 points			3.80

Lobat, Lucio, Guillermo, Satur, and Marcelino also played.

THIRD GAME—ELIMINATION DOUBLES.

Lizaralde-Magrui, 6 points	6.60	4.60	3.30
Labat-Marcelino, 5 points		7.00	3.80
Satur-Basauri, 4 points			3.10

Lucio-Aramendi; Guillermo-Ulacia; Tiodoro-Bazutia also played.

FOURTH GAME—ELIMINATION SINGLES.

Ramos, 8 points	7.70	4.60	3.00
Teodoro, 7 points		6.80	3.40
Joaquin, 6 points			3.00

Mugica, Vicente, Santiago, Trecet, and Urizar also played.

FIFTH GAME—DOUBLES.

Urizar-Joaquim, 15 points	4.00	out	out
Uranza-Mogueregui, 10 points			out

SIXTH GAME—Elimination singles.

Urizar, 8 points	$5.00	$4.00	$3.00
Trecet, 6 points		4.00	3.00
Magueregui, 6 points			6.20

Marcelino, Aromendi, Barrantia, Basauria, and Joaquin also played.

SEVENTH GAME—Elimination doubles.

Santiago-Barrantia, 8 pts.	$10.50	$6.30	$4.00
Teodoro-Marcelino, 6 points		5.10	3.90
Urizar-Uria, 5 points			4.60

Satur-Alacia, Vicente-Basauria, Uranza-Triondo, Ramos-Murica, and Trecet-Aramendi also played.

EIGHTH GAME—Elimination doubles.

Teodoro-Murica, 6 points	$6.60	$3.20	$2.20
Vicente-Basauri, 5 points		6.10	4.00
Trecet-Furquet, 3 points			3.00

Uranga-Modesto, Ramos-Uria, and Santiago-Ulacia also played.

T'was Only a Song but Its Melody Made a Pitcher of Ted

BY EDWARD BURNS.

Ted Lyons, who, in the opinion of this baseball author and many other folks, is just about the pitchingest young man in the big leagues, writes that he is doing his winter training on the old home plantation at Vinton, La.

Ted is training some by shooting ducks, but mostly he is working out with his portable gramophone. Never a day passes, Ted says, but what he does some practice listening in on a brand new record sent him by an admirer from What Cheer, Ia.

Information that Ted has a new record came as something of a surprise. In the past other fans have tried to give him new records but he'd always throw the presents away because of loyalty to his favorite.

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Ted is not a musician despite his love for lyric art. But the inspiration he receives from his pasison for music generally is accredited as the reason for his athletic success. It's just as well for the other teams of the American league that Ted can't play a violin. If he were able to play a concerto just before going on the baseball field, he'd never lose a ball game. But,



alas, he can't even wheeze a ditty on a harmonica.

To counteract this great tragedy the Baylor boy has provided himself with the best mail order portable gramophone money can buy. And everywhere that Ted goes, the gramophone goes too.

Until this winter, though, Ted has stuck by the composition which first served as his pitching inspiration.

The name of the piece that for years has lifted Ted to the heights is "Sweet Adeline," really a very beautiful number.

The drinking class perhaps has lost sight of the real charm of "Sweet Adeline," due to sacrileges committed in the old fashioned saloons or buffets. But "Sweet Adeline" IS pretty.

Most music lovers like the number by a quartet. And there's nothing more stirring, providing you have a good sober tenor to take the lead. Some prefer a basso profundo on the other end of the quartet, but many rather would have a singer just a little lower than the baritone, if you know what we mean.

The great curse to "Sweet Adeline," it's true has been its frequent repetition by mellow songsters. A tenor who is the least bit too mellow always is off register and if the remaining three fourths of the quartet are in their cups too they usually start weeping. This is a handicap from a sheer musical viewpoint and has done much, perhaps, to cast a shadow on the sweet refrain of "Sweet Adeline."

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Ted's favorite record is a quartet produced by four ultra-dry Baptists. And Ted doesn't know anything about barrooms or strong drink, anyhow, although he was brought up in the mint julep zone of Louisiana. To him "Sweet Adeline" is ever new, ever beautiful.

Every morning when he arises, during the championship season, Ted goes over to his portable and flips the little lever that starts the mechanism. The record always is in place, the machine always wound. The flip of the lever and the ballad rolls forth—dulcet at first, then booming in the climaxes.

Some mornings Ted plays the record twice and when his assignment is particularly difficult he plays it three times. Sometimes he hums gently in accompaniment; other times he casts his eyes ceilingward in soulful ecstasy, his manner hallowed as a sun worshiper basking in the rays of his god.

Last June Ted was in an eastern city. He had been going like a house afire. He had won 12 games in 14 starts.

Ted went to bed early the night before he was to try for his thirteenth. Though eager for the dawn he soon fell into peaceful slumber.

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The next day, from the first inning it was apparent that Ted was not to win his thirteenth that afternoon. Two hits at the outset gave the fielders a workout. Twice Catcher Harry McCurdy complained that Ted was crossing his signals for the first time in history. In the third inning Ted was knocked out completely.

Manager Cracker Schalk was bewildered. After the game he launched an investigation which led him to Ted's room. He knew of Ted's constant fount of inspiration and his eyes focused on the portable gramophone.

Cracker placed the needle and set the contraption a-going. It was then that he discovered that a plotter had replaced "Sweet Adeline" with "What'll We Do on a Dew, Dew, Dewy Day?"

Handy Mandy, Mike Hall Break U. S. Turf Records

BY FRENCH LANE.

Except for Anita Peabody and Reigh Count, both 2 year olds owned by Mrs. John D. Hertz of Chicago, there were no outstanding champions in the various divisions running on the American turf in 1927.

Anita Peabody was the best 2 year old filly in America and possibly the best 2 year old of the year because she beat all the great colts and fillies in the Belmont Futurity. Reigh Count was the best 2 year old colt and some say he was a better 2 year old than Anita Peabody, but that argument probably never will be settled. They ran one-two in the Futurity. Anita Peabody was first and Reigh Count second.

Two Records Established.

Two American turf records were hung up during the year. Handy Mandy ran a mile and a half in 2:28 3-5 in the Latonia Derby of June 25. Mike Hall ran a mile and seventy years at Latonia on Oct. 20 in 1:40 3-5. Neither Handy Mandy nor Mike Hall were considered champions. The latter was running in selling races part of the season.

Whiskery was possibly the best 3 year old of the year but never showed winning form after capturing the Kentucky Derby. There wasn't an outstanding star in the handicap division. Chance Play and Display were the eastern leaders. Chicago and Flat Iron were the western leaders. When leaders from the east and west clashed in the Lincoln handicap in Chicago, Chance Play showed his heels to his western rivals.

Nearly all the important stakes were decided in New York and Maryland. Chicago, with legalized racing, didn't have a stake of sufficient value to be rated among the 15 richest decided in this country and Mexico.

Hardy Leading Jockey.

L. Hardy, an Indiana boy, 18 years old, was the leading jockey of the year. He won 207 races, far below the mark hung up by many great riders of the past. Harry Payne Whitney's two brilliant victories in the Preakness stakes and the Kentucky Derby with Bostonian and Whiskery made him the leading money winning owner of the year. Anita Peabody was the largest money winning horse and Earl Sande accounted for more money in stakes and purses than any other jockey in America.

More purse and stake money was distributed at tracks in this country than in any previous year, the total running close to $12,000,000. The attendance at race tracks also shattered all records. The suspension of Jockey Earl Sande for a foul in the Pimlico Futurity was the most talked of happening of the year in turf circles.

Pro Football Enjoys Season of Prosperity

BY WILFRID SMITH.

New York's Giants, who lost only one game during the season, won the National Professional Football league title for 1927.

Professional football undoubtedly enjoyed its best year in the season just completed. With the demise of the American league, which had been inaugurated in 1926 by C. C. Pyle, because the National league would not accede to his demands for Grange and the Yankees, the older pro circuit took advantage, playing to larger crowds in nearly all cities of the league.

Furthermore, the National league directors reduced the number of the teams to twelve. The number of franchises in 1926 had been 22, and this reduction formed a more compact circuit and provided better competition.

Friedman's Debut Successful.

The outstanding feature of the year was the debut into the pro game of Benny Friedman, former all-American quarter back of Michigan. Benny took the franchise in Cleveland, where the pro game had not paid for several years, and not only proved that it would pay in Cleveland but that he was one of the best drawing cards.

The fight between the Giants, Green Bay, and the Chicago Bears for first place was waged bitterly and for a time in midseason it seemed as if the Bears might win first honors. At that time Cleveland had aided the Bears' cause by administering a 6 to 0 defeat to the Giants, which was the Giants' only reverse. The Bears won two closely fought games from Green Bay, the first by the margin of a point after touchdown, 7 to 6, and the second game, played in Chicago, 14 to 6.

Bears Flop on Road.

But the Bears lost their title chance when they falled in both their invasions into New York City. The Yankees overwhelmed them unexpectedly on the first trip and then three weeks later the Giants finished the deal after the Chicago Cardinals had taken a miserably played Thanksgiving day game from the Bears by a 3 to 0 score. These defeats gave the Packers of Green Bay second place.

Financially the league is better off than after any previous season. With the exception of the Chicago Cardinals, Buffalo [which dropped out of the league after losing five straight games] and possibly one other eastern team, all the clubs made money or at least broke even. Several proved to be excellent financial investments, especially the Chicago Bears, Cleveland, Green Bay and both New York teams.

U. S. DETHRONED AFTER 7 YEAR TENNIS REIGN

French Take Davis Cup, American Titles.

BY HOWARD ROBERTS.

The year 1927 brought the downfall of America's tennis dynasty and the passing to foreign shores of the Davis cup, emblematic of the team tennis championship of the world, which had been held by the United States for so long it was regarded almost as an American institution.

The abdication of the United States from the tennis throne was not voluntary, but the culmination of three years of untiring effort by the Four Musketeers of France—Rene Lacoste, Henri Cochet, Jean Borotra, and Jacques Brugnon—who carried on in the face of crushing defeats in two previous attempts. They attained their goal and battered down the barriers which for seven years successfully had withstood the attempts of other nations to purloin the cup which has become the most famous piece of silverware in the world.

But France's victory was not attained without a struggle. The United States again relied on its famous Old Guard, William T. Tilden II., William M. Johnston, and R. Norris Williams, supplemented by Francis T. Hunter, a newcomer to international competition. The veteran defenders put up a valiant struggle, but the weight of age tilted the balance against them, and the youthful Frenchmen predominated, three matches to two.

Cup Matches in September.

The struggle for the Davis cup opened on the turf courts of the Germantown Cricket club, Philadelphia, on Thursday, Sept. 8, with the teams breaking even on the day's efforts. Rene Lacoste, the tennis automaton, proved too strong and too steady for Little Bill Johnston, whose racket had lost much of its cunning. Lacoste won, 6-3, 6-2, 6-2. Big Bill Tilden evened the score for the United States by humbling his former nemesis, Henri Cochet, 6-4, 2-6, 6-2, 8-6.

On the following day Tilden and Hunter put the United States in the lead by defeating Borotra and Brugnon in five bitter sets, 3-6, 6-3, 6-3, 4-6, 6-0. The strain of two days of strenuous play, however, sapped Tilden's strength, and on Sept. 10 he succumbed to Lacoste's uncanny accuracy, 6-3, 4-6, 6-3, 6-2. That left the outcome up to Johnston and Cochet, but Little Bill proved unequal to the task, Cochet winning, 6-4, 4-6, 6-3, 6-2.

Thus ended the seven year reign of the United States tennis dynasty, the longest in the history of the Davis cup, which has been up for competition twenty-two times since the trophy was donated by Dwight L. Davis, present secretary of war, in 1900.

The rise of France in the tennis world was felt elsewhere than in the Davis cup challenge round last season. Rene Lacoste won the national men's singles championship for the second straight year, defeating William Tilden in the final round, 11-9, 6-3, 11-9.

Helen Wills Rules Supreme.

The national indoor championships assumed a French tinge for the second consecutive year when Jean Borotra annexed the singles title, defeating Jacques Brugnon, in an all-French final, 6-2, 6-4, 6-3. Borotra and Brugnon then teamed to win the indoor doubles crown from Francis Hunter and Dr. George King, 7-5, 6-3, 6-3.

Tilden and Hunter won the national turf court doubles title, defeating R. N. Williams and Johnston in the final round, 10-8, 6-3, 6-3.

In the women's championships alone did the United States overshadow the rising tide of foreign opposition. Helen Wills, completely recovered from the appendicitis attack which forced her to abandon her national title in 1926, ruled supreme.

Starting her campaign to regain her laurels as the world's greatest woman player, Miss Wills stroked her way to both singles and doubles titles at the English championships at Wimbledon. Helen defeated Señorita de Alvarez in the final round of the singles, 6-2, 6-4, and then won the doubles paired with Miss Elizabeth Ryan. They defeated Miss E. L. Hlene and Mrs. G. Peacock, 6-3, 6-2. The United States won further laurels in the Wimbledon tournament when Tilden and Hunter took the men's doubles and Hunter and Miss Ryan the mixed doubles.

Young Players Improve.

Helen Wills crowned her comeback campaign at Forest Hills, L. I., Aug. 22-27 when she swept through a field of international stars to regain the American title, defeating Betty Nuthall, sensational young English star, in the final round, 6-1, 6-4. The doubles final, however, was an all-English affair, Mrs. Kitty McKane Godfree and Miss Ermyntrude Harvey defeating Miss Joan Fry and Betty Nuthall, 6-1, 4-6, 6-4.

Perhaps the most encouraging aspect of an otherwise disastrous season from the American point of view was the notable improvement shown by three young players upon whose shoulders will fall much of the burden of trying to regain the Davis cup from France. These youngsters, whose play throughout the 1927 season stamps them as future international stars, are George M. Lott Jr. of Chicago, John Hennessey of Indianapolis, and John Doeg of Santa Monica, Cal.

Cubs Release Sewell, York to Reading Club

Infielder Tommy Sewell and Pitcher Jim York last night were released by the Cubs to the Reading International league club. Sewell, younger brother of Joey and Luke Sewell of the Cleveland Americans, and a graduate of the University of Alabama, was sent out under option while York was released outright.

Death Reaps Its Toll of Sports Notables in '27

New York, Dec. 31.—[Special.]—Leaders in various fields of sport who died during 1927 numbered among them more than a score of men prominent in baseball, boxing and racing. They were:

BASEBALL — Billy Gilbert, Rose Young, Lave Cross, Charlie Bennett, Jerry Denny, Thomas T. Brown, Michael J. Doyle, Danny Shay, Otto Borchert, James E. Johnstone.

BOXING — Freddy Welsh, Tiger Flowers, Aurelio Herrera, Spider Kelly, Jimmy Delaney, Frank Bartley, Young Griffo, Paul De La Croix.

RACING — James McLaughlin, G. H. [Ham] Keene, Montford Jones, Payne Whitney, Benny Marinelli.

GOLF—Walter J. Travis.

TRACK AND FIELD—William C. Prout.

SWIMMING—Sybil Bauer.

BILLIARDS—Tom Gallagher, Pierre Maupome.

Hockey Leaps to Prominence as Major Sport

Hockey Champs

MAJOR LEAGUE.
National Professional league—Ottawa Senators.

MINOR LEAGUES.
Canadian Professional—London, Ont.
American Association—Duluth, Minn.
Canadian-American—Springfield, Mass.
Prairie—Calgary.

BY FRANK SCHREIBER.

Professional hockey experienced one of the greatest booms in the history of the sport during the 1926-27 season and prospects for an even greater advance this season are bright. Hockey gained in popularity with the fans, in value of franchises and players, in attendance at the games and in the number of teams in competition.

The greatest advancement in the famous ice sport came in the National Professional league, an organization composed of ten teams scattered throughout the east and middle west of the United States and the border cities of Canada. This league, rated as the major organization of hockey, established new records for attendance, receipts and value of its players and team holdings.

Three Teams Added to League.

Three teams were added to the league at the start of the 1926-'27 season, the Chicago Blackhawks, New York Rangers, and the Detroit Cougars being the newcomers and all three of the new clubs showed a profit. The old teams of the league were the New York Americans, Boston Bruins, Montreal Maroons, Montreal Canadiens, Pittsburgh Pirates, Toronto Maple Leafs, and the Ottawa Senators.

Ottawa Senators won the league championship and the Stanley cup, the trophy emblematic of the title. The Senators won the playoff series in which the New York Rangers, Boston and Chicago teams competed from the American division and the Senators and two Montreal teams—the Canadiens and Maroons—from the Canadian division of the league.

Cook Leads Scoring.

Willie Cook of the New York Rangers led the league in scoring for the season, having 33 goals scored and four assists for a total of 37 points. Dick Irvin, captain of the Chicago team, was second with 18 goals and 12 assists for 36 points, while Howie Morenz of the Montreal Canadiens, finished third with 32 points.

Player values took a big leap upward during the season. Several players were rated beyond value by their owners and $20 000 for a contract was common. Morenz of the Canadiens was held as the most valuable player from a cash standpoint when the owners of the Montreal team refused an offer of $50,000 for the speedy forward. At the start of the 1926-'27 season Maj. Frederic McLaughlin, head of the Chicago syndicate of sportsmen who hold the Blackhawk franchise, paid $100,000 for the players of the old Portland, Ore., team, and this squad was used as the nucleus of the present Chicago team.

Attendance at all of the National league games showed an increase. Chicago, in its first year in hockey, showed a remarkable interest in the sport and the Blackhawks declared a profit at the end of the season. In New York the largest crowds gathered to see the Americans and Rangers play, these teams having several games which drew capacity attendances of 17,000 at the Madison Square Garden rink.

Minor Leagues Prosper.

The minor leagues of hockey also gained in popularity. In the minor championship series the Springfield, Mass., team, champion of the Canadian-American league, defeated London, Ont., titleholder in the Canadian Professional league. In the Prairie league, an organization composed of teams in western Canada, Calgary was declared the champion. Calgary met Saskatoon in the playoff series for the league title, but after each team had won one game the series broke up in a row and President Seaborn of the league fined the Saskatoon club $500 and declared Calgary champion.

MARQUETTE WINS OVER MILWAUKEE AT HOCKEY, 4-1

Milwaukee, Wis., Dec. 31.—[Special.]—Coach Kay Iverson's Marquette university hockey sextet won its fourth straight game here this afternoon by defeating the strong Milwaukee Athletic club six 4 to 1 on the Marquette rink. McFadyn and Mackenzie, a pair of sophomores from Calgary, featured for Iverson's team while Thompson starred for the athletic club. Marquette meets Wisconsin at Madison Friday.

Chicago Y. M. C. A. College Wins at Zanesville, O.

Zanesville, O., Dec. 31.—[Special.]—Chicago Y. M. C. A. college basketball team defeated Zanesville Y in a close game tonight, 32 to 30. This makes the fifth victory in eleven games the Chicago team has played on a tour through six states and Canada.

START STORING SNOW FOR PALOS SKI TOURNAMENT

A corps of forest preserve workmen yesterday was ordered to begin storing snow to insure a supply for the annual ski tournament held by the Forest Preserve Ski club next Sunday at Swallow Cliff, Palos Hills, 111th and Kean avenue, at 1 o'clock.

Last year it was necessary to

1927 Record Year in Various Fields of Sport—Here Are Some of the Champions

PICTURES OF OTHER CHAMPIONS IN ROTOGRAVURE



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BALBOA WINS FINAL FEATURE AT JEFFERSON

Beats Grand Dad by 3 Lengths.

DAILY RACING FORM SELECTIONS
CONSENSUS

TIA JUANA.

1—No selections.
2—PARGOLD, Bon Fils, Miss Ida Brown.
3—Shepherd, Sophia Goldman, Wynnewood.
4—Lord Douglas, El Cid, Be Frank.
5—High Ball, Lloyd Brown, Prodigal.
6—Sergeant Seth, Tharce, Forecaster.
7—Master Rock, Flute, Roberbrook.
8—Louis Rubenstein, Runolathe, Ernog.
9—Worthman, Paula Shay, The Falconer.

New Orleans, La., Dec. 31.—[Special.]—Balboa rushed into the lead at the top of the stretch to win the Iberville handicap by three lengths from Grand Dad at Jefferson Park today. The race, a mile affair, was the feature on the closing program of Jefferson Park's winter meeting. Arabian finished third.

Grand Dad took the lead at the start and held it by several lengths until near the stretch, where Balboa, with Stretton aboard, started to travel. As the field came into the stretch Balboa cut loose and sprinted away.

The annual meeting at the Fair Grounds track opens here on Monday.

JEFFERSON PARK RESULTS.

FIRST RACE—Purse $1,000, claiming, 2 year olds, 6 furlongs:
Rosie Weidel, 103 [R. [Leonard] 12.40 8.00 3.60
Clear Star, 107 [P. Heberl] 17.20 7.00
Bill Seth, 106 [W. Bowden] 3.40
Time, 1:16 1-5. Old Kid, Duff's Time, Burstone, Sonny Golden, Sister Margie, Kitty Cat, La Vestale, and *Afame ran. *Field.

SECOND RACE—Purse $1,000, claiming, 3 year olds and up, mile and 70 yards:
Ritter, 110 [V. Peterson] 16.20 8.80 6.00
Johnny Campbell, 105 [J. J. McTague] 7.80 6.20
Old Tom, 108 [P. Heberl] 3.20
Time, 1:54. Kent L., *Son of Araby, Chayal, Privatus Seth, Oseda, Upstart, Open Fire, *Lory Valentine, and *Little Guines ran. *Field.

THIRD RACE—Purse $1,000, claiming, 2 year olds, 6 furlongs:
Many Flags, 103 [Du Bois] 7.00 4.40 2.40
Alcol, 108 [F. Ambrose] 3.60 2.60
Procne, 105 [A. Pascuma] 4.80
Time, 1:18. Elizabeth, Blue Flag, Colle Queen, and Silent Jack ran.

FOURTH RACE—Purse $1,000, claiming, 3 year olds and up, 1¼ miles:
Jale, 105 [P. Heberl] 6.00 3.00 2.80
Letter Six, 114 [M. Fator] 3.20 2.80
King Tut, 111 [V. Peterson] 4.00
Time, 2:11 2-5. Reed Street Lis, John J. Jr., Lancil, and Toscanelli ran.

FIFTH RACE—Purse $1,000, handicap, all ages, 1 mile:
Balboa, 109 [S. Streiton] 11.40 6.40 4.00
Grand Dad, 110 [J. Lerland] 3.40 2.60
Arabian, 108 [V. Peterson] 3.20
Time, 1:48. Anaconda, Seralro, Royal Pennant, and Quibbler ran.

SIXTH RACE—Purse $1,000, claiming, all ages, 6 furlongs:
Watch On, 110 [Bowden] 5.80 3.80 2.00
David L., 113 [Pool] 3.80 2.60
Muldoon, 110 [Geving] 2.40
Time, 1:18 2-5. Blind Cast, Red Banner, William P. and Dearborn ran.

SEVENTH RACE—Purse $1,000, claiming, 3 year olds and up, mile and a quarter:
Clique, 110 [Anderson] 9.40 5.60 4.60
Try Again, 109 [Heberl] 7.40 5.00
Jobal Early, 109 [McCabe] 4.00
Time, 2:10. Marulale, Junior's Nurse, Wild Cat, and Royal Oak ran.

TIA JUANA RESULTS.

FIRST RACE—Purse $800, claiming, welterweights, 3 year olds and up, 6 furlongs:
May Reese, 122 [Saunders] 6.00 4.80 4.00
Barber Bill, 120 [McDuff] 7.00 4.60
Cleoporte, 121 [Schmitz] 8.20
Time, 1:12. Snowcap, Tulsa, Indemnity, Mannikin II, Jack Frost, Bookworm and Short Choice ran.

SECOND RACE—Purse $800, claiming, 3 year olds and up, 5 furlongs:
Yami, 106 [Ray] 12.20 5.00 4.80
Is Zat So, 103 [Pudgy] 4.20 4.00
Grand Folg, 112 [Balatti] 3.40
Time, 1:07 3-5. Miss Rochester, Venture, Combustion, Virginia Morse, Arabob, Vineyard, Balance Book, Milton, Klickitat Bum and Cible ran.

THIRD RACE—Purse $800, claiming, 3 year olds and up, 5 furlongs:
Biddy Ships, 98 [Carlisle] 17.40 7.20 5.00
Confluente, 106 [Leidler] 5.20 5.00
Tim O'Brien, 108 [Swift] 4.00
Time, 1:08 3-5. Cloud Accelerator, Lajolla, Skootin, Queen Anna Marie, St. Denard, Barrage and May Flower ran.

FOURTH RACE—Purse $800, claiming, 3 year olds and up, 1¼ miles:
Glanmore, 107 [Meyer] 12.80 5.60 6.40
Shindy, 107 [Laidler] 3.80 4.20
Escapador, 103 [Rennis] 6.80
Time, 2:25. Chapas, Enoca, Cruzera, Nebraska Lad and Sea Green ran.

FIFTH RACE—Purse $800, claiming, 3 year olds and up, clubhouse course:
Gondolier, 110 [Pallon] 3.80 2.80 2.40
Born Dear, 110 [Critchfd] 4.80 3.20
Tavern Talk, 107 [Luther] 2.80
Time, 1:40. Tennessee, Miss Fountain, Tender Seth, Busser and Tommie McComb ran.

SIXTH RACE—Purse $800, claiming, 3 year olds and up, mile and 70 yards:
Tommi, 104 [Jenner] 6.80 4.00 2.80
Minstrel Boy, 110 [Jones] 3.60 3.00
Pathan, 110 [Luther] 3.40
Time, 1:54 1-5. Blue Fish, Golden Sweep and Scalia ran.

SEVENTH RACE—Purse $800, claiming, 3 year olds and up, 6 furlongs:
Conquestador, 110 [Petrl] 11.00 6.60 3.40
Rich Ball, 113 [Lidseth] 3.60 2.60
Earbinger, 110 [Luther] 3.20
Time, 1:20. Unlucky, Odd Seth, Roper, Merry Chase and Sonny ran.

EIGHTH RACE—Purse $800, claiming, 3 year olds and up, clubhouse course:
Soph Glorus, 104 [Lozish] 24.20 8.60 4.20
Bardalid, 110 [Francis] 4.60 3.80
Son O'Unc, 106 [Petrone] 9.20
Time, 1:42. Wilmer, the Wizard, Make Up, Jay Mac and Red Weed ran.

TIA JUANA ENTRIES.

FIRST RACE—Purse $800, claiming, 2 year old colts and geldings, 2 furlongs—†Hunker Hills, 118; †Tulasco, 115; Fill D., 118; Gold Chain, 119; Black Darling, 118; Bear Prince, 118; †Rapid Transit, 115; †Charmer Shot, 116; †Frank D., 118; Maj. S. Christensen, 120; †Nevada Stock Farm entry, 2 allen entry.

SECOND RACE—Purse $800, claiming, 3 year olds and up, 5½ furlongs—Douglas H. Johnston, 102; Johnny Burnell, 112; Senor Mountain, 101; Maurice Mulcahy, 107; *Fay Wood, 101; Weathervane, 105; Combustion, 110; *Bon Fils, 89; Yami, 104; *Muriel H., 102; *Question Mark, 97; *Pangold, 104; *Jaco, 101; Miss Ida Brown, 107; Voorfloor, 106; *Manoa, 101; De Jolla, 104; Mary Maud Carr, 104.

THIRD RACE—Purse $800, claiming, 4 year olds and up, Clubhouse course—Shepherd, 111; *Sheffield, 99; Tan Sen, 106; Jasper, 113; War Saisam, 105; Quoin, 109; Peter Brush, 101; *Strife, 105; Marion Rinaldetta, 110; *Wynnewood, 100; *Pretty Bill, 101; *Sophia Goldman, 105; *Buddy Clark, 101.

FOURTH RACE—Purse $800, claiming, 4 year olds and up, 1 mile—*Culican, 107; Lord Douglas, 112; Bardalid, 107; *El Cid, 107; *Indemnity, 103; Fire Captain, 107; *Bullet Proof, 107; Be Frank, 113.

FIFTH RACE—Purse $800, claiming, 3 year olds, 5½ furlongs—Pittsburgh Abbey, 100; Lloyd Brown, 108; Kilauea, 113; Shasta Lily, 99; *Highball, 113; †Margaret Ellen, 108; Tim O'Brien, 112; Prospect, 108; *Major Seth, 106; *Prodigal, 106.

SIXTH RACE—Purse $1,200, handicap, 3 year olds and up, 5 furlongs—Spunk Marguerite, 95; Deep Thought, 110; Forecaster, 100; Alexander Pantages, 90; Sergeant Seth, 110; †Thrace, 100; †Red Dragon, 86; Tamarind, 112; Sandman, 90; †Janet, 100; Cockrill, 99; Paavo, 94; Trusty entry, †Creech entry.

SEVENTH RACE—Purse $800, claiming, 3 year olds and up, 6 furlongs—Frank Light, 110; Brule, 110; *Master Rock, 110; Honey-moon, 110; *Mollie Dear, 106; *Red Ace, 107; Bahgata Comet, 108.

EIGHTH RACE—Purse $800, claiming, 3 year olds and up, 6 furlongs—Runolathe, 90; Glenicester, 106; Ray Nock, 115; In the Eye, 103; Louis Rubenstein, 112; *Lieutenant Seth, 110; †Red Dragon, 95; Short Price, 110; Trusty entry.

NINTH RACE—Purse $800, claiming, 4 year olds and up, Clubhouse course—Sprary, 110; Musketeer, 108; Paula Shay, 106; Hong Kong, 108; *The Falconer, 105; †Kingman, 110; Maricita, 103; Worthman, 108.

High School Player Shot in Leg While Hunting

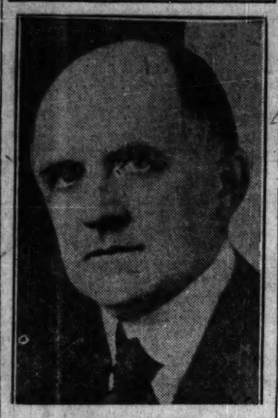
Sterling, Ill., Dec. 31.—[Special.]—Johnny Innis, star basketball player of Sterling Community high, was shot in the leg today while hunting.

Sleipner A. C. Postpones Annual Ice Skating Derby

Owing to the poor condition of the ice, the Sleipner Athletic club yesterday postponed its thirty-fourth annual ice skating derby until Thursday.

WHAT YOU OUGHT TO KNOW ABOUT BRIDGE

Writes for You



R. M. ROGERS.

ARTICLE ONE.

Although the game of auction bridge and its predecessors, bridge and whist, have been played for many years a marked increase in its popularity is sweeping over the country. Thousands who a few years ago refused to learn the game because it was too much like work are giving up the simpler games of euchre and five hundred and seeking instruction in auction.

Its devotees are fascinated by it principally because there is something solid and substantial about it and because it requires sound and careful thought. A recreation is something which diverts a person's mind and activity from its customary channels and it has been found that this does not mean inactivity and that it need not be a frivolous, worthless activity.

Even those whose daily work is largely mental, find that they gain rest and refreshment in a totally different kind of mental exercise such as they find in auction. While some card games are agreeable for a social hour and serve satisfactorily as time killers, any one who spends leisure hours in playing and studying auction has the added feeling that he has been doing something well worth while. He has exercised and thus strengthened his observation, memory and reasoning faculties, and as most people need to use these faculties in their daily work they find that their study of auction fits them better for their duties in office, factory or drawing room.

There is also a steadily increasing demand among the players for a better understanding of the game. Many who have played it in a haphazard way, simply as a time killer, are coming to appreciate its worth and are devoting some time to its real study.

No matter how well a person plays there is always room for improvement because the possibilities of the game are such that they can never be fully mastered. Among the many thousands of players in the world, only about two per cent play well enough to be called experts, and for the other 98 per cent and for those who never have played at all these articles have been prepared. There will be thirty-six articles in the series and while the first two deal with fundamentals of the game with which all players are familiar and while the aim has been to use such simple language that all may understand them, still the treatment of the subject will be so systematic and thorough that following them should greatly improve the game of every player.

Their value will depend not upon how many rules are given or how many isolated cases are explained but upon the clearness and simplicity of the statements and the comprehensiveness with which the system will cover the countless possibilities arising in the bidding and playing of the game.

In order to become proficient in any game two things are needed—learning the rules so thoroughly that they may be instantly put into practice and then learning when to break these rules. In teaching auction one should not use the word "always" or "never" because there is no rule which should not be broken at times. Any person who always plays according to rule will be a "wooden" player and never can hope to rise to the level of the expert.

To break rules wisely, however, one must know them thoroughly and to do this will require study and real work upon the part of the student. If anything is worth doing at all it is worth doing well, and so it is urged that all who wish to profit by these articles should make up their minds to do their share of the work.

In order to learn rules of a game thoroughly studying them is not sufficient, one must actually play at the same time and, therefore, it is recommended that students studying these articles do so in groups of four. In this way the illustrations can be placed on the table and actually played, which not only will make them easier to understand but will help materially in remembering them.

After studying each article it would be well to play a regular game and discuss the points which come up to illustrate the teaching.

As the series progresses more and more points will be covered and the only way to master such teaching is to review frequently the previous articles. Each article may make it easier to understand a preceeding one so that every time an article is reviewed some statement in it is sure to shine with a new light and give the student a meaning which he formerly had missed.

Therefore, those who wish to get the most out of these articles would do well to save them and frequently reread from the beginning.

FLORIDA HOUND TRACKS LOSE IN NEW COURT FIGHT

Miami, Fla., Dec. 31.—(AP)—A petition for injunction to restrain state and county officers from interference in a proposed telegraphic wagering system to be operated between here and Havana, Cuba, on dog races held in Miami, was denied the Biscayne Bay Kennel club today by Federal Judge Henry D. Clayton.

Judge Clayton, however, refused to make public the full decision as to merits of the petition, until tomorrow.

Forester Teams to Play at De Paul Gym Today

The north division of the Catholic Order of Foresters will change the scene of its activities this afternoon when at 2 o'clock the games will be played at the De Paul gym, Sheffield and Webster avenues. Hofbauer and Western Reserve, undefeated teams, will clash. In the other games, St. Leopold meets Queen of Angels and De Soto tackles St. Monica.

Two important games are scheduled in the south division at the St. Rita gym, 63d and Oakley, when Englewood plays St. Gabriel and St. Elizabeth battles St. Sabina. Other games will bring together Carmelite and Tom Moore and St. Cecelia and Visitation.

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LE FRANCE MAKES DEBUT TOMORROW AS BLACKHAWK

When the Blackhawks take the ice tomorrow night at the Coliseum against the Toronto Maple Leafs they will have Leo Le France in the front line. Le France was acquired from the Montreal Les Canadiens. He is a left wing player, and the deal which brought him in a hurry to Chicago was hastened by the accident last Wednesday to Capt. Dick Irvin, star forward of the Blackhawks. The newcomer weighs 165 pounds and plays either a wing or center position.

Le France is the third addition to the badly battered Hawks in the last three weeks. Duke Keats, formerly of Detroit, and Ty Arbour of Pittsburgh are the others.

Le France went to the Canadians from last year's pennant winning Duluth Hornets with which aggregation he was the outstanding star. He is known for his puck carrying ability and his aggressiveness. He also is said to drive one of the hardest shots in organized hockey. Le France was born on Allunette Isle, Ont., Nov. 3, 1902.

British Soccer

LONDON, Dec. 31.—(AP)—Following are the results of football games played in the British Isles today:

ENGLISH LEAGUE.

FIRST DIVISION.

Arsenal, 3; Bury, 1. Birmingham, 3; Tottenham Hotspurs, 2. Bolton Wanderers, 2; Cardiff City, 1. Burnley, 3; Blackburn Rovers, 1. Leicester City, 3; Aston Villa, 0. Liverpool, 3; Sheffield United, 1. Manchester United, 2; Middlesborough, 1. Huddersfield Town, 3; Newcastle United, 2. Portsmouth-Sunderland postponed. Everton, 2; The Wednesday, 1. West Ham United, 3; Derby County, 2.

SECOND DIVISION.

Notts County, 2; Bristol City, 1. Chelsea, 0; Reading, 0. Grimsby Town, 3; Clapton Orient, 1. Hull City, 2; Barnsley, 1. Leeds United, 3; South Shields, 0. Manchester City, 3; Wolverhampton Wanderers, 0. Nottingham Forest-Port Vale postponed. Preston North End, 1; Fulham, 0. Stoke City, 2; Southampton, 0. Swansea Town, 1; Blackpool, 0. West Bromwich Albion, 0; Oldham Athletic, 0.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE.

FIRST DIVISION.

Aberdeen, 2; Queen's Park, 1. Airdrieonians, 2; Hibernians, 2. Bo'ness-Kilmarnock not played. Celtic-Raith Rovers postponed. Falkirk, 2; Lowdenbeath, 0. Kosts, 2; Hamilton Acads, 1. Motherwell, 5; Clyde, 0. Partick Thistle, 2; Dundee, 2. Rangers, 1; St. Johnstone, 0. St. Mirren, 5; Dunfermline Athletic, 1.

SECOND DIVISION.

Arbroath, 4; Alloa, 1. Albion Rovers, 3; Armadale, 2. Ayr United, 6; Arthurlie, 1. Dumbarton, 2; Bathgate, 1. Dundee United, 4; Forfar Athletic, 0. East Fife, 1; King's Park, 1. East Stirling, 2; Queen of South, 2. Leith Athletic, 4; Clydebank, 0. Stenhousemuir, 5; Morton, 2. Third Lanark, 6; St. Bernard, 1.

MALLOY REVIVES OLD CUSTOM OF HOLIDAY FIGHTS

Twenty-five years ago boxing promoters were accustomed to hold flatiron shows on New Year's afternoon. The fans seemed to like it. And today Mique Malloy purposes to revive the custom.

Mr. Malloy intends to offer 24 rounds [maybe less] of boxing for the entertainment of his 1928 customers. The first bout is scheduled to start at 3 o'clock. The middle of the day starting hour is planned with the purpose of giving the fans ample time to feast at home before starting for the White City ringside.

Two south side youths, Henry Lenard of South Chicago and Paul Allen of Englewood are given the honor of fighting the eight rounds billed as the feature performance of the show.

Schedule of bouts follows:

Henry Lenard vs. Paul Allen, 8 rounds, 130 pounds.

Ralph Mendoza vs. Joe Chaney, 6 rounds, 135 pounds.

Jack McCarthy vs. Billy Showers, 6 rounds, 147 pounds.

Frank LeMarre vs. Gene McCue, 6 rounds, 158 pounds.

Bobby Allen vs. Tommy "Kid" Williams, 6 rounds, 116 pounds.

Birds Crave Christmas Trees for Their Cafeteria

BY BOB BECKER.

As soon as New Year's day arrives the Christmas trees which have brightened millions of American homes are sentenced to the rubbish pile. This is a sad finish for a handsome little spruce or balsam unless you present the tree to the winter birds, redecorated "cafeteria style."

Here is the way to dedicate your Christmas tree to the chickadees, bluejays, nuthatches, brown creepers, cardinals, and other birds which, instead of going south, remain with us during the winter months. As soon as the tree has been stripped of its lights, artificial snow, and Christmas ornaments, take it into the workshop and increase the size of the base so that it will stand up in a strong wind. This done, you are ready to decorate it for the birds. As the latter are more interested in food than in artistic ornaments, select your trimmings from the following food items: Chunks of suet, meat bones, shelled peanuts or peanut butter, rolled oats, bird seed, sun flower seeds, bread crumbs, and cranberries. If you provide one or more of these food items and put them on the old Christmas tree, you're going to have all kinds of bird visitors in the back yard.

Small pieces of suet may be tied to the branches of the tree. The chickadees, nuthatches, and bluejays will take to the suet like a goose does to corn. It's a good idea to tie the suet close to the main stem of the tree, letting the twine over each chunk, so that no one bird can run away with more than his share of grub. For the bread crumbs, seeds, and peanuts, use small receptacles made from the tops of tin cans. Receptacles fashioned from pasteboard will hardly do, as they won't stand a rain or melting snow. We recommend biscuit tins, tops of coffee cans, and other similar articles which serve very well for the small foods. You can punch holes in them, insert small wires, and fasten them to the tree in quick order.

If you want to provide a real set up for the birds decorate the tree with two or three cheap soap shakers filled with chopped suet and peanuts. These can be suspended from the branches. In such a position the sparrows won't bother 'em, as they dislike to perch on a swinging object.

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Grade Separation Plan for County Stirs Wide Interest

Enhances Property Value Instead of Injuring, Is Claim Made.

BY PUTNEY HAIGHT.

A DESIGN recently submitted by Maj. George A. Quinlan, superintendent of Cook county highways, as a model for grade separation plans in the county, has attracted wide attention among engineers and traffic officials in widely separated metropolitan areas. These view it as a solution for the problem of grade separations within cities, where property values are extremely high. Publication of the ground plan of the separation drew fire through Vox Pop in THE TRIBUNE, where it was criticised because of its apparent extension area.

On the other hand Leslie Sorenson, city traffic engineer in the bureau of streets of the board of public works of Chicago, sees in this plan a practical way to get around the prohibition costs connected with the grade separation necessity in the heart of this and other busy cities.

"The elaborate grade separations with four secondary ramp approaches," Mr. Sorenson said, "has had municipal officials cowed, because of the expense involved through property damage and the acquisition of valuable property to provide sites.

"By using this simple plan the only cost of grade separation as congested business corners is the elevation of one street and the depression of the other for a distance of two blocks. All approaches are composed of the existing side streets at grade. The buildings facing the separated intersection are enhanced in value because there is provided business frontage on two levels instead of one.

"By this means not an extra foot of ground beyond that now used for streets and sidewalks is required for the improvement. The cost of the work consists only of the price of the structure itself, the depression of one street and the resurfacing of the roadways."

Maj. Quinlan, in explaining his design, said that the intent of this plan was to provide for the enhancement of property values at the intersection, and at the same time eliminate the definite obstacle of property damage and property cost for sites.

"This type of separation primarily is calculated for roads out in the county," Maj. Quinlan said. "It has been found that at many road intersections in the county the abutting property holders values their possessions as highly as some owners do their corners in business districts of Chicago. It was to get away from the incidental cost of condemnations and purchases that the more simple method was suggested.

"On such grade separations, through traffic is permitted to flow both ways evenly and smoothly and rapidly without a break in its continuity. If, however, a driver desires to turn off he will be compelled to go around a block. This is no great hardship upon a driver who is destined to leave the through traffic line. As soon as this vehicle leaves the through traffic line and follows the connecting street two squares it is again in a line of through, continuous traffic, which crosses under or over the opposing traffic lines without interruption."

Such a grade separation requires four square blocks with the improved streets surrounding each of them just as such streets are expected to exist around any given block.

The property in all four blocks is thus enhanced in value, "Maj. Quinlan points out," for each of the blocks is susceptible of improvement for business purposes and has four paved frontages available for development, instead of two, as exist when the highways cross at grade. In built up sections of cities, of course, the four frontages are usually developed already, but in that case there is an enhancement, for the buildings fronting on the intersection acquire an additional street level at that point.

"This makes it possible for the county to proceed with great economy to build grade separations in the outlying area, and the fact that subdivisions surround some intersections should prove an advantage, rather than an obstacle."

"As illustration of just how this intersection bears on surrounding property can be obtained by applying a little imagination to the design of Michigan avenue between Illinois and Ohio streets. Considering that the elevation starting at Ohio were for the sole purpose of crossing Grand avenue, it is easy to imagine Michigan avenue returning to grade at Illinois street instead of remaining at an altitude across the bridge.

"This would create a separation of Grand and Michigan. The use of Rush and St. Clair streets would be necessary, in addition to Illinois and Ohio streets, to change from one street level to the other. Excepting for the small percentage of traffic which chooses to change from one to the other of the through streets, no interruption of the flow of traffic occurs.

"No change in building lines or buildings is necessitated. No complicated system of ramps which takes up space that costs large sums is required. The purpose of the separation is achieved in that it permits two great volumes of traffic to keep moving at right angles without interruption."

Such grade separations as this might be constructed at any point within the city, it is pointed out, at a cost that represents only the construction work.

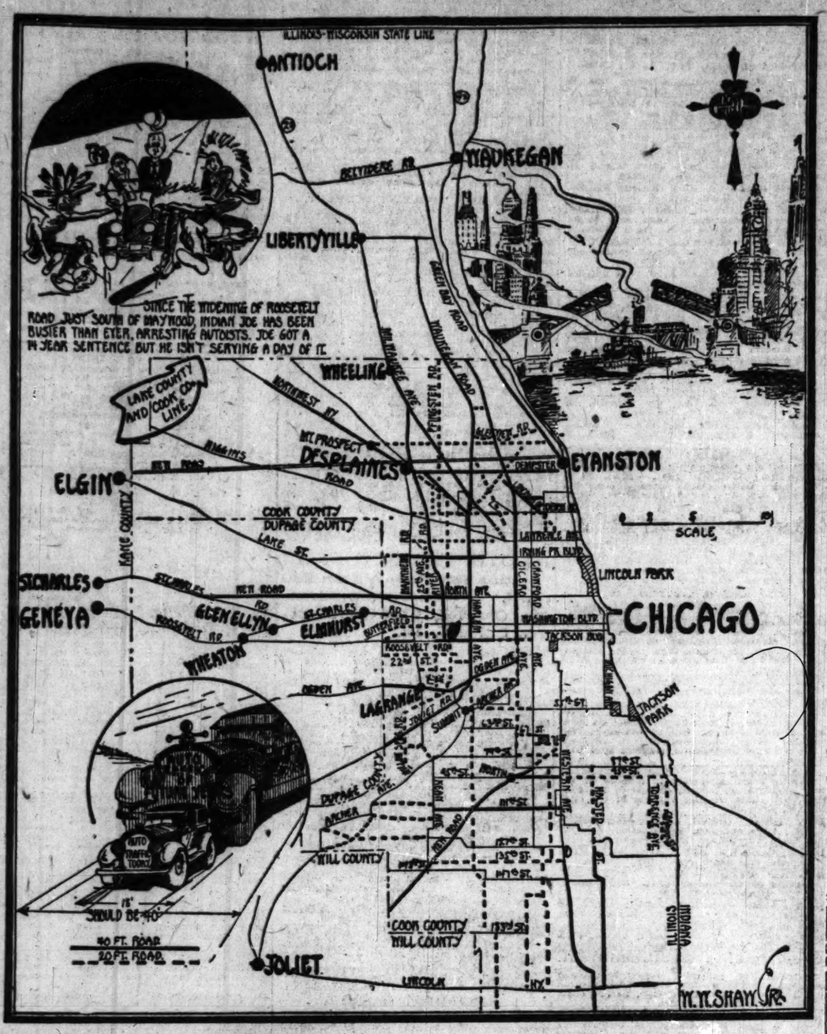
A separation at Clark street and Diversey parkway, with Diversey elevated from Cambridge to Halsted street, it is said, would be practical, feasible and economical. The street arrangement surrounding this intersection is probably as intricate and offers as many engineering problems as any possible location for a separation in the city. Yet by extending the area of the approach to Oakdale and Wrightwood avenues beyond York place, Lehmann court, Dewey place and Abbott court, the transfer facilities would be entirely practical.

For separations at intersections where the streets maintain right angles, engineers state that no problems of importance exist.

For present day motor traffic the sharpness of grade is not a matter of great importance. The rise in Michigan avenue from Ohio street to the center of the overhead at Grand avenue is made within 220 lineal feet. Motor traffic has no difficulty in negotiating the grade at 40 or 45 miles an hour when given an opportunity.

Tribune Tours

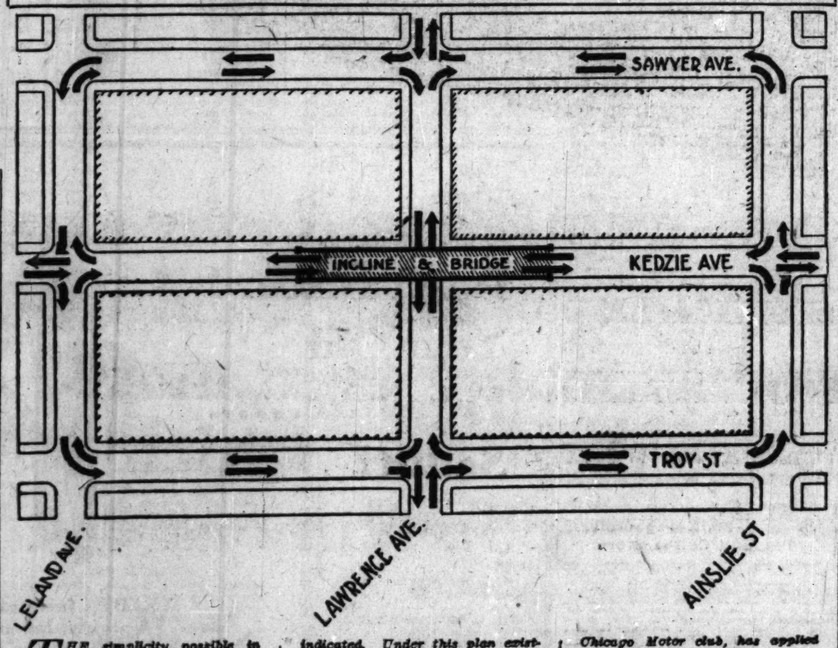
XXXXII.—THE 500 MILES OF MOTOR WAYS IN COOK COUNTY



THE new year finds the concrete driveways of Cook county increased and again increasing.

Where there have been 18 and 20 foot pavements in the past, smooth cement, 40 feet wide is promised in the future. The illustration shows what the Chicago motorist may expect in the way of 40 foot driveways by next fall and also what new 20 foot highways are to be completed. The drawing includes the road construction work by both the state and county as specified for building during the new year. Much of it will be under construction before the spring comes. Much more will be carried to completion during the five warmer months that follow. Motorists will probably be inconvenienced to an extent during the building season but when that is once over it is reasonable to believe that the county roads will have caught up with traffic, at least for the current year. Black lines indicate 40 foot road and dotted lines 20 feet.

GRADE SEPARATIONS TO ORDER



THE simplicity possible in providing grade separations at congested street intersections of cities recently was suggested by Maj. George A. Quinlan, county superintendent of highways, who submitted plans for a grade separation in the county of the character indicated. Under this plan existing streets are used for connections with the overhead or underpass streets, and a large part of the expense of construction is eliminated. The cost of such separations on 66 foot streets, it is estimated, would not exceed $100,000. Charles Snyder, engineer for the Chicago Motor club, has applied the treatment of the Quinlan design to the intersection of Lawrence and North Kedzie avenues for the purpose of showing the manner in which existing streets may be used for connections, instead of a system of highly expensive ramps.

NEWS AND VIEWS OF THE AUTO TRADE

ANNOUNCEMENTS by four of the great figures of the automobile manufacturing industry that lower prices either have been established or will be within a few days, has been taken by the country at large to mean that the year 1928 will be an exceedingly favorable one to the ultimate consumer. The companies which have disclosed a determination to meet the competition involved in the resumption of quantity light car output are the Chevrolet, the Hudson-Essex, the Studebaker and the Overland.

Chevrolet, in an official announcement today, says that it now is offering "the most distinctive low priced automobile of all time." The line is described as having "extended wheel base, greater speed and power, four wheel brakes, longer body, thermostat cooling, shock absorbing springs, new duco colors, motor enclosure and indirect instrument panel lighting." The line has seven models, two open and five closed, and prices have been reduced to $495 for roadster and touring, $585 for coach to $715 for the imperial landau.

John N. Willys of the Willys-Overland company has issued the statement that the new Whippet will be in the hands of all dealers next Friday and at that time the new prices will be revealed. He asserts that the price will be lower than any previous price listed by his company, fixing it as below $555, which was the list for one of the former cars. Mr. Willys also declared that quantity production of the Whippet might make further reduction possible. The car itself is to show considerable improvement.

The Hudson Motor company broadcasts the information that the new Essex six sedan is to sell at $795. This is $40 under the current list price. The coach model is now offered for $735 and a larger coupe with rumble seat at $775. The new models are described as possessing many new features of beauty of appearance and refinement of driving equipment. The company reports 1927 as its most successful year with an output of 280,000 Hudson and Essex vehicles.

Studebaker announces, in addition to the new President eight cylinder car, the American edition of the Erskine at the reduced price of $795 for the club sedan model. This is a six cylinder car of admitted beauty of lines and remarkable mechanical performance while economical in operation. It has four wheel brakes, and full outside equipment as well as a number of important interior appliances tending toward riding and driving comfort.

A salon exhibition of Chevrolet cars is being held this week on the mezzanine floor of the Palmer house, primarily for the convenience of interested women who otherwise would have to visit crowded salesrooms at the various agencies through the county. Tea will be served afternoons and an orchestra will render music.

List of Exhibits for Chicago Auto Show Completed

Arrangements Finished for Display at Coliseum Starting Jan. 28.

ANNOUNCEMENT has been made of the official list of cars, the new models of which will be disclosed for the first time in Chicago at the automobile show opening at the Coliseum Jan. 28.

In addition, the makes of trucks and taxicabs to be shown at the twenty-eighth annual edition of the exposition, are made known.

Following is list:

Passenger cars — Auburn, Buick, Cadillac, Chandler-Cleveland, Chevrolet, Chrysler, Cunningham, Dodge Brothers, DuPont, Elcar, Erskine, Essex, Falson, Flint, Franklin, Gardner, Hudson, Hupmobile, Jordan, Kissel, La Salle, Lincoln, Locomobile, McFarlan, Marmon, Moon, Nash, Oakland, Oldsmobile, Packard, Paige, Peerless, Pierce-Arrow, Reo, Star, Stearns, Studebaker, Stutz, Velie, Whippet, and Willys-Knight.

Taxicabs—Yellow Cab.

Trucks—American LaFrance, Chevrolet, Cunningham, Federal, G. M. C., Graham Brothers, Reo, Roamer, Sayer & Scovill, Selden, Star, Stewart, Studebaker, and Stutz.

The service equipment section, an innovation of 1927, will be staged again. The shop equipment section will be closed to the public until 5 p. m. daily.

The main floor of the Coliseum, the north hall and the annex will be occupied by passenger cars, trucks and taxicabs. The balconies of the Coliseum and the second floor of the annex will be devoted to parts and accessories, while shop equipment will fill the balcony of the north hall.

Charles D. Hastings of the Hupp Motor Car corporation has been made chairman of the show committee to succeed H. M. Jewett, A. H. Swayne of General Motors was appointed a member of the committee, which includes F. C. Chandler. This group has been cooperating closely with Samuel A. Miles, veteran general manager of the show.

New License Tags Start to Appear on City's Streets

MORE than 180,000 of the new 1928 state license tags for automobiles have reached Chicago in time for many to appear on the streets in the new dress on New Year's day, it was reported by the secretary of state's office. In the last few days the new tags have been noticeable through the city traffic, but not in sufficient numbers to keep down public curiosity as to their appearance.

The secretary of state announces that the distribution of numbers this year is being accomplished with more speed and certainty than in past years. Returns from the letters sent to all automobile owners inclosing application blanks were said to have been more than 60 per cent by the day following Christmas.

Old numbers will not be made the subject of prosecution before Feb. 1, it is stated. The month of January will be allowed for the distribution to final applicants. The last 1927 number issued, according to the official list of the secretary of state, issued last week, was No. 1,250,000, issued to Stephen Johnson Jr., 1754 North Shore avenue.

Alighting from Cars.

"Passengers wishing to alight from motor vehicles should remember to always leave the car on the right hand side, and at the curb," says Charles M. Hayes, president of the Chicago Motor club. "Hundreds of men and women riding with friends to work in the morning and home at night frequently get out of the car, on the wrong side, right in the midst of traffic, in order to avoid causing delay or annoyance to the driver. This is a very dangerous practice, and never should be indulged in."

Gasoline Tax Refunds.

Claims for refund on gasoline tax paid in various states are due in January for the preceding period. In Illinois claims covering the six months during which the tax has been imposed will be audited after the first of the year. Many of the claims have been filed in the quarter following the payment for purchase, but it was stated that the refund payment would be made after Jan. 1.

Trans-Atlantic Lines Now Carry Motors for Touring Yanks

TRANS-ATLANTIC steamship companies have announced a new service for motorist tourists by which the company takes complete charge of cars from New York to the European port of landing. It insures it for the passage and obtains licenses and identification cards required by continental authorities.

On receipt of passage money and photographs of the owner of the car, the carrier will arrange for a membership in the Auto Club de l'Ile de France, secure an international customs pass, apply for an international driver's license, obtain necessary license plates and identification papers, register the car with American customs officials, and take out marine insurance.

With the exception of moderate disembarkation rates at the ports of Cherbourg, Plymouth, and Cobh, flat rates varying from $130 to $190, cover all service. At Bremen, the home port of the North German Lloyd, no disembarkation rate is required.

In announcing the service, Ludwig Plate, head of the Lloyd in the west, explained that a growing demand for trans-oceanic automobile transportation made the new service possible.

Keen Competition Predicted for Motor Industry in 1928

BY WHITCOMB WILLIAMS.

DETROIT, Mich., Dec. 31.—As the automobile industry moves into a new year, following one not quite up to anticipations of a year ago, it faces greater possibilities than it has ever before known. The last year was characterized by uncertainties as to competitive conditions. Manufacturers were never more cautious. The result was negative to the industry.

This condition has partially cleared. Builders are no longer working in the darkness of uncertainty.

New lines which will be shown by the various manufacturers are practically ready, even if not yet announced, and their programs will be aggressive. Merchandising perfection as well as economy and value must be observed to successfully combat the competition that has already begun and will increase with the approach of the spring selling season.

Production schedules are not only higher at this time of year than ever before, but indications are they will be greatly increased early in the coming month. Retail sales still lag, but this is causing no worry on the part of manufacturers and dealers who are of the belief that there is even now a waiting market for an exceptionally large output of automobiles.

The industry as a whole experienced an easing up period while waiting for Ford to perfect his new line of cars and begin the marketing of them. But in spite of this, the industry experienced a satisfactory year with nothing resembling a slump, or a buyers' strike.

Invested capital received a good return. Preparations were completed for forward movements. Strength, in the form of new models, were added by a majority of manufacturers. In a few cases complete new lines will be ready for the campaign just ahead. All these will be ready for public criticism—good or otherwise—when the doors of the national show open in New York on Jan. 7.

What show visitors are to see is sure to interest and surprise them. The usual yearly changes in models is more pronounced in 1928 than ever before, especially in body designs and mechanical changes. The trend of prices continues downward. Expansions, combined with more modern equipment for producing cars is working to the advantage of the buyer. Not only is the public getting a better car, but is getting it for less money, while the profit of the builder is not disturbed.

Leaders in the industry are unanimous in their expressions that 1928 will have many opportunities for them, and will be an active and prosperous year for the trade. Many signs already indicate that these optimistic forecasts have an excellent chance of being fulfilled during the new year.

The heavy contest will be staged by lightweight cars—Chevrolet and Ford. To those on the sidelines this 12 months' race will be in the nature of a sporting proposition. The goal is the retention by General Motors of its present position as leader in the automotive industry from a production and sales viewpoint or the regaining of that honor by the Ford company.

To strengthen its position for the race, General Motors is out with a new Chevrolet line, with a promise that it will be the most spectacular low priced car of all time. Assembly plants throughout the country have been in production of the new line since early in December, and practically every dealer in the United States has a car ready for inspection.

With the improvements in the Ford line, which goes into quantity production early in January, and the new Chevrolet, with its many improvements, the race will be well worth watching. The demand for each of these cars is sure to tax the capacity of the factories that produce them.

Another car to command attention in the medium price field is the new Studebaker President, with a straight eight motor. Dodge Brothers is fortified with an extensive line of models in three different price classes. Their four cylinder line is now equipped with 4 wheel brakes. The Hupp company, now closed for inventory, will reopen in January, producing a new six, a light eight, and a big eight.

Summed up, there will be twenty-two new lines of cars ready early in January, from lowest to highest class fields. Prospective buyers will find shopping more confusing than ever before, for they will have more than ever from which to choose. One thing, however, is certain. No matter what their choice, it will be a good dependable car.

Twenty new lines will be brought out by twelve manufacturers, and several others will add new models to their present line.

Cars with two wheel brakes will be entirely absent and price adjustments are looked for with the opening of the National Automobile show.

Advance information shows a distinct strain of increased speed in the cars of 1928. The old 50 mile per hour car will give way to those claiming speeds of 60 miles an hour in the four cylinder line. The sixes and eights not only claim but guarantee even 70 miles an hour or better. This is the result of the logical demand for speed and plenty of it.

The labor barometer of the employers' association showed an increase of 4,209 for the week, bringing the total now employed in Detroit automobile and accessories shops to 202,083. There is an apparent increase of 86,436 over the corresponding week of 1926, but this is due to the fact that last year several of the largest plants were closed for inventories.

The Ford plant now has enrolled close to 90,000 in its Highland Park and River Rouge plants.

Manufacturers of low priced cars have not been idle during the last year and it will be found that Ford has no monopoly on any particular field. The results of automotive engineers' efforts will soon be made public, and from advance information it is certain more "last word" cars will be offered by their respective manufacturers. Perhaps even Ford will be forced to improve or remodel his latest marvel—the Model A.

Counties Wrangle Over Routing of Kankakee Road

New Forty Foot Radial Highway to Chicago on 1928 Program.

FINAL decision by the state highway department to build its first 40 foot new highway by private contract instead of by state labor will probably result in the completion of the thoroughfare next summer. The road is to be built from Kankakee to 147th and Halsted streets during the coming season, it is planned, and later may be made a connection with South Park avenue, extended, when the city portion of that avenue is developed sufficiently to warrant it.

Bids have been asked for on the project, which is now completed for a mile north of Kankakee. All alignments and surveys were completed last summer and necessary grading was to be a part of the contract to be carried out during this winter.

While the Chicago end of new route 49 appears to be all provided for the southern reaches of the highway are yet to be determined. Under the plans for this highway the southern terminus is to be at Willow Hill, 200 miles south of Chicago. The tentative alignment was submitted some months ago, but recently objections were made in regard to certain portions and the highway department has ordered hearings on the subject of revisions.

Champaign and Vermilion counties are reported to be in a dispute over the alignment in that territory. The state highway department engineers are credited with favoring the location along the west edge of Vermilion county, extending south from Kankakee to a point three miles east of Ogden, connecting with route 10, thence west to Ogden in Champaign county and from there south.

Champaign county good roads boosters sent a delegation recently to Springfield to present arguments which favored the entrance of the road from Vermilion county at Royal and then to follow a southern course, crossing No. 10 at a right angle instead of utilizing it for a distance of three miles.

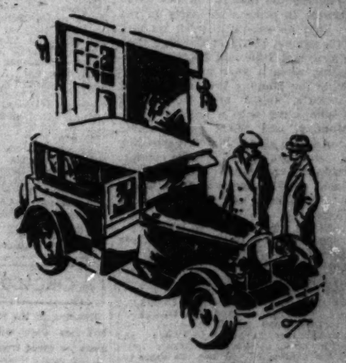
They contended that route 10 is now handling all the traffic safety will permit and additions will be dangerous. They objected to placing north and south traffic upon an east and west road. Further, they endeavored to prove that considerable money may be saved by the state in the using of the Royal route.

The committee of Champaign county supervisors charged undue influence and decided to "fight Vermilion county with its own weapons, politics."

Vermilion county promoters counter charge that Champaign county is endeavoring to induce the state to take over one of its nine foot concrete pavements between Royal and Ogden.

If the county line is followed between Vermilion and Champaign counties, the cities of Homer and Ogden would be missed, while the state would save two miles of pavement.

Now Is the Time to Sell Your Used Car!



THE discomforts of crowded, drafty vehicles . . . of long, wind-whipped streets between home and transportation, and of slushy sidewalks will induce many people to buy a good used car this winter.

If you have one you are thinking of selling—now is the time to make a favorable deal. You can do this most easily and most profitably by advertising through a Tribune Want Ad.

Just how a Tribune Ad will help you is well illustrated by the experience of C. L. Buning.*

Mr. Buning was anxious to sell a used car, and wisely he decided to try first in the largest and most active used car market in Chicago—The Tribune Want Ad Section. His results were immediate; the day his ad appeared he sold the car to one of the many interested prospects that called him.

Practically as many cars are advertised yearly in The Tribune Want Ad Market as are advertised in Chicago's five other media COMBINED! This is because automobile owners and dealers have learned from experience that The Tribune's used car market is more responsive than any other. To sell your car most quickly and profitably advertise it in this market. Call—



"As I am interested in The Hub Storage Co., markets where second hand and used merchandise can be promptly and economically sold are of great importance to me. The Tribune Want Ad Market has never disappointed me. Just the other day I had a chance of proving this again when I advertised a car for sale. The day the ad appeared many people came, and I sold the car at the value I had fixed for it. Although the ad appeared and the sale was made over a week ago, I am still getting calls about that car."

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HOGS ARE FIRM; DEMAND BOOSTS PRICE OF CATTLE

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK

HOGS.

Receipts, 5,000; shipments, 4,500.

Bulk of sales	$ 8.10@ 8.75
Heavy butchers	8.35@ 8.85
Butchers, 180@250 lbs.	8.65@ 8.85
Medium weights	8.50@ 8.75
Heavy and mixed packing	8.25@ 8.60
Rough and heavy packing	7.20@ 7.60
Lightweights 160@185 lbs.	8.50@ 8.70
Selected, 140@155 lbs.	8.30@ 8.50
Pigs, poor to choice, 50@125 lbs	6.50@ 8.00
Stags, subject to dockage	6.50@ 7.60

CATTLE.

Receipts, 500; shipments, 100.

Prime steers, 1,100@1,400 lbs.	$16.25@18.00
Good to choice, 1,050@1,400 lbs.	14.25@16.25
Poor to good, 900@1,400 lbs.	10.00@15.25
Yearlings, 750@1,100 lbs.	12.00@17.85
Bulls	5.25@14.00
Low grade killing steers	8.50@ 9.75
Fat cows and heifers	6.00@13.25
Canners and cutters	5.10@ 6.15
Calves, poor to fancy	8.75@15.00
Stockers and feeders	7.50@13.25

SHEEP AND LAMBS.

Receipts, 1,000; shipments, 500.

Wethers, poor to choice	$ 5.00@ 7.00
Ewes, poor to choice	5.00@ 7.00
Yearlings	8.00@11.00
Fed western lambs	11.50@13.85
Native lambs	11.00@13.50
Native lambs, culls	8.50@10.75

COMPARATIVE PRICES.

HOGS—Bulk of sales yesterday	$ 8.40@ 8.75
One month ago	7.20@ 9.00
One year ago	10.80@11.80
CATTLE—Bulk of sales yesterday	
One month ago	11.25@14.00
One year ago	11.00@13.25
SHEEP—Fed western lambs yesterday	8.00@ 8.60
One month ago	11.50@13.50
One year ago	13.25@14.40
	12.00@13.15

Hogs held firm on the week end trade, finishing steady to 10c higher, with lightest weights again scoring the gain. Storms were reported throughout the west, causing buyers to scramble for the meager supply available, in anticipation of comparatively small receipts at Chicago early next week.

Outsiders shipped out 4,500, including 2,000 bought Friday. Only half of the local packers obtained stock. About 1,500 were left at the close. Range of prices narrowed further, top and average standing only 25c apart at $8.85 and $8.60, respectively, the narrowest since early last February, against $1.40 "spread" about two months ago.

Hog Supplies Small.

Due partly to the Monday holiday, hog receipts last week at 157,600 were second smallest since the first week of last November, but compare with 146,306 a year ago. Receipts the corresponding week in 1924 totaled 296,846, with the five year average at 221,200.

Although heavy "packers" are fewer in number, hogs are weighing heavier, last week's estimate average at 229 lbs. equaling the heaviest since Nov. 5, being 3 lbs. heavier than a year ago. The week's general average price moved up 10c at $8.45, against $8.10 two weeks ago, and $11.70 a year ago. Fluctuations have been small since hogs touched the lowest level since 1924 about three weeks ago, daily tops during the last two weeks being within a range of $8.75@8.85.

The smallest cattle receipts in several years, coupled with urgent shipping demand following the holiday last Monday, boosted prices sharply. General average price reached $12.65, against $13.00 the previous week and $9.55 a year ago. Prices finished at the high point of the week and near the highest point of the year. Topnotchers were absent and best available reached $18.00, within $1.00 of the highest paid for cattle since 1920.

Lambs Close Lower.

Following a slight "comeback" directly after the holiday, lambs broke again, medium and weighty stock falling sharpest after midweek. The latter finished 50c to $1.00 under a week earlier, with better grades steady to 25c lower. Lambs during the last two weeks averaged lowest in price since early in the week. Best on sale last week stopped at $14.00, against $15.75 at the high time of the year last June and $13.25 the corresponding week a year ago.

Receipts for Monday are estimated at 15,000 cattle, 40,000 hogs and 20,000 sheep, comparing with a holiday previous Monday, and 20,824 cattle, 29,651 hogs and 22,380 sheep, the corresponding day a year ago. Next week's receipts are estimated at 45,000 cattle, 180,000 hogs and 90,000 sheep, against 58,757 cattle, 182,535 hogs and 95,479 sheep, a year ago.

RECEIPTS AT TWENTY MARKETS.

Combined receipts in cattle, hogs and sheep at twenty markets follow:

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Last wk.	141,000	612,000	258,000
Prev. wk.	181,000	620,000	214,000
Year ago	180,000	526,000	232,000
'27 to d'e	13,898,000	30,892,000	15,892,000
Year ago	14,642,000	30,383,000	16,459,000
1925	14,528,000	33,801,000	15,187,000

Combined receipts of cattle, hogs and sheep for 1927 at twenty markets total 80,482,000 against 61,454,000 the same period a year ago and 63,516,000 two years ago.

LIVE STOCK MOVEMENTS AT CHICAGO.

RECEIPTS.

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.	Horses.
Est. due 31	300	100	5,000	1,000
Last wk.	32,900	9,100	157,600	72,300
Prev. wk.	36,410	13,395	175,118	82,752
Year ago	50,491	9,879	146,306	89,898
SHIPMENTS.				
Est. due 31	100	.....	4,500	500
Last wk.	8,600	1,300	89,100	18,600
Prev. wk.	15,148	694	57,700	27,570
Year ago	15,644	1,270	64,775	21,368

CHICAGO HOG BUYING.

Hog purchases by Chicago packers Saturday, the last week and for full year of 1927 follow:

	Saturday.	Week.	Year.
Armour & Co.	800	8,300	717,600
Swift & Co.	1,000	10,700	557,700
Hammond Co.	400	3,300	244,400
Morris & Co.	500	10,300	519,300
Wilson & Co.	200	11,000	525,300
Boyd-Lunham	300	2,600	218,900
Western P. Co.	.....	9,100	460,300
Miller & Hart	.....	5,200	274,100
Roberts & Oake	.....	6,000	297,900
Indep. Pkg. Co.	200	2,400	186,700
Agio-Amer.	.....	1,700	144,700
Brennan P. Co.	.....	5,000	328,100
Agar P. Co.	.....	4,000	215,100
Others	700	26,600	1,259,200
Totals	4,100	107,900	5,958,700
Prev. week	6,000	138,200	.....
Year ago	11,100	89,400	5,238,300
1925	10,200	217,400	6,082,035
1924	11,200	217,300	5,079,361

OUTSIDE LIVE STOCK MARKET.

TOP HOG PRICES.

Tendency ruled higher at all points as the week closed. Comparative top quotations follow:

	Sat. Dec. 31	Fri. Dec. 30.	Week ago.	Year ago.
Kansas City	$8.50	$8.50	Hol.	$11.75
Omaha	8.50	8.50	8.60	11.65
St. Louis	9.00	8.90	Hol.	12.30
St. Joseph	8.50	8.50	Hol.	11.65
Sioux City	8.50	8.30	8.50	11.65
St. Paul	8.25	8.25	8.25	11.60
Indianapolis	8.90	8.90	9.00	12.10
E. Buffalo	9.40	9.40	Hol.	12.50
Pittsburgh	9.60	9.50	9.15	12.85
Cleveland	9.15	9.25	9.10	12.75
Cincinnati	9.00	9.00	9.20	12.40
Louisville	9.80	9.80	9.80	12.15
Average	$8.85	$8.80	$8.85	$12.10

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES

LIVE STOCK.

Average weekly prices at Chicago for native beef cattle, hogs, sheep and lambs, as compiled by the Drovers' Journal:

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.	Lambs.
Last week	$13.65	$8.45	$6.05	$13.00
Prev. week	13.00	8.35	5.95	12.65
Cor. week '26	9.55	11.70	6.00	12.35
Cor. week '25	9.40	11.40	8.35	16.00
Cor. week '24	9.25	10.45	8.25	17.25
Cor. week '23	9.50	7.10	7.50	13.20
Cor. week '22	8.90	8.50	7.75	15.50
Av. 1922-'26	$ 9.20	$ 9.85	$7.55	$14.50

CHICAGO BANK STOCKS

[Quotations by F. M. Zeller & Co.]

STATE BANKS—	Bid.	Ask.	Dividend rate & per share.
Adams State	150	155	8
Aetna State	200	210	8
Ashland and 63d	205	210	8
Ashland State	145	155	8
Auburn Park Trust	275	300	8
Austin State	275	.....	12
Bank of America	340	345	8-3
Beverly State Sav	200	210	6
Boul. Bridge Bank of Chi	235	170	6
Broadway Trust & Sav	190	185	6
Bryn Mawr State	180	.....	12
Builders & Merchants State	230	.....	6-2
Calumet Trust & Savings	230	.....	8
Capital State Savings	183	187	6-2
Central Manufacg District	440	450	10-5
Central Trust Co	465	468	12-2
Chatham State	220	225	10
Chicago City	345	.....	12-2
Chicago Lawn State	275	300	8-4
Chicago Morris Plan	165	175	7
Chicago Trust Co	445	450	10-2
Citizens State Bk of Chgo	400	.....	8-4
Columbia State	160	166	8
Commonwealth Tr & Sav	195	205	6
Congress Trust	130	134	.....
Cosmopolitan State	325	330	8-2
Cottage Grove State	200	.....	6
Cragin State	130	145	.....
Crawford State	130	140	.....
Depositors State Savings	185	190	10-3
Drexel State	130	.....	5
Division State	260	.....	8-4
Drexel State	254	.....	8-4
Drovers Tr & Sav [new]	475	.....	12-4
Equitable Trust	140	150	6
Fernwood Tr & Savings	200	210	8
Exchange State	130	.....	.....
Fidelity Trust & Sav	220	230	8
First Englewood State	190	195	6
Franklin Trust & Savings	335	.....	16
Fullerton State	200	.....	6-2
Gage Park State	205	215	.....
Garfield State	235	240	8
Guarantee Trust & Svgs	320	.....	10-5
Halsted Street State	160	.....	6-6
Hamilton State	115	125	8
Harris Trust & Savings	650	.....	16
Home Bank & Trust Co	337	342	18
Humboldt State, new	193	.....	8-2
Hyde Park State	325	.....	12-3
Illinois Merchants Trust Co	963	967	20
Immel State	143	.....	6-2
Independence State	195	200	6-2
Inland Trust & Savings	144	150	8
Italian Trust & Savings	125	135	6
Kaspar American State	215	220	8
Keystone Tr & Svgs Bank	175	300	6
Kimbell Trust & Savings	285	300	10
Lake Shore Tr & Svgs, new	330	.....	6
Lake View State	260	265	10
Lake View Trust	375	385	6-4
Lawndale State	415	.....	16-4
Liberty Trust & Savings	260	.....	8
Lincoln State	143	150	6-4
Lincoln Trust & Savings	290	300	12
Logan Square State & Sav	180	.....	6
Madison & Kedzie	275	.....	12
Madison Square State	155	160	8
Market Trade & State	175	180	6
Marquette Park State	275	.....	6-3
Mayfair State	125	.....	.....
Mercantile Trust	310	.....	8-2
Metropolitan State	185	.....	8
Mid-City Bk & Svgs	315	.....	12
Midway State	140	150	.....
Noel State	250	255	12
North Avenue State [new]	100	.....	7
Northern Trust Co	758	763	16
North Park Trust & Svgs	120	126	8
Northwestern Trust	480	490	12-4
Oak Park Trust	280	.....	10
Old Dearborn State	119	123	.....
Ogden & Rockwell Pk. Ridge	110	.....	.....
Peoples Stock Yards State	308	312	10
Peoples Trust & Savings	605	610	12-3
Phillip State	200	.....	10
Pinkert State	235	240	10
Pioneer Trust & Svgs Bank	255	.....	8-6
Prudential State Savings	240	.....	10
Pullman Trust & Savings	275	.....	8-4
Reliance State	295	300	10-5
Rockland State	305	315	12-3
Schiff Tr & Svgs [new]	300	305	12-3
Security	400	.....	15
Second Citizens State	180	.....	4
Second Northwestern State	180	.....	8
Sheridan Trust & Savings	220	225	8-4
63d & Halsted	250	.....	12
South Chicago Savings	307	312	8
South Shore State	175	.....	6
South Side Tr & Savings	235	240	10
South West State	150	155	10
South West Tr & Svgs	150	.....	8
Standard Trust & Savings	470	475	10
State Bank of Chicago	634	637	10
State Bk & Tr Co of Evanston	535	.....	12-4
Stockmen's Trust & Savgs	200	.....	8
Stony Island State	220	230	8-2
Suburban Trust & Savings	235	245	6-2
Tuley State Bank	140	150	.....
20th Street State	175	185	6-3
Union Bank of Chicago	382	386	10
Union State Bk of So Chgo	205	220	8
Union Trust Co	634	638	12-3
United States	290	.....	12
Universal State	150	.....	8
University State	160	170	8
West Englewood Tr & Svgs	235	245	8-4
West Highland State	240	.....	8
West Madison State	168	.....	6
West Side Trust & Savings	300	305	16
West Thirty-First State	130	138	7
West Town State	300	.....	12-3
Wicker Park State	275	285	8-2
Woodlawn Tr & Svg [new]	285	295	10-2

NATIONAL BANKS.

Albany Park National	215	.....	6
Atlas Exchange National	160	.....	8
Austin National	165	175	8
Broadway National Bank	132	137	6
Bowmanville National	250	.....	10
Calumet National	320	.....	12
City National [Evanston]	400	.....	12
Continti Natl Bk & Tr Co	668	673	16
Drovers National	275	.....	10-2
First National	855	859	22
First National [Berwyn]	152	.....	16
First Natnl [Englewood]	425	.....	16
Foreman National	655	660	16
Irving Park National	305	312	12-3
Jackson Park National	140	150	.....
Jefferson Park National	285	290	8-4
Kenwood National	250	255	16
Mutual National	300	.....	6
Nt Bk of the Republic, Chi	470	475	12-6
National Bk of Wood lawn	240	.....	6
Ogden Park National	170	175	6
Ravenswood National	130	135	6
Rogers Park National	250	260	8-2
Stock Yards National	337	342	16
Washington Park National	270	.....	10
West Side National	145	.....	6

CHICAGO CURB MARKET

Trading in the local unlisted securities market last week was less active, with prices showing great irregularity. Among the bank stocks Central Trust showed little change at 465 bid, 468 asked, ex dividend $3.50. Chicago Trust was strong and rose 10 points to 445 bid, with but small lots available at 450. Illinois Merchants Trust was active at higher prices, sales ranging between 963 and 967. National Bank of the Republic was 8 points lower at 470 bid, 474 asked. State Bank of Chicago was offered as low as 637, with best bids at 634, a loss of 10 points. A good demand existed for Union Trust Company at 634, ex dividend $7, while stock was available at 638.

Among the industrial issues Acme Steel Goods held its previous advance at 75 bid, 77 asked. Beatrice Creamery common sold off an additional point to 64½@65½. The preferred was steady, however, at 104 bid, 106 asked. After selling at 31¼, Chicago Daily News advanced sharply to high and last sales at 35¾. The preferred regained its quarterly dividend in selling at 99. Strength was displayed by Chicago Rapid Transit, which moved up over 2 points to closing sales between 18¼ and 19½. Creamery Package issues were fractionally better, the full voting being quoted 31¼ bid, 32 asked, and the nonvoting 30¾ bid, 31½ asked. Elgin National Watch lost 2 points in selling off from 63 to 61.

Federal Electric common ranged between 15½ and 16¼ and the preferred between 61 and 63, a slight improvement. Although Heaney Motors common was in good demand throughout the week at 6¼, there were no transactions on account of the lack of offerings. Kellogg Company common was erratic, selling up about 25 points to a new high at 207. This gain was not entirely held, however, as it was later offered at 195, with bids at 190. Renewed interest was shown in McCord issues, the common at 6½@7, and the class A preferred was traded in between 64 and 65, while the debenture stock was quoted 16 bid, 17 asked. New England Public Service was more active and sold up 3 points to 62. Northwestern Yeast showed a better tone and gained 2 points to 196 bid, 198 asked.

Greenwich Radio Flashes Correct Time to World

LONDON, Dec. 31.—(AP)—Greenwich observatory has begun to flash the correct time to the world through the high power radio station at Rugby. The Greenwich time signals will provide a double check with Eiffel tower reports from Paris. Ships at sea, geographers and surveyors are expected to benefit especially by the new system. The signals are sent from Greenwich by landline to the central telegraph office and thence to Rugby, where they are transmitted twice a day, at 9:55 a. m. and 5:55 p. m., the final beats registering the exact hours of 10 a. m. and 6 p. m.

SECRETARY DAVIS SEES LITTLE HOPE FOR MINE PEACE

Pittsburgh, Pa., Dec. 31.—(AP)—There is little hope of stabilizing the soft coal industry and bringing about a settlement of the controversy between the owners and union miners, in the opinion of Secretary of Labor James J. Davis, "until all concerned consent to a policy of conciliation and coöperation instead of the present psychology of conflict."

Here to address the convention of the Delta Sigma Phi college fraternity, the secretary, talking to newspapermen, added that he saw little encouragement in the outlook while the operators express indifference to the situation.

"Managers of the industry," he said, "have not sufficient confidence in each other to provide the basis of sound coöperation and there are violent fluctuations in prices which in the long run cost the consumers far more than would be the case if prices were stabilized between reasonable levels."

Mr. Davis also said he had been informed that the anti-trust laws of the United States provided a serious barrier to early stabilization.

RUSSIANS SEEK BIG BERLIN LOAN FOR INDUSTRIES

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

BERLIN, Dec. 31.—On his New Year's eve visit to Berlin in a three hour conference with President Hjalmar Schacht of the Reichsbank, the chief of the Russian state bank, L. Scheinmann, offered the Germans $30,000,000 worth of Russian bullion as security for a new loan to Russia.

M. Scheinmann was accompanied by M. Korobkoff, chief of the foreign department of the Russian state bank, which adds importance to his visit in Berlin simultaneously with the presence of Benjamin Strong, governor of the federal reserve bank of New York.

The Russians want funds to develop steel manufacturing in the Donetz basin. They negotiated with the American Farquhar group and a German group, offering to purchase 60 per cent of the machinery needed in Germany and the remaining 40 per cent in the United States. The Americans refused, demanding a greater share for American manufacturers. The Russians then offered new concessions to the Standard Oil company for a bigger loan, but pending the solution of these problems they requested the Reichsbank's aid.

$50,000,000 Internal Loan.

MOSCOW, Dec. 31.—(AP)—An internal state loan of 100,000,000 rubles [about $50,000,000] will be issued soon by soviet Russia, an official statement said today.

MODERNISTS ARE BARRED FROM COLLEGE CHAPEL

Des Moines, Ia., Dec. 31.—[United Press.]—Because of its "failure to provide Biblical instruction and inspiration for students of Des Moines university," the University Baptist church has been barred from using the university chapel.

The action resulted from a Modernist-Fundamentalist controversy which was waged among Iowa Baptists since last spring when the Baptist Bible Union of North America, a strictly Fundamentalist organization, took control of the university.

Many leading members of the Baptist clergy and laity in Iowa refused to sanction the union's administration and openly antagonized some of the methods employed, particularly the dismissal of all instructors who refused to accept the doctrine of the virgin birth of Christ.

Pending recovery of their pastor, the Rev. George M. Derbyshire, who is ill with pneumonia, members of the church announced they would hold services as usual in some suitable location removed from the university campus.

YALE WILL GET EXTRA MILLION IN FUND DRIVE

New York, Dec. 31.—(AP)—The committee which worked for two years to raise a $20,000,000 endowment fund for Yale university labored to such extent that now it cannot stop the subscriptions.

More than a week ago it was announced that the $20,000,000 had been all pledged, but since that time subscriptions have continued to pour in at the rate of 100 a day. When the second year of the campaign closed tonight almost $1,000,000 extra had been received.

The $20,810,000 subscribed has been given by 21,000 persons, or 58 per cent of all living Yale alumni. The fund will bring Yale an income of $1,000,000 a year which will be applied to professors' salaries and other methods of improving the quality of instruction.

68,276 INCREASE IN MOTOR CARS, SAYS EMMERSON

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 31.—(AP)—An increase over last year of 8792,087 in motor license fees and 68,276 in the number of registered motor vehicles was announced today by Secretary of State Louis L. Emmerson.

Total license fees in 1927 were $14,839,295, as compared to $14,047,207 in 1926. Registered motor vehicles totaled 1,438,779, of which 1,254,215 were passenger cars. There were 59,201 more passenger cars in the state this year than in 1926, the figures show.

Slim Phone Directory May Be Used in New York

New York, Dec. 31.—[Special.]—The current encyclopedic telephone directories may be supplanted by one slim volume that will fit in snugly between the works of the minor poets.

Such a miniature Manhattan Telephone book already has been produced by a New York printer, and a special glass for reading it has been designed by Rear Admiral Bradley Allen Fiske, United States Navy, retired.

Their services were engaged by the New York Telephone company, which has sound business reasons for desiring a telephone directory of less weight, bulk, paper and cost.

BANK FIRE LOSS $200,000.

Spirit Lake, Ia., Dec. 31.—(AP)—Loss estimated at $200,000 was caused here yesterday by a fire which razed the First National bank business block.

PRODUCE MARKETS

Butter prices on Saturday were ½c higher with extra creameries 50½c. Fresh eggs were 1c higher with fresh firsts 42@43c. Heavy live hens, leghorns and spring chickens were ½c higher and geese were lower. Cold weather with snow was responsible for the increased buying and strength in values. Trading in potatoes was light, cold weather and snow preventing unloading. Receipts were 56 cars with 126 cars on track.

FRESH EGGS.

Fresh firsts	42@43c	Ord. firsts	30@37c
Checks	20@25c	Dirties	22@28c

Extra candled for the retail trade, 7@8c over fresh firsts.

POULTRY—WHOLESALE.

Turkeys	25@30c	Old roosters	15c
Hens	17@24c	Geese	21@22c
Springs	27½c	Ducks	18@23c

WHOLESALE CREAMERY BUTTER PRICES

Score—	Chicago— Whole milk;	Chicago— tralized.	New York.	Boston.	Philadelphia.
93 score	....	....	53	....	54
92 score	50½	....	52	50	53
91 score	49	....	51	49	51½
90 score	47½	47	48	47	47½
89 score	44	44½	47½	46	43½
88 score	42	42	43	43½	42½
87 score	....	....	41½	42½	....
86 score	38½	....	....	41½	....

BUTTER PRICES TO CHICAGO RETAILERS

Score—	Tubs.	Prints.	Cartons.
Best [92-93]	52½-53½	54 -55	54½-55½
Good [89-91]	49½-50½	51 -52	51½-52½

WHOLESALE CHEESE PRICES.

	*Wis-Chicago.	consin.	New York.	Philadelphia.
Twins	26¾-26¾	....	.....	.....
S. Dais.	27¾-28	27¾	.....	29 -29½
D. Dais.	27¾-27½	....	.....	.....
Lghns.	27½-28	27¾	.....	29 -29½

*Previous day.

COTTON MARKETS

Trading in cotton was light within a fair range. There was good support, while bulges ran into selling. The statistical position is said to be worxing stronger and trade buying is appearing on all weak spots. The textile situation is improving, both in this country and abroad.

Domestic consumption of raw cotton in the first eleven months is estimated at 6,872,500 bales, or 13 per cent more than the same time last year.

Liverpool was closed. At the close American futures in Chicago were 4 to 8 points higher, and in other markets 3 points lower to 4 points higher. Spots unchanged, with New York 20.10c, New Orleans 19.60c, Galveston 19.90c, and Houston 19.80c. Prices follow:

CHICAGO MARKET.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. last close.	Year.
January	19.76	19.66	19.72	19.68	.....
March	19.82	19.70	19.76	19.72	.....
May	19.85	19.70	19.82	19.74	.....
July	19.69	19.62	19.69	19.62	.....
October	18.96	18.96	18.96	19.00	.....

NEW ORLEANS MARKET.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. last close.	Year.
January	19.72	19.63	19.67	19.67	.....
March	19.78	19.63	19.67	19.67	.....
May	19.80	19.65	19.70	19.68	.....
July	19.63	19.48	19.52	19.50	.....
October	18.99	18.99	18.90	18.92	.....

NEW YORK MARKET.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. last close.	Year.
January	19.67	19.53	19.58	19.61	.....
March	19.78	19.63	19.67	19.70	.....
May	19.80	19.65	19.70	19.85	.....
July	19.82	19.65	19.65	19.75	.....
October	19.24	19.11	19.14	19.18	.....

*Holiday.

RUBBER MARKET.

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—(AP)—Rubber futures closed steady. January, 41.50c; March, 41.80c; May, 42.00c. Smoked ribbed, spot, 41¼c.

OFFICIAL WEATHER FORECAST.

The official forecast for today and tomorrow and yesterday's table of records follow:

Indiana—Mostly cloudy, snow flurries in east and north portions and colder in east portion today. Monday generally fair and continued cold.

Lower Michigan—Snow and much colder Sunday. Monday snow flurries and continued cold.

Upper Michigan—Snow flurries and much colder Sunday; Monday partly cloudy and continued cold.

Wisconsin — Somewhat unsettled, possibly snow flurries Sunday; Monday generally fair; Sunday cold.

Ohio—Snow flurries and colder Sunday; Monday fair and continued cold.

Missouri—Partly cloudy Sunday and Monday; continued cold Sunday; not quite so cold Monday in west portion.

Iowa—Probably fair Sunday, except for some cloudiness; continued cold; Monday fair in east, increasing cloudiness in west portions; not so cold in afternoon in east and central portions.

Minnesota—Mostly fair and continued cold Sunday; Monday fair in east, increasing cloudiness in west portion.

North Dakota—Fair and continued cold Sunday; Monday increasing cloudiness, not so cold in west and south portions.

South Dakota—Mostly fair Sunday; continued cold; Monday increasing cloudiness, probably followed by snow in west portion; not quite so cold.

Nebraska—Fair and continued cold Sunday; Monday increasing cloudiness and not so cold; probably snow in west portion.

Kansas—Fair and continued cold Sunday; Monday mostly fair and not quite so cold.

Lake Michigan—Strong northwest winds and moderate gales Sunday; occasional snow.

Place of observation.	Direction of wind.	Temp. 7 p. m.	Highest today.	Lowest last night.	Precipitation 24 hours.
State of weather.					
Dec. 31, 1927, 7 p. m. Central time.					
East Central states—					
Alpena, snow	NW.	16	22	16	.20
Cario, cloudy	NW.	18	18	18	.....
Chicago, snow	S.W.	12	18	12	.49
Cincinnati, snow	S.W.	12	44	26	.26
Cleveland, snow	W.	24	42	28	.52
Detroit, snow	W.	22	30	22	.72
Escanaba, snow	N.	10	12	6	.....
Evansville, snow	W.	4	26	20	.04
Fort Wayne, snow	W.	18	26	20	.08
Grand Haven, snow	N.W.	18	22	20	.38
Grand Rapids, snow	W.	18	22	20	.50
Green Bay, cloudy	N.	10	12	6	.....
Indianapolis, snow	W.	6	28	28	.66
Madison, snow	N.W.	2	6	0	.02
Marquette, snow	N.	10	12	6	.12
Omaha, clear	N.W.	10	12	4	.....
Memphis, clear	N.W.	20	26	22	.....
Milwaukee, snow	N.W.	2	12	8	.....
Nashville, snow	N.W.	18	34	34	.30
Peoria, snow	W.	24	34	24	.40
St. Ste. Marie, cloudy	N.	4	18	16	.....
Springfield, Ill. cloudy	W.	0	6	6	.46
West Central states—					
Bismarck, cloudy	N.W.	16	12	16	.....
Charles City, cloudy	N.W.	10	6	8	.04
Concordia, clear	N.	4	10	2	.02
Davenport, cloudy	N.W.	2	2	2	.05
Des Moines, clear	N.W.	4	8	2	.....
Devils Lake, clear	N.W.	10	10	18	.....
Dodge City, clear	N.W.	2	8	4	.....
Dubuque, snow	N.W.	4	6	0	.02
Duluth, clear	N.	4	6	2	.08
Huron, snow	N.W.	10	8	12	.66
Kansas City, cloudy	N.W.	0	2	4	.22
Keokuk, snow	W.	2	2	4	.22
Little Rock, clear	N.W.	18	24	20	.....
Moorhead, snow	N.	4	8	18	.01
North Platte, clear	N.W.	2	8	2	.....
Oklahoma City, clear	N.W.	10	10	4	.56
Omaha, clear	N.W.	2	8	8	.04
Rapid City, clear	N.E.	10	4	14	.....
Sioux City, cloudy	N.W.	8	8	8	.02
St. Louis, cloudy	S.W.	24	50	38	.70
Charleston, cloudy	W.	60	66	54	.18
New York, cloudy	S.	54	54	44	.10
Pittsburgh, snow	S.W.	34	50	34	.16
Philadelphia, cloudy	S.W.	58	58	40	.09
Pittsburgh, snow	W.	30	54	50	.12
Washington, clear	W.	60	64	52	.50
Washington, rain	N.W.	54	62	54	.10
Gulf states—					
Abilene, cloudy	N.	16	22	16	.....
Amarillo, clear	N.	6	10	6	.....
El Paso, clear	S.E.	50	54	36	.....
Fort Worth, cloudy	N.W.	30	34	34	.....
Galveston, clear	N.	40	42	40	.....
Jacksonville, cloudy	W.	62	70	62	.34
Miami, clear	S.W.	72	76	66	.....
Mobile, clear	N.	42	64	54	.72
Montgomery, clear	N.W.	36	60	60	.58
New Orleans, clear	N.	44	60	60	.04
San Antonio, clear	N.	34	40	34	.....
Shreveport, cloudy	N.W.	28	32	24	.....
Tampa, rain	S.	64	76	64	.34
Vicksburg, cloudy	W.	36	40	40	1.88
Brownsville, clear	N.	44	58	58	.....
Mountain states—					
Boise, snow	S.	18	18	6	.....
Cheyenne, cloudy	N.W.	12	10	18	.02
Denver, cloudy	N.E.	4	4	8	.02
Havre, clear	N.W.	24	20	6	.....
Helena, cloudy	N.	20	20	28	.....
Lander, cloudy	S.E.	8	14	30	.....
Miles City, clear	S.W.	22	24	12	.....
Phoenix, cloudy	N.	58	62	40	.....
Pueblo, clear	S.	4	4	2	.02
Salt Lake City, clear	Calm	24	26	12	.....
Yellowst'e Pk. clear	W.	12	10	28	.....
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WHEAT ADVANCES IN LAST TRADES OF THE OLD YEAR

BY CHARLES MICHAELS.

A much stronger undertone was noticeable in all grains. With a lack of aggressive selling, prices moved up readily, with sellers of offers forced to protect themselves. The close was at net gains of ⅝@1c on wheat, with December $1.26¼@1.27 and May $1.31¼@1.31⅝. Corn gained ⅛@1c, with December 81⅜@82c and May 90@90⅛c. Oats were unchanged to ⅛c higher, with December 51¼@51⅜c, and rye was unchanged to 1⅛c higher, the latter on December, due to short covering.

December wheat acted tight, with the lowest price of the day made at the opening which was followed by an advance of 1⅜c on short covering with a reaction of 1⅛c from the top on profit taking by longs in the last few minutes of trading. Local sentiment was more favorable to the buying side, and there were reports from the seaboard indicating that a good export business had been put through in Manitobas by Canadian interests.

The development of a broad export demand during the holiday period has caused considerable comment, especially as the buying has been in the face of private cables reporting liberal purchases of new Argentine grain.

Colder Weather Over Belt.

Extremely cold weather prevailed over the greater part of the wheat belt, and while there was light snow in western Kansas high winds caused it to drift badly, leaving fields without snow protection. Short covering was in evidence at times, and there was also buying by local traders and commission houses. Liverpool closed ⅝@⅝d higher on the active futures, while Winnipeg was up 1@1c for the day. There was a holiday in Argentina.

Corn was dull early, but firmed up sharply toward the last with local bulls more disposed to take hold and there were few selling orders at 80c for May which were such a factor in checking the upturn on Thursday. Selling was largely by holders of offers and by scattered longs. Trade in the aggregate was somewhat larger, and sentiment as a whole more favorable to the buying side.

Country Offerings Small.

Country offerings to arrive were small, and there were intimations of further export business at the gulf. Snow and colder weather prevailed over the belt, the former being sufficiently heavy in many places to curtail the movement. Strength in corn and buying by an industry was a factor in making a higher level of oats values. December was unsettled with longs selling freely toward the last. Receipts small, and the trade looks for a fair decrease in the visible supply for the week. Trade in rye was small, with shorts on the buying side of December.

GRAINS IN ALL MARKETS

December Wheat.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Closing	Dec.31	Dec.30	Jan.1
Chi	1.26	1.28⅜	1.25⅛	1.26⅜	1.26⅜	1.26⅜	.....
K. C.	1.23⅛	1.23⅛	1.20⅛	1.23	1.31⅜	.....	.....
Minn	1.24⅛	1.25⅜	1.24⅛	1.24⅜	1.24⅝	1.24	.....
*Dul	1.18⅜	1.19¼	1.18⅛	1.18⅜	1.19	1.18	.....
Winn	1.31	1.32	1.30⅜	1.31⅜	1.30⅜	.....	.....
†Lpl	1.53⅜	1.53⅜	1.53⅛	1.53¼	1.53¼	1.54⅛	.....

March Wheat.

Chi	1.29⅜	1.30¼	1.29⅛	1.29¼	1.28⅜	.....	.....
Minn	1.25⅞	1.26⅛	1.25⅛	1.26⅛	1.25¾	.....	.....
Lpl	1.50⅜	1.50⅜	1.50⅜	1.50⅜	1.50⅜	.....	.....

May Wheat.

Chi	1.30⅜	1.31¼	1.30⅜	1.31¼	1.30¼	.....	.....
St. L.	1.31¼	1.32¼	1.31¼	1.32	1.30⅝	.....	.....
K. C.	1.24⅜	1.25⅛	1.24⅜	1.25¼	1.24⅝	.....	.....
Minn	1.26⅜	1.27¼	1.26⅛	1.27⅛	1.26⅜	.....	.....
*Dul	1.23	1.23⅜	1.23	1.23⅜	1.22⅝	.....	.....
Winn	1.33⅜	1.37¼	1.30¼	1.37	1.36	.....	.....
Lpl	1.40⅜	1.40⅞	1.40¼	1.40¾	1.49¾	1.49¾	.....

July Wheat.

Chi	1.26⅜	1.27⅛	1.26⅜	1.27¼	1.26¼	.....	.....
K. C.	1.21⅜	1.21⅞	1.21¼	1.21¾	1.20⅛	.....	.....
Winn	1.35⅝	1.36⅜	1.35⅝	1.36¼	1.35⅝	.....	.....
Lpl	1.43⅝	1.43⅝	1.43⅛	1.43⅝	1.43⅝	.....	.....

December Corn.

Chi	81⅜	82⅝	81⅜	81¾	81⅜	.....	.....
K. C.	76¼	77	76¼	76¾	76¼	.....	.....

March Corn.

Chi	86¼	87¼	86¼	86⅝	86⅝	85⅝	.....

May Corn.

Chi	89¼	90⅝	89¼	90	89¼	.....	.....
St. L.	89¼	90⅜	89⅛	89⅝	89⅛	.....	.....
K. C.	82⅜	83⅛	82⅜	83⅛	83¼	.....	.....

July Corn.

Chi	92¾	93¼	92	92¾	91⅝	.....	.....
K. C.	85⅝	86¼	85⅝	86¼	85¼	.....	.....

December Oats.

Chi	51⅜	53	51⅜	51¾	51¼	.....	.....
Minn	.....	.....	.....	.....	51	50⅜	.....
Winn	61⅜	61⅝	60¼	60⅝	60⅜	60⅜	.....

March Oats.

Chi	53⅜	54¼	53⅜	54¼	53⅜	.....	.....
Minn	.....	.....	.....	.....	51¼	50⅜	.....

May Oats.

Chi	55¼	55⅝	55¼	55⅜	55	.....	.....
Minn	55	55¼	51¼	55⅜	51¼	.....	.....
Winn	64¼	64¼	64¼	64⅜	63⅜	.....	.....

July Oats.

Chi	53	53¼	52¾	53¼	52⅜	.....	.....

December Rye.

Chi	1.07¼	1.08½	1.07¼	1.08¼	1.06¼	.....	.....
Minn	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.01⅛	1.00⅝	.....
Winn	1.03⅜	1.05¼	1.03¼	1.04⅜	1.02⅝	.....	.....
Dul	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.01¼	1.01⅜	.....

May Rye.

Chi	1.08⅜	1.09¼	1.08⅜	1.08⅝	1.08⅜	.....	.....
Minn	1.02⅜	1.03¼	1.02⅜	1.03⅛	1.02⅛	.....	.....
Winn	1.08⅛	1.08¾	1.08	1.08⅜	1.07½	.....	.....

March Rye.

Chi	1.07⅞	1.08¼	1.07⅝	1.08⅛	1.07⅜	.....	.....

May Barley.

Minn	81	82	81	81⅜	80⅜	.....	.....
Winn	83	86¼	83	86	87⅝	.....	.....

May Flaxseed.

Minn	2.10⅝	2.11½	2.10⅛	2.11	2.11	.....	.....
Dul	2.12	2.12⅜	2.12	2.12	2.12	.....	.....
Winn	1.86⅝	1.88	1.86⅛	1.88	1.86⅛	.....	.....

*Durum. †Exchange, $4.86. ‡Holiday.

PRIMARIES FOR WEEK

Primary receipts of corn for the week were the largest this season. Comparative arrivals follow:

RECEIPTS.

	Wheat, bu.	Corn, bu.	Oats, bu.
Chicago	182,000	3,074,000	991,000
Duluth	668,000	5,000	11,000
Kansas City	815,000	2,058,000	30,000
Minneapolis	1,981,000	433,000	363,000
Omaha	254,000	1,060,000	138,000
Peoria	24,000	459,000	143,000
St. Louis	372,000	786,000	296,000
Last week	4,744,000	10,069,000	2,417,000
Prev. week	5,110,000	10,553,000	2,508,000
Last year	4,212,000	4,534,000	2,332,000

SHIPMENTS.

Chicago	196,000	527,000	363,000
Duluth	217,000	.....	.....
Kansas City	689,000	995,000	40,000
Minneapolis	690,000	105,000	717,000
Omaha	231,000	912,000	90,000
St. Louis	247,000	301,000	218,000
Last week	2,586,000	3,985,000	1,660,000
Prev. week	2,479,000	4,235,000	1,611,000
Last year	2,126,000	1,723,000	1,542,000

LARD PRICES HIGHER

Lard had good support from shorts and investors and closed 5@12½c higher. A good deal of changing from January to May delivery was on. Liverpool was unchanged to 3d lower. Hogs were firm with larger receipts expected Monday and next week. Trading in meats was light with short ribs unchanged and bellies 5@7½c higher.

Clear Bellies.

	High.	Low.	1927.	Close. 1927.	1926.
			Dec.31.	Dec.30.	*Jan.1.
January	.....	.....	12.30	12.30	.....
March	13.50	13.50	13.50	12.50	.....
May	12.75	12.70	13.72	12.72	.....

Lard.

December	11.75	11.55	11.55	11.50	.....
January	12.05	11.95	12.05	11.97	.....
March	13.35	13.22	13.22	13.10	.....
May	12.42	12.30	12.40	12.30	.....
July	12.57	12.50	12.57	12.45	.....

Short Ribs.

January	10.95	10.95	10.95	10.95	.....
May	.....	.....	11.50	11.50	.....

*Holiday.

HAY RECEIPTS LIGHT

Hay receipts on Saturday were only 7 cars. Trading was restricted by the snow storm, unloading being difficult. There were 5 cars timothy, 1 car clover, 1 car packing. Prices follow:

U. S. grades—	No. 1	No. 2.	No 3.
Timothy	$17-19	$15-16	$13-14
Tim. and clo., lt. mix.	$17-19	$15-16	$13-14
Tim. and clo., med. mix.	17-19	15-16	13-14
Tim. and clo., hv. mix.	17-19	14-16	11-13
Tim. and grs., lt. mix.	16-17	14-15	12-13
Tim. and grs., hv. mix.	14-15	12-14	10-12
Clover	17-18	14-15	10-12
Mixed grass	14-15	12-14	10-12
Sample grade	.....	.....	9-12
Alfalfa, No. 2 to choice	.....	.....	14-21
Marsh Hay, feeding and packing	.....	.....	11-13
West and so. west prairie No. 1 & 2	.....	.....	13-15
Straw and tow	.....	.....	12-14
Oat and wheat	.....	.....	10-12

IN FOREIGN STOCK MARKETS.

LONDON, Dec. 31.—(AP)—Bar silver, 26½d per ounce; money, 4% per cent. Discount rates, short bills, 4½ per cent. Three months' bills, 4½@4⅝ per cent.

STOCKHOLM, Sweden, Dec. 31.—(AP)—The discount rate of the Swedish official bank will be lowered on Jan. 2 to 3½ per cent. This is the lowest rate to be established since 1896. The present rate is 4 per cent.

PARIS, Dec. 31.—(AP)—Prices were irregular on the bourse today. Three per cent rentes, 62 francs; exchange on London, 124 francs 2 centimes. Five per cent loan, 82 francs 50 centimes. The dollar was quoted at 25 francs 40 centimes.

SUGAR MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—SUGAR—January liquidation in raw sugar had a depressing influence early in the week but offerings were absorbed, and a better feeling developed toward the close. Sentiment is moderately bullish and conditions are working more in favor of stabilization of values. The future markets closed today, but with the visible supplies throughout the world being considered as small, the market is regarded as having a good undertone.

GASOLINE AND LINSEED OILS.

GASOLINE—Tank wagon, 14c; service station, 16c; gas machine gasoline, tank wagon, 26c. CARBON—Perfection, 12c. FURNACE OIL—Stanolind, tank wagon, 9c; 100 to 700 gals, 8c; 800 gals or more, 7½c. MACHINE OIL — Summer black, 9.4c; winter, 10.4c. LINSEED OIL—Raw, drums, 86c; do, boiled, 89c. WHITE LEAD—100 lb kegs, $13.25. TURPENTINE—Drums, 69c. DENATURED ALCOHOL—Drums, 58½c.

BUTTER AND EGG FUTURES

Fairly active trade brought about little net change in butter and egg futures. December was erratic in the last day of trade for the deliveries. There were 153 cars of December butter and 144 cars of December eggs open. Butter closed unchanged and eggs ½c higher at 42⅝c and 29¾c, respectively. January and February eggs closed at 38c and 28c, net gains of ⅛c to ½c. January butter was unchanged at 42½c. Prices on Chicago mercantile exchange follow:

BUTTER.

Storage standards—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. close.
December	43	43½	42½	42⅝	42⅝
January	42⅝	42⅝	42⅝	42⅝	42⅝
EGGS.					
Fresh rath. firsts—					
January	37⅞	38	37⅞	38	37⅞
February	27⅞	28	27⅞	28	27⅞
Refrigerating standards—					
December	30½	30½	29⅝	29⅝	29⅝

New York Clearings Set Record for Year's Close

New York, Dec. 31.—(AP)—Bank clearings today established a new high record, the New York clearing house reporting a total of $2,138,000,000 for the closing day of the year.

The total for the closing day of 1926 was $1,405,000,000. The previous high established—July 2, 1927—was $1,950,000,000. The low for the year—$442,000,000—was reached Aug. 29.

METAL MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—COPPER—Had a steadier tone during the week, with renewal of export demand and the firmer ruling in London. Buyers for domestic consumption have shown little interest. Some copper still said to be available at 14c, but most producers ask 14½c. TIN—Easier, both here and abroad; consuming inquiry active on more attractive prices. LEAD—Featured by fair amount of small orders; prices steady. ZINC—Moderately active; London ruled steady.

ST. LOUIS, Mo.—LEAD—Quiet at $6.30 ZINC—Slab, dull at $5.65.

CHICAGO STOCK TRANSACTIONS

Saturday, Dec. 31, 1927.

Day's sales ..... 39,500 Year ago ..... Holiday

Total, 1927 ..... 10,655,347 Year ago 10,180,439

Div. rld. per cent.	Bid.	Asked.	Description—	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.	chge.	Net Dec.31. 1926.
.....	32	33	Adams Roy	1,850	32	31	32¼	+ 1⅛	.....
7.0	99¾	.....	Am Fur M pfd	30	99¾	99¾	99¾	.....	.....
8.1	86¼	87¼	Am P U Par pf	25	87	87	87	— ¼	.....
.....	4	4½	Am States A	100	4⅜	4⅜	4⅜	+ ⅛	5⅛
.....	4½	5	Do B	100	5	5	5	.....	5⅛
.....	⅜	⅝	Do war	700	⅜	⅜	⅜	.....	⅜
.....	11⅜	12	Arm Co A	200	12	12	12	+ 1	13¾
10.3	67	68¼	Arm & Co pfd	425	68⅛	68	68⅛	+ ⅛	83⅛
8.1	86	.....	Arm—Del pfd	10	86	86	86	+ ⅛	.....
7.3	38⅛	40½	Asso Inv	100	40	39	40	+ ¾	38⅞
3.3	119¾	120	‡Auburn Auto	450	120	119½	120	.....	60½
7.4	27⅛	27⅝	Bastian Bless C	675	27⅝	26⅝	27¾	+ ⅛	.....
.....	.....	2½	Beaverbd B	100	2¼	2¼	2¼	+ ⅛	2¾
3.9	51½	52⅝	Bendix Corp	250	52	52	52	+ ½	37
4.9	81	82	†Borg & Beck	525	82	81	81	— 1	54⅝
9.1	31⅜	32	Butler Bros	210	32	31⅝	32	.....	23⅝
.....	39	40¼	Campbell W Ch	300	40	38	38	— 3	.....
5.2	57⅛	58	Celotex	50	58	58	58	+ 1	53⅜
8.0	88	90	Do pfd	150	88	87	88	+ 3	91
7.0	100	100¼	Cen St El pfd	300	100¼	100	100¼	.....	.....
6.1	96	98½	Cen I P S pfd	15	98	98	98	.....	85
7.4	93	.....	Cen In P pf ctf	20	94	94	94	— 1	.....
3.9	75¾	76½	Cen S W Util	20	76	76	76	.....	57
7.1	99½	99¾	Do pfd	30	99¼	99½	99¾	.....	.....
.....	1¼	2⅛	Chi C&C Rys	100	1¼	1¼	1¼	.....	.....
.....	20	22	Do pfd	1,020	22½	22	22	— 1⅛	43
.....	15⅜	17	Do pfd ctfs	400	18½	18	18	.....	.....
5.3	38	38¼	Club Alum	350	38⅛	38	38¼	+ ⅛	.....
4.8	165	.....	Cnawith Edis	110	165¾	165	165	.....	189
.....	7⅝	8	Do rts	3,100	7⅞	7⅝	7⅞	.....	.....
3.2	46¾	47	‡Crane Co	10	46¾	46¾	46¾	+ ⅛	.....
5.9	118	119½	Do pfd	100	119	119	119	.....	118
6.9	29	29¼	Deck & Coha	35	29	29	29	.....	28
.....	13	13¾	Dee Fishold	300	13¾	13	13½	.....	16
7.4	108¼	109¼	Em G&F 8% pf	200	109½	108½	109½	+ 1½	.....
7.3	54½	56½	Evans A L B	250	55	55	55	.....	25⅝
7.3	33½	34	Fair Store	10	33¼	33½	33¾	— ¼	27
6.1	19¾	19¾	Feeder Bros	310	19¾	19¾	19¾	.....	13
.....	47⅜	48	Galesburg	20	48	48	48	.....	.....
.....	36	37	Gen Box A pfd	35	36	36	36	.....	.....
3.3	245	248	†Gt Lakes Dred	360	246	245	245	— 5	150
9.1	43⅝	44½	Gossard	100	44	44	44	.....	.....
5.3	65¾	66	Hibb S&Co	25	66	66	66	.....	.....
7.7	26	26¼	Inl Wire & C	20	26¾	26¼	26¼	+ ¼	.....
10.0	13	13¼	Kellogg Swit	70	13	13	13	.....	15
6.7	51⅜	.....	Ken U Jr pfd	40	52¾	52¾	52¾	.....	51
.....	3¾	4	La Salle Ext	50	4	4	4	.....	.....
.....	9¾	9½	Libby McNeill	100	9½	9¼	9½	+ ⅛	10⅜
2.8	58	.....	Kraft Cheese	100	55⅞	55½	55⅞	+ ⅜	57½
.....	11⅜	11⅝	Meadows Mfr	950	11⅛	10⅝	11⅛	+ ⅛	.....
.....	33	33¼	Minn H & R C	100	33	33	33	.....	.....
7.6	100¾	100¼	Do pfd	35	100¾	100	100¼	+ ¼	.....
5.4	64¼	64½	†Marvel Carb	775	65	64	64½	+ ½	.....
6.7	23⅞	24⅝	†McQuay Nor	100	24¼	24¼	24½	+ ¼	16½
4.9	122	123¼	Mid W Util	300	123¼	123	123	+ ¼	111⅜
3.8	102	103	†Midl St Prod	25	102	102	102	+ ½	.....
6.9	103	104	Midl U pfd A	55	103¼	102	103¼	+ ½	.....
3.4	118¾	119	Montgomery W	750	119	118	118¾	+ ½	.....
.....	38⅝	39	Monsanto C	200	39	38⅝	38⅝	— ¼	.....
6.8	76¼	76⅝	Morgan Litho	50	76⅝	76¼	76⅝	+ ⅛	66
.....	7⅜	8	Nail Leather	100	8	7¾	7¾	+ ⅛	5¼
7.2	38¼	38½	Nat Radiator	250	38½	38	38¼	— ¼	.....
8.0	37	37¾	Nat Standard	150	37¾	37⅜	37⅜	— ⅛	31
7.6	32¾	33½	North Am Car	250	33	33	33	.....	28⅝
6.3	128	130	Nor S Pwr	25	130	130	129	— 2	.....
6.9	100	101	NW Util pr pfd	30	101	100	101	.....	.....
7.7	13	13	Novadel Process	950	13½	13¼	13⅜	— ⅛	.....
6.8	29	29½	Do pfd	30	29½	29¼	29¼	+ ⅛	25½
6.5	107⅞	108¾	Okla G&El pfd	25	108	108	108	— ⅛	.....
.....	7	7¾	Oil-o-Matic	50	7	7	7	+ ⅛	15¼
.....	44	44¾	Pan Amer B	500	44	44	44	.....	.....
5.5	57¾	57⅞	Pines Winterfr	5,200	57¾	56	57¼	+ 1⅜	.....
.....	14	15	Ryan Car	50	15	15	15	.....	.....
8.0	24⅜	25¼	So Col P A	25	25	25	25	.....	.....
6.9	101	101½	S W Gas&El pfd	50	101	101	101	.....	95⅝
2.9	87⅞	88	Sears Roeb	1,050	88	87	87¾	+ 1¼	.....
7.2	82¾	83⅛	Stewart Warner	650	83⅛	82¾	82¾	— ¼	64⅛
5.9	59¼	59¾	Std Gas	50	59¼	59¼	59¼	.....	.....
6.4	124⅛	125½	Swift & Co	110	125½	124⅛	125½	+ 1⅜	115⅝
6.3	65¼	65⅝	Do pfd	50	65	65	65	.....	.....
4.6	25⅛	26	Swift Intl	950	26	25⅝	25¾	+ ⅛	22
.....	16	16½	Tenn Prod	75	16	16	16	— 1	.....
5.7	60¼	63	†Thompson J R	100	60⅜	60⅜	60⅜	— 1⅜	.....
4.9	95	95¼	Unit L&P pf A	200	95	95	95	.....	87
1.6	91	91¼	†U S Gypsum	1,050	93	91¼	91½	— 1½	104
6.4	31⅜	31¾	Warner Gear	200	31¼	31¼	31½	— ⅛	.....
.....	26⅜	27½	Woodworth Inc	100	27½	27½	27½	+ ½	.....
4.3	70	71	†Wrigley	270	71	70	71	+ 1	51¼
.....	15⅜	16	Yates Mch	50	16	16	16	.....	27
9.7	41¼	41⅝	Yellow Taxi	50	41⅜	41⅜	41⅜	+ ⅛	43

*Ex dividend. †Pays extra dividend. ‡Pays stock dividend.

BONDS.

Bid.	Asked.	Sales.	Issue—	High.	Low.	Close.	chge.	Net Dec.31. 1926.
98½	.....	$2,000	Bloom'n L 6½s	98½	98¼	98½	.....	.....
99	.....	2,000	Cairo R 6½s '27	99	99	99	.....	.....
100¼	100½	3,000	Ch of R K 6½s '47	100½	100¼	100½	.....	.....
86	88	2,000	Chi R 1st 5s ctf '27	86	86	86	.....	.....
108¼	108¾	2,000	Hous G 6½s '31	108¾	108¾	108¾	.....	97¾

CHICAGO STOCKS FIRM AS THE OLD YEAR ENDS; PINES WINTERFRONT UP

Chicago stocks were moderately active in yesterday's week-end and year-end trading and prices generally firm. Pines Winterfront led in activity and advanced nearly two points. Sears-Roebuck gained more than a point and fractional gains were made by Swift International, Montgomery Ward, Marvel Carburetor, and Meadows Manufacturing. Chicago City & Connecting preferred declined more than a point and U. S. Gypsum and Novadel showed fractional losses.

On light trading, Great Lakes Dredge was off 5 points and Borg & Beck lost a point. On the other hand, Celotex preferred was up 3 points, while Adams Royalty and Wrigley gained a point or so.

BOSTON STOCK MARKET

[Quotations by Paine, Webber & Co.]

	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.
Amoskeag	1,400	22⅜	21½	22¼
American Pneu	120	4	3⅝	4
Arcadian Cons	700	3	2¾	3
Bingham	120	56	55⅜	55⅝
Boston & Maine	100	55	55	55
Boston Elev	75	95⅝	95½	95½
Calum & Hecla	400	23½	23¼	23½
Copper Range	160	19⅝	19⅜	19⅝
Eastern S S	500	93⅞	93½	93⅞
Ed Elec	80	265	264½	265
Gilchrist	75	35	34¼	35
Hardy Coal	500	9½	8½	9½
Island Creek	70	53¼	53¼	53¼
Nat Leather	100	3½	3½	3½
N E Tel	110	139	138	138
North Butte	100	1¼	1¼	1⅜
Old Dominion	50	12¾	12¼	12¼
Pacific Mills	175	39½	38¾	38¾
Quincy	95	15	15	15
St Marys Land	100	30	29¾	30
Swift Intl	95	25¼	25¼	25¼
Swift & Co	75	125	124½	125

RAILROAD NOTES

The Southern Railway has ordered 55 Mikado type locomotives from Baldwin Locomotive Works. The Mobile and Ohio has given an order for 13 locomotives to the American Locomotive company, Railway Age reports. Colorado Fuel and Iron company has an order from the Denver and Rio Grande Western for 20,000 tons of rails.

Interstate commerce commission has approved the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railroad's issue of $13,600,000 of prior lien mortgage 4½ per cent bonds which will be sold at 97⅛ and the proceeds used for corporate purposes.

During the week ended Dec. 30 the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe railroad handled 27,231 revenue loaded freight cars, compared, with 31,851 cars handled during the corresponding period last year.

RAILROAD EARNINGS

NATIONAL RAILWAYS OF MEXICO.

For October—	1927.	1926.
Gross oper. rev	$8,924,698	$9,453,812
Net after expenses	239,410	540,230
For ten months to Oct. 31—		
Net gross oper. rev	92,810,405	94,363,460
Net aft. expenses	5,297,656	8,624,669

Figures in Mexican dollars.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL.

For November—	1927.	1926.
Gross oper. rev	$6,787,944	$7,466,200
Net oper. income	1,470,429	2,002,339
For eleven months to Nov. 30—		
Gross oper. rev	83,091,161	88,532,451
Net oper. income	19,608,502	21,943,860

CORPORATION EARNINGS

CARACAS SUGAR.

For the year ended Sept. 30 net loss was $19,100 after expenses, interest and discount but before depreciation, against net loss of $371,629 in the preceding year.

GREIF BROS. COOPERAGE.

For the year ended Oct. 31 net profit was $275,420 after all charges, including depreciation and federal taxes, against $604,140 in the previous year.

PIGGLY-WIGGLY.

For November—	1927.	1926.
Sales	$15,827,419	$13,981,852
For eleven months to Nov. 30—		
Sales	166,763,763	148,893,275

Figures include sales of all Piggly-Wiggly stores.

WORLD'S GRAIN MARKET NEWS

There was disappointment at the way December wheat and corn went out at the close after showing early strength. December wheat went out at ⅜c discount under May, although at one time it widened to more than 5c. The break came after the shorts had covered. In corn, the December was 5¼c under May at one time, the widest of late. A year ago it was 12c under. The short interest in all futures was cut down but was said to be sufficiently large that in case any good buying starts, accompanied by more constructive news, a higher range is expected. The markets, however, are not regarded in shape to stand very much selling.

All the exchanges in the United States as well as Winnipeg and Liverpool will be closed Monday.

Trading was interrupted in the last fifteen minutes of the session yesterday by the usual horseplay with grain bags that lasted about half an hour. This was in the face of special request sent out by the room committee that there be no interruption to trading.

"July wheat in Liverpool at 23c bu over Chicago July continues the bullish story told by the nearer differences and it is another item constructive to confidence in present wheat prices," says G. E. Saunders of J. S. Bache & Co. "The cash discount situation here in corn seems unusually interesting in respect to the lower grades and is worth considerably more than casual observation. Cash prices are much closer to the futures than a year ago."

Estimates on the United States visible supply for the week are for a good reduction which will compare with a decrease of 1,209,000 bu the previous week and 1,404,000 bu last year. Corn is to increase more than 2,000,000 bu, and will compare with a gain of 2,885,000 bu the previous week and 2,539,000 bu last year.

World's shipments of wheat for the week are estimated at around 8,000,000 bu compared with 14,186,000 bu the previous week and 18,226,000 bu last year.

World's exports of rye for the season to Dec. 25 were 28,300,000 bu. For the season last year they were 59,800,000 bu. It is estimated that on the basis of average shipments for the season this season's exports will be 64,000,000 bu.

RAW SILK MARKET.

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—(AP)—SILK—Raw, prices unchanged.

FINANCIAL NOTES

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—(AP)—More than $750,000,000 will be paid investors in stocks and bonds over the turn of the year, Wall street estimated today. This amount will establish a new high record for disbursements. This is an increase of $75,000,000 over the same month in 1927.

Hudson Motor Car company established a new high record output in 1927 with 230,000 vehicles against 163,927 in 1926, the previous record year. Earnings for 1927 are expected to be the second largest in the company's history.

The total volume of proposed construction announced in the United States during 1927 indicates comparatively little change has taken place in the trend of large operations. In the heavy construction field, heavy construction work reached $5,147,178,000 for the year just ended compared with $5,615,617,000 in 1926, the McGraw-Hill Construction daily reports. Considering the large sums involved the decline in the value of projects proposed, about 8 per cent, is not regarded significant.

Common stock holders of American Rolling mill, of record Jan. 10, are offered the right to subscribe to one share at $75 for each

LIFE LARGELY IS QUESTION OF PERSONAL CREDIT

BY HARPER LEECH.

What is finance, anyway? Men immersed in it always are likely to overlook or forget what it's all about.

We may define our financial organization and the institutions which compose it as the social nexus of an acquisitive society—the principal social bond, the most active social control in the lives of modern men.

The coercive powers of the state, the persuasive powers of the church exert less effect on the ordinary activities of men today than the social controls of our credit system, institutionalized into banks, investment houses, exchanges, saving and insurance institutions. A large share of the coercive powers of the modern state are in fact merely used to lend force to the sanctions of the credit control.

Through this fiscal machinery there are mobilized daily tens of millions of pledges and obligations of individuals inspired by hopes of gain to do work and deliver goods. The fiscal machinery automatically evaluates and classifies the capacities and characters behind the promises.

Did you ever think of the implications of such a system? It can function only in a free society, because only free men have credit. Only free men ever have lived by the pledge. The state and the church, which control our more primitive, desires and actions, and which police our more primitive folk most thoroughly, come down to us from the ages in which voluntary pledges played a small part in the aggregate of human conduct.

We sometimes express this by saying that man has marched from status to contract. In the ages of status most men performed forced labor and made forced contributions of goods. Only masters, rulers, kings, barons, prelates, and such, with a little bunch of citizen burgers of walled towns here and there, were privileged to order their lives by the interchange of pledges.

Slave minded men therefore do not like modern society and its social control. It is an intriguing sport to trace this servile psychology, this haunting regret for the old patrician or baronial patron, this subconscious longing for the security of fixed social status, through all the anti-capitalist bias of the Rotaryphobe, the sophisticate, the mediocre artist sore at machinery, through the hate of the bolshevik, through the inverted fears and envies of pseudo altruists, humanitarians, and pacifists.

Beneficient as an acquisitive society under fiscal social controls may be it has its perils. Old commercial countries are prone to exalt finance into an end in itself, as old military societies, founded by monarchs, tended to degenerate into blind worship of the monarchy as the be all and end all of society. In pursuit of investments, loans, credits, balances, and all that sort of thing old commercial societies are inclined to minimize the importance of the industrial foundations of finance—the men, the raw materials, the machinery, the processes, the efficiency, and the production underlying the paper. Fortunately the development of new industries in America and the creation of new wealth has kept us comparatively immune to date.

CHICAGO BANK CLEARINGS

Chicago bank clearings for 1927 totaled $35,958,200,000, an increase of $1,051,100,000 over 1926. Balances totaled $5,357,700,000, an increase of $180,200,000. Clearings for December totaled $3,100,800,000, an increase of $110,600,000 over December, 1926, while balances totaled $267,200,000, an increase of $13,600,000.

Clearings for last week totaled $639,900,000, a decline of $59,100,000 from the preceding week, due to the Christmas day holiday, but an increase of $30,200,000 over the corresponding week in 1926. Balances totaled $52,100,000, a decline of $2,600,000 from the preceding week, but an increase of $11,800,000 over the same week last year. The figures for the week, day by day (with last three ciphers omitted) follow:

*Monday		
Tuesday	$119,700	$10,800
Wednesday	126,300	9,100
Thursday	122,200	10,300
Friday	131,800	14,800
Saturday	148,900	17,200
Total for week	$639,900	$62,100
Corr. week last year	609,700	50,300

*Christmas day.

NEW YORK BANK STOCKS

[Quotations by F. M. Zeller & Co.]

	Ask.	Bid.		Ask.	Bid.
Am Exch	405	410	Fifth Ave.	2240	2300
Chase Natl	540	545	Manhat Co.	580	590
Chath & Ph	567	573	State Bank	615	630
Chem Natl	945	955	Bankers Tr.	990	1000
Natl City	738	745	Bk of NY Tr	700	715
Commerce	568	575	C Un Trust	1265	1285
First Natl	3775	3825	Empire Trust	440	450
Hanov Natl	1290	1320	Equit Trust	405	410
Park Natl	640	647	Guar Trust	585	590
Seaboard Nat	820	835	N Y Trust	695	703
Bank of Am	385	395	Tr Guar Tr	790	805
Corn Exch	605	612	U S Trust	2925	3100

STEEL MARKET.

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—(AP)—STEEL—Prices unchanged.



Are Oil Stocks a Buy—Yet?

Oil stocks, after persistent liquidation last spring, have recently been acting better. What does this mean—are they being accumulated for a broad advance? Or is this a mere technical rally, to be followed by still lower prices?

Our statisticians have just prepared another analysis on oils, with facts and specific recommendations. Last February, at the same time many were bullish on oils, the American Securities Service cautioned against them; stocks: and again in June recommended other stocks as offering better profits.

Our latest report should prove valuable, the same as those previous reports have been. Few extra copies available. FREE. Simply ask for "Special Oil Report."

AMERICAN SECURITIES SERVICE
165 Corn Ex. Bank Bldg., New York

DIVIDEND NOTICE

The Board of Directors of the Iroquois Trust Company at a meeting held December 20, 1927, authorized the payment of semi-annual dividend Number 4 at the rate of six per cent per annum on all preferred stock of record December 31, 1927.

IROQUOIS TRUST COMPANY
Evanston, Illinois
Dec. 31, 1927

NEW YORK BOND TRANSACTIONS

GENERAL BOND MARKET FOREIGN.

Saturday, Dec. 31, 1927.

Total sales, par value.....$ 5,583,000 Year ago .....Holiday
Total sales, 1927 ..... 3,323,100,000 Previous year $3,627,450,000

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT WAR LOANS.

Sales in thous.	Issue—	Net —Closing— High.	Low.	Last.	chge.	Bid.	Asked.	Dec. 31, Yield.	1926.
10	Liberty 1st cv 4½s, 1932-'47..	103.15	103.15	103.15	...	103.12	103.16	3.40	103.00
41	Liberty 2d 4¼s, 1928.....	100.22	100.20	100.22	+ .2	100.20	100.22	3.28	101.17
1	Liberty 2d 4¼s reg.....	100.16	100.16	100.16	- .1	.....	.....	.....	101.16
121	Liberty 4th 4¼s, 1933-'38...	103.31	103.29	103.29	- .1	103.29	103.31	3.49	103.16
1	Liberty 4th 4¼s reg.....	103.26	103.26	103.26	- .1	.....	.....	.....	103.12
6	U S Treasury 3½s, 1942-'47..	103.1	102.31	103.1	+ .1	102.31	103.2	3.13	.....

Note—Fractions on United States government bonds, including net changes, are quoted in thirty-seconds of 1 per cent.

No. thous.		High.	Low.	Close.
3	Tokio El Lt 6s '28..	99¾	99¾	99¾
3	Tokio City 5½s '61..	87½	87½	87½
2	UK GB&I 5½s '29....	117¾	117¾	117¾
11	do 5½s '37.....	106¼	106¼	106¼
7	UniSt Wks 6½s '51 war	94	94	94
1	Upp Aus Pro 7s '45..	97	97	97
7	Uruguay 6s '60.....	96¾	96¾	96¾
27	Yokohama 6s '61....	94	94	94
12	Allis-Chal 5s '37....	101¼	101¼	101¼
7	AmAgrChem 7½s '41..	105	105	105
5	Am Chain deb 6s '33.	104¼	104¼	104¼
1	AmSteelaRef 5s '47.	103½	103½	103½
1	do 6s '47.....	108	108	108
8	Am Sugar 6s '37....	105¾	105¾	105¾
5	AmTel&T s f 5s '60.	106	106	106
20	do col 5s '46.....	106	105¾	106
12	do col 4s '29.....	99¾	99¾	99¾
7	AmWiWks&E 6s '75.	107¾	107¾	107¾
1	AmWrPap 1st 6s '47	93	93	93
37	AnaconCopM 7s '38..	113¾	113¾	113¾
34	do 6s '53.....	105¾	105¼	105¾
121	Andes Cop 7s '43....	126	125¼	125¾
2	Ang-ChConNit 7s '45.	96¼	96¼	96¼
1	Armour r e 4½s '39.	91¾	91¾	91¾
34	do cf Del 5½s '43....	87¾	87¾	87¾
5	Asso Oil 6s '35.....	103	103	103
7	AT & SF gen 4s '95.	98¾	98¾	98¾
5	do adj 4s '95.....	93¾	93¾	93¾
5	do adj 4s stpd '95..	93¾	93¾	93¾
5	do cvt 4s 1905.....	93	93	93
1	do cvt 4s '60.....	93¾	93¾	93¾
5	Atlan & Birm 4s '33.	84¼	84¼	84¼
1	AtlanADan 1st 4s '48	83¾	83¾	83½
1	AtGulf&WI col 5s '59	73¾	73¾	73¾
10	B&O ref&gen 6s C'99.	111¾	111¾	111¾
5	do ref 5s '95.....	104¾	104¾	104¾
3	do cvt 4½s '33.....	104¾	104¾	104¾
2	do gold 4s '48.....	97¾	97¾	97¾
3	do 4s T&C div '50...	90¼	89¾	90¼
37	Barns deb 6s '40 war.	100¼	100	100
6	do 6s ex war.....	90¼	90	90
1	Beth Tel 7s 5s B '48.	106¾	106¾	106¾
1	Finland 6s 1945....	95¾	95¾	95¾
3	do 7s 1950.....	100	100	100
1	Fram I D 7½s '42.	106½	106½	106½
14	F N Mtg 7s '49....	101	101	101
9	French Rep 8s '45..	110¾	110¼	110¾
98	do 7½s 1941.....	116	115¾	116
10	do 7s 1949.....	106¼	106¼	106¼
2	Ger C Agr 5s, 1960, July ct..	91¾	91¾	91¾
138	do 6s 1960 Oct. ct..	92	91½	91½
37	Ger Ex Loan 7s '49.	106½	106¼	106½
2	Ger Gen El 7s '45..	104	104	104
2	Good H Ir&S 7s '45.	100	100	100
8	Gras 8s 1954.....	102	101¾	102
1	Gt C EIP of J 7s'44.	97½	97½	97½
2	do 6½s 1950.....	92¾	92¾	92¾
25	Hungary 7½s '44....	103	103	103
1	Hung Mun 7½s '45.	99¼	99¼	99¼
1	do 7s 1946 rcts....	94½	94½	94½
2	Iisedr Steel 7s '46.	99	99	99
3	Ital C cons 7s&A '37.	95¾	95¾	95¾
184	Italy 7s 1951.....	99¼	99¼	99¼
30	Jap Gvt 6½s 1954..1	01¾	101	101¾
5	Low A Pr 7½s '50.	98¼	98¼	98¼
1	do 6 6½s '44.....	88¾	88¾	88¾
14	Lyons City 6s 1934.	99¼	99¼	99¼
5	Marseilles 6s 1934..	99¾	99¾	99¾
10	Mex 6s '33 sm asst.	39½	39½	39½
2	do 5s 1945 s asst....	28¼	28¼	28¼
5	do 5s 1910 lar asst.	28¾	28¾	28¾
10	do 4s 1910 sm asst.	26¾	26¾	26¾
21	Milan 6½s 1952.....	91¾	91¼	91¾
5	M Bk Chile 6½s '57.	100¼	100¼	100¼
1	do 6½s 1961.....	98¼	98¼	98¼
5	Monte M 7s '37 w..	100¾	100¾	100¾
7	Netherlands 6s '54..	103	103	103
1	do 6s 1972.....	104¾	104¾	104¾
1	N S Wales 5s '57...	94¾	94¾	94¾
9	do 5s 1958.....	94½	94½	94½
9	Nord Ry 6½s 1950.	100	100	100
1	Norway K 6s '43....	101¾	101¾	101¾
2	do 6s 1944.....	102¾	102¾	102¾
5	do 6s 1955.....	102¼	102¼	102¼
7	do 5½s 1965.....	102¼	101¾	102¼
6	Pan Rep 5½s '53....	103¾	103¾	103¾
14	Orien Dev Ltd 6s'53.	95½	95½	95½
1	Oslo 6s 1955.....	101¼	101¼	101¼
1	do 5½s 1946.....	99¼	99¼	99¼
3	Paris L & M 7s '54.	102¾	102¾	102¾
105	do 6s 1958.....	96	96	96
1	Paris, Orl R 7s '54.	100¾	100¾	100¾
55	Pernambuco 7s '47..	97	96	97
5	Peru 8s 1024-'44...	110	109¼	109¾
1	do 8s 1926-'44.....	109¾	109¾	109¾
2	do 6s 1960 w i.....	91¾	91¾	91¾
8	do 7s 1959.....	103	103	103
3	do 7½s 1940.....	106¾	106¾	106¾
15	do 7½s 1956.....	106¾	106¼	106¾
6	Pirelli 7s 1952.....	100¼	100¼	100¼
14	Poland 8s 1950.....	99	98½	98½
20	do 6s 1940.....	80¾	80¾	80¾
36	do 7s 1947 rcts.....	90¾	89¾	90¼
10	Queens'ds 6s '41....	96	96	96
6	Rh W E P 6s'52 ct.	93¼	92	93¼
4	Rh Un 7s '46 ex w.	89¾	89¾	89¾
1	Rio Gr de Sul 8s '46.	105¾	105¾	105¾
1	Rio de J 8s 1947....	105¾	105¾	105¾
5	Rotterdam 6s '64....	105	105	105
14	Rotie 6½s 1952.....	91¾	91¾	91¾
2	Sao Paulo C 6½s '57.	97¾	97¾	97¾
1	Sao Paulo S 8s '36..	107	107	107
3	do 8s 1950.....	106¾	106½	106¾
2	Sax Pub Wks 7s '45.	100	99¾	99¾
7	do g:3&rfg 6½s'51.	95¾	95	95¾
20	Seine [Fr'ce] 7s '42.	104	103¾	103¾
2	Serb-Cr-Slov 8s '62..	98	97¾	98
3	Siemens & H 7s '35.	103	103	103
47	Soissons City 6s '36.	98¾	98	98¼
3	Swed Kgdm 6s '39..	103¾	103¾	103¾
5	do 5½s '54.....	104¾	104¾	104¾
2	Swiss Confed 8s '40.	112½	112½	112½
4	Swiss gov 5½s '46..	104¾	104¾	104¾
1	Toho El Pw 7s '55..	97¾	97¾	97¾
11	do 6s '29 rcts.....	98½	98	98
1	do con 4½s '60.....	106¾	106¾	106¾
1	do 6s '43.....	99	99	99
2	SP O & D 4½s '77..	101¼	101¼	101½
24	Phila Co rfg 6s '44.	104	104	104
23	do 5s '67.....	98¼	98	98¼
12	do cvt 5½s '35....	102¾	102¾	102¾
1	PARCAI 5s '73.....	100¾	100¾	100¾
62	Ph El 4½s '67 rcts.	100¾	100¾	100¾
5	Phleb Fir 6s '43..	104¾	104¾	104¾
12	PRyLAP 5s '30....	98¾	97½	97¾
20	Por Ric Tob 6s '42.	104¾	104¾	104¾
1	P S E & G 5½s '59.	105	105	105
2	do 5½s '64.....	105	105	105
10	P S of N J 6s '44..	107¼	107¼	107¼
10	do 5½s '56.....	104¼	104¼	104¾
1	Read Coal 4½s '97..	103¾	103¾	103¾
1	Rem R 5½s '47 war.	95¾	95¾	95¾
1	RepIAS rfg 5½s '53..	103¾	103¾	103¾
1	R G & W col 4s '49.	88¾	88¾	88¾
5	Robine & M 7s '42..	50	45	50
8	StLIM&S gen 5s '31.	101¾	101¾	101¾
6	do 4s R & G div '33.	96¾	96¾	96¾
1	St L F & N W 5s '48.	111	111	111
11	StLSFprim& serA '50	93¾	93¼	93¾
1	do gen 6s ser C '28..	100¾	100¾	100¾
10	do adj 6s 1955.....	101¾	101	101
47	do inc 5s 1960.....	99¾	99¼	99¾
7	StLSW term 5s '52..	102	102	102
5	do con 4s 1932.....	98¾	98¾	98¾
1	StPM&M con 6s '33..	108	108	108
6	S A & A P 1st 4s '43	94¼	94	94
5	Schulco Inc 6½s '46.	104	103¾	103¾
5	do 6½s B 1946.....	103¾	102¾	103¾
22	Sea A L con 6s '45..	96	95½	96
10	do rfg 4s 1959.....	71¾	71¾	71¾
5	do adj 5s 1949.....	81½	80¾	81
32	Sea A Fla 6s '35 A.	95	94½	95
15	do 6s 1935 B.....	94¾	94	94¾
1	Shubert Thea 6s '42.	93¼	93¼	93¼
2	Shell Un Oil 5s '47.	98¾	98¾	98¾
1	Sier A S F P 5s '51.	101¾	101¾	101¾
4	Silesian Am 7s '41.	98¼	98¼	98¼
16	Simms Petrol 6s '29.	107¼	107	107
4	Sinclair Oil 7s '37....	100	100	100
17	do 6½s 1938.....	97¾	97	97¾
8	do 6s 1930.....	97¾	97½	97¾
1	do Crude 6s 1928....	100	100	100
3	do Pipe Line 5s '42.	94	94	94
19	Skelly Oil 5½s '39..	95	94¼	95
1	Smith A O 6½s '33..	102	102	102
1	Sou Colo Pow 6s '47.	106	106	106
1	Scu Pac cvt 5s '34..	103	103	103
1	do cvt 4s 1929.....	99¼	99¼	99¼
1	do 4½s Ore L '77....	104¾	104¾	104¾
6	South Ry 5½s '56..	126¾	126¾	126¾
2	do 6s 1956.....	119¼	119¼	119¼
20	do con 5s 1994.....	113¾	113½	113¾
1	do gen 4s 1956.....	92½	92¾	92¾
3	Stand Oil Cal 5s '46.	103¾	103¾	103¾
98	St O N Y deb 4½s'51	97¾	97¾	97¾
1	Stevens Hotel 6s '45.	100¼	100¼	100¼
4	TexFMoPTer5½s'64..	106¾	106¾	106¾
5	Tex & Pac 5s B '77.	105¾	105¾	105¾
2	Third Av 1st 5s '37.	99¾	99¾	99¾
3	Wabash 1st 5s '39.	105¼	105½	105¾
2	do 5½s '75.....	105¾	105¾	105¾
3	Walworth 6s '45....	95½	95	95½
10	West El 5s '44.....	104¾	103¾	104¼
6	West Md 4s '52.....	87	87	87
1	W N YAP 1st 5s '37.	103¼	103¼	103¼
1	do gen 4s '43.....	92½	92½	92½
4	West P 5s '46.....	100½	100½	100½
10	West Union 6½s '36.	112	112	112
1	do ri e 4½s '50.....	101¾	101¾	101¾
1	Weyer & Hs 4s '39..	92	92	92
11	W Va CaC 6s '50..	60	60	60
39	Westing El 5s '46..	104¼	104	104¼
1	Wickw Sp 7s '35....	33	33	33
1	Willys Ovld 6½s '63.	102	102	102
1	Wil & Co 1st 6s '41.	101¼	101¼	101¼
2	Winch Arms 7½s '41.	106½	106½	106½
3	Wisc Cen gn 4s '49.	88	88	88
3	Youngs S&T 6s '43..	104¼	104¾	104¾
11	do 5s '78.....	101¼	101	101¼

Hamilton Absorbs Illinois Watch Co., Started in 1877

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 31.—[Special.]—The Illinois Watch company's factory in Springfield has been purchased by the Hamilton Watch company of Lancaster, Pa., which has increased its capital from $5,000,000 to $10,000,000 and which announces through its president, Charles F. Miller, a program of extensive development for the local institution. The purchase price, it is announced, is "considerably in excess of $5,000,000." Springfield's watch factory, through today's sale, passes from control of the heirs of the late John Bunn, who, with his brother, Jacob Bunn, and a group of other Springfield men, organized the Illinois Springfield Watch company in 1877. The Hamilton Watch company has been in existence thirty-five years.

A New Issue — Exempt from Missouri Income Tax

$650,000
Versailles Apartments
St. Louis, Mo.
First Mortgage Sinking Fund Bonds



Bonds dated December 1, 1927, maturing December 1, 1937. Callable at 101 and accrued interest, except if entire issue outstanding is redeemed on or after December 1, 1936, no premium shall be paid. Title guaranteed by New York Title & Mortgage Company, New York City. Corporate Trustee: American Trust and Safe Deposit Co., Chicago. Normal Federal Income tax up to 2% on the annual interest and certain State taxes refundable upon proper application. Interest payable June 1st and December 1st. Owner: Versailles Building Co.

Security: These bonds are secured by a direct closed first mortgage on land owned in fee (175' x 150') and a ten-story fireproof apartment building being erected thereon at the Southwest corner of Skinker Boulevard and Rosebury Avenue, St. Louis, Mo. The building will be of the very finest construction, containing 45 apartments, with an 80-car garage in the rear.

Location: The location is excellent, in an exclusive residential section directly facing and overlooking Forest Park, with its many recreational facilities, and in close proximity to many churches and schools, including Washington University. Transportation includes motor bus, surface car and jitney service lines.

Estimated Earnings: The Versailles Apartments is in an excellent renting neighborhood. Net annual income is estimated at over twice the greatest yearly interest charges.

Appraisals

	Land	Building
Stanley Epstein, President, Stanley Epstein, Inc. -	$150,000	
Preston J. Bradshaw, Nationally known architect -		$865,000
Arthur J. Widmer, President, Widmer Engineering Co.		$850,000

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Sunday, January 1, 1928.

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Great Lakes Steamship Bonds.

Steamship bonds have long been among the least known and least generally understood of any securities.

A general fear of the risks of navigation and an ignorance of the safeguards that have been provided for great lakes steamship securities have led to an unwarranted, although widespread, lack of confidence in the safety of such issues.

Although of comparatively recent origin, great lakes steamship bonds are the most desirable of all steamship securities.

Laws affecting ocean going trade and their effect on the business of some of the largest of our foreign carrying companies have injured the reputation of ocean steamship bonds, in spite of the fact that the bondholders have been fully paid.

Great lakes steamship bonds, however, enjoy an enviable reputation, and, as far as can be ascertained, none of these bonds has ever defaulted.

The laws of Michigan and Ohio, which are the only specific statutes governing the purchase of steamship securities on the great lakes, are so carefully drawn up that the savings banks of these states have never suffered any losses through their purchase.

These laws have so safeguarded the bonds that they have practically forced all companies issuing lakes steamship securities to comply with the requirements of these laws.

Thirteen states now allow state savings banks to invest their funds in steamship securities, providing certain statutory requirements are fulfilled.

The laws of Michigan and Ohio require that mortgages on lake steamers must be on vessels of a tonnage capacity of 5,000 tons or over, that the vessels must be of steel (no bonds are issued on wooden vessels alone), and that they be in service of carrying freight or freight and passengers, but not passengers alone.

The vessels must be comparatively new—not more than five years in service—and the mortgage must not exceed 50 per cent of the original cost.

They require the annual retirement of 10 per cent of the principal, beginning two years after the bonds are issued, and current obligations are limited to 5 per cent of the original principal of the bonds issued.

Probably the most important provision of these laws is that the owners shall purchase insurance to the full insurable value of the ships to cover all risks and that all policies shall be approved by the trustee.

These regulations are unknown to ocean steamships as a class.

The best form of great lakes steamship bonds are those secured by a first mortgage lien on either a single vessel or a fleet.

The latter form is preferable, as it distributes the risk.

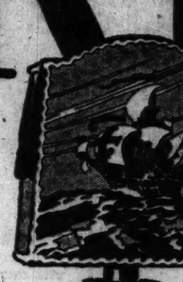
There is no danger of loss from ordinary service in lake steel vessels, if kept in proper repair, as their life is conservatively estimated at from fifty to sixty years.

Appraisers allow a rating of first class on such ships for at least twenty years—sometimes more.

As long as the vessel is kept in good repair, therefore, the equity of the security on a steel vessel is never menaced, as the bonds usually mature in ten years and are redeemed in serial payments.

Note: Until further notice, our main office at 40 N. Dearborn St., will be open every Saturday afternoon until 5 o'clock

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CASH-GRAIN NEWS

There was a good export business put through in Manitobas wheats overnight, according to reports from the seaboard but quantities were not given. The United Kingdom was said to have been the buyer.

Domestic shipping sales here were 8,000 bu wheat; 63,000 bu corn; 19,000 bu oats, and 3,000 bu barley, with 250,000 bu corn sold to go to store.

Offerings of cash wheat in leading markets were small with the basis unchanged. No. 2 red here was 10¼@11c over; No. 3 hard 26@2½c over; and No. 1 northern 1@2c over December.

Bitterly cold conditions materially delayed inspection of grain here and offerings were small. Basis was firm with new No. 3 grades 1½c under to 1½c over; No. 4 grades, December to be under; No. 5 grades, 2½@7½c under and No. 6 grades, 6@10c under December. Spot prices in outside markets were unchanged to 2c higher.

Cash oats basis was steady with No. 2 white ½c under to ½c over May, and No. 3 white May prices to 1½c under.

Official receipts of grain at Chicago Saturday: Wheat, 4 cars; corn, 53 cars; oats, 29 cars; barley, 5 cars.

Range of cash grain prices in leading markets follow:

	Chicago.	Kansas City.	St. Louis.
WHEAT.			
No. 2 red.		1.41@1.43½	1.47
No. 3 red.		1.35@1.41½	.....
No. 1 hd.		1.27½@1.30	.....
No. 2 hd.	1.26	1.25¼@1.27	.....
No. 3 hd.		1.35@1.55½	.....
No. 4 hd.		1.16	.....
	Chicago.	Winnipeg.	Minneapolis.
No. 1 N.		1.38½	1.25¾@1.34¾
No. 2 N.		1.34¾	1.23¾@1.30¾
No. 3 N.		1.22¾	1.20¾@1.28¾
No. 1 dk. N.			1.26¾@1.29¾
	CORN.		
	Chicago.	Omaha.	Peoria.
No. 3 mx.		73¾@74¼	.....
No. 4 mx.	79	70¾@72½	.....
No. 5 mx.		68	.....
No. 2 yel.	84¾	.....	.....
No. 3 yel.	83¾	77	.....
No. 4 yel.	81¼	72¾@73½	.....
No. 5 yel.	78¼@86	70 @70½	76
No. 6 yel.	77	68	.....
No. 4 wh.		73	.....
No. 6 wh.	74	.....	67¼@69
S. grade	68 @73¼	.....	67¼@69
	Milwaukee.	Kansas City.	St. Louis.
No. 2 mx.		73½@76½	.....
No. 3 mx.		73 @74	82 @82¼
No. 4 mx.		70¾@71¼	.....
No. 2 yel.		77¼@80	.....
No. 3 yel.	76	@76¼	82 @82¼
No. 4 yel.	81¼@82	72¾@76¼	80 @81
No. 2 wh.		75¼@78	82¾
No. 3 wh.		75¼	80¼@81
No. 4 wh.		70¼@73½	79
	Minneapolis.	Buffalo.	Toledo.
No. 2 yel.	84	.....	.....
No. 3 yel.	79	.....	80¼@80¾
No. 2 mx.	78	.....	.....
	OATS.		
	Chicago.	Kansas City.	St. Louis.
No. 2 wh.	55¼	53 @56½	56½@57
No. 3 wh.	54	@55½	55 @55½
No. 4 wh.	52¼@54¼	.....	53½
	Milwaukee.	Omaha.	Minneapolis.
No. 2 wh.	51¼	53¼@55¼	55¼
No. 3 wh.	52 @54	50¼@51½	50¾@53¾
No. 4 wh.	.....	.....	50¾@51¾
	Buffalo.	Toledo.	Peoria.
No. 2 wh.	58 @59	53	@54½
	RYE, BARLEY AND FLAX.		
	Rye.	Barley.	Flax.
Chicago	86 @91½	.....	2.15
Milwaukee	1.07	94 @96	.....
Minneapolis	1.01¾@02¼	77 @86	2.07@2.15
Duluth	1.02¾	75 @82	2.07@2.15
	CLOVER AND TIMOTHY.		
Clover—		Cash.	March.
Chicago, per 100 lbs.		22.00@29.25	
Toledo, per 60 lbs.		18.60	18.70
Timothy—			
Chicago, per

STOCK MARKET ENDS THE YEAR WITH FIRM TONE

YESTERDAY'S AVERAGES

	High.	Low.	Last.	Net chge.
25 railroads	119.57	119.00	119.39+	.26
25 industrials	245.00	243.55	244.54+	.83
50 stocks	182.28	181.27	181.96+	.54

New York, Dec. 31.—[Special.]—The stock market closed the year today with a strong and confident tone. In spite of year-end festivities on the floor of the exchange, trading was in good volume for a short Saturday session. Total transactions reached 1,112,600 shares.

Much of this trading represented year-end adjustments of speculative accounts and cash trading for the purpose of establishing losses for income tax purposes. But it was noticeable that many stocks were in demand with the beginning of the flow of reinvestment funds into the market. The optimistic forecasts of leaders in business and finance for the new year also encouraged buying.

Several Groups Show Strength.

The motor, copper, and specialty issues were the strongest features of today's market. But there also was good buying in the railroad group. In the copper group, Greene Cananea led off with an advance of 5½ points. In the motor group Hudson Motor was the strongest feature, making a net gain of 1¾. Among the specialties, National Surety scored 10 points.

In the railroad group, the St. Paul issues were the feature and all made new high marks. St. Paul common and the common certificates made fractional advances to 13¾ and 19¼ respectively, while the preferred gained nearly a point at 37½ and the preferred certificates rose a point to 37¾. Buying was influenced by prospects of a speedy reorganization.

Standard Industrials Seesaw.

The standard industrials moved within a narrow range. General Motors gained a large fraction, while United States Steel lost a small fraction. American Can, General Electric, and Radio Corporation gained a point or two, while Baldwin Locomotive declined 2 points.

The motor group generally followed the leaders. Net gains of a point or two were made by Chrysler Motor, the Dodge Brothers issues, Goodyear, Packard Motor, Studebaker, and Yellow Truck preferred. But Goodrich and Mullins Body lost a point or so. In the copper group, Calumet & Arizona and Magma Copper gained a point or more, but Utah Copper dropped 4¾ points. In the railroad group, Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh preferred jumped 3¾, while smaller gains were made by Atchison, Rock Island, New York Central, Pere Marquette, the St. Louis Southwestern issues, and Southern Railway. But Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh common, Texas & Pacific, and Wabash were lower.

General List Is Strong.

In the general industrial list, General Refractories rose 4½ points and smaller gains were made by Air Reduction, American Beet Sugar, American International, American Railway Express, the American Tobacco issues, Armour of Delaware preferred, Bayuk Cigars, Beechnut Packing, Butterick, A. M. Byers, California Packing, Central Alloy Steel, Collins & Aikman, Conde Nast, Congress Cigars, Coty, DuPont, Erie Steam Shovel, General American Tank, Kraft Cheese, Manhattan Electrical Supply, McCrory Stores B, Munsingwear, New York Air Brake, the Otis Steel issues, Penn Dixie Cement, Pressed Steel Car, Pants Alegre Sugar, Real Silk Hosiery, Republic Iron & Steel, Savage Arms, Sears Roebuck, Simmons, Sloss Sheffield, Sterling Products, Thatcher, Underwood Typewriter, United Drug, U. S. Realty, Universal Leaf Tobacco, Warren Brothers, Western Union, Westinghouse Electric, and the Worthington Pump issues.

A Few Issues Decline.

On the other hand, net declines ranging up to several points were incurred by American Agricultural Chemical preferred, Brooklyn Edison, Brooklyn Union Gas, Burns Brothers B, Commercial Investment, Curtiss Aero, Detroit Edison, General Outdoor certificates, Inland Steel, National Biscuit, National Supply, Pacific Telephone, Pressed Steel Car preferred, Shubert Theater, and Youngstown Steel and Tube.

Loans, discounts and investments of the New York clearing house banks increased $392,363,000 this week, according to the weekly statement of the association issued today. A decrease of $70,472,100 in reserves, wiped out a surplus of $13,821,100 shown a week ago and created a deficit of $51,651,040 in reserve. Net demand deposits increased $321,463,000 and time deposits increased $20,322,000.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—(AP)—The dry goods market was steady today in the primary division. Cotton goods were firm with sales lighter in grey cloths. Silk was a little firmer. Burlap closed firm at Calcutta and steady here, with business light. Yarns were in moderate demand. Inquiries looking to business in 1928 came quite freely at the week-end.

MONEY AND EXCHANGE

Money in Chicago firm at 4½@4¾ per cent on collateral; commercial paper, 3¾@4¼ per cent, 4@5 per cent over the counter. Bankers' acceptances, 3@3⅝ per cent. Chicago clearings yesterday were $148,900,000, compared with $114,100,000 a week ago.

NEW YORK MONEY MARKET.

NEW YORK.—(AP)—Prime commercial paper, 4¾@4¾ per cent. Bar silver, domestic, 57½c; Mexican dollars, 44¼c. Call money: Firm; all loans 5½ per cent; closing bid, 5½. Time loans—Steady; mixed collateral, 60 days, 4¾ per cent; 4-6 months, 4¾ per cent.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

Closing foreign exchange in amounts of $50,000 and over between banks as quoted by the Illinois Merchants Trust company.

London—Dec. 31. Dec. 30. Wk. ago. Yr. ago.
Cables .488.33 488.38 488.38 485.50
Demand .487.83 487.88 487.88 485.00

Paris—
Cables .. 3.93⅜ 3.93⅜ 3.93¼ 3.97
Demand .. 3.93⅜ 3.93⅜ 3.93¼ 3.96

The following quotations are for checks:

Italy 5.28⅝ 5.28¾ 5.27¼ 4.81½
Antwerp ..13.99 14.00 13.99½ 13.92
Berlin 19.31½ 19.33 19.34½ 19.33¼
Holland 40.44 40.47 40.45 40.03
Switzerland 26.83 26.83 26.83 26.68
Montreal 26.97⅛ 27.03 27.02 26.74⅛
Norway 26.62 26.63 26.62 25.28
Sweden 16.01 16.02 16.75⅛ 15.29⅛
Denmark 23.87 23.88 23.91⅛ 23.83
Austria 14.20 14.20 14.20 14.25
Poland 11.50 11.50 11.50 12.50
Greece 1.23⅝ 1.23⅞ 1.23¼ 1.26
Czecho-Sl. 2.97 2.97 2.97 2.95¼
Finland 2.53 2.53 2.53 2.53⅛
Canada $1.88 $1.72 $1.48 *1.17
Argentine 42.96 43.03 42.95 41.59
Brazil 12.35 12.35 12.35 12.23
Japan 51.65 51.15 50.80 46.45
Shanghai ..64.10 64.05 63.95 59.90
Uruguay 47.10 47.00 46.75 49.45
Mexico 37.20 37.15 37.20 36.90
Cuba ....73 .73 .74 .72
Rio Janeiro 12.34 12.34 12.34 12.10
Bombay 57.58 57.63 57.63 56.50
Calcutta ..$17.52 $17.52 $17.52 $ .00145

*Per thousand premium. †Per thousand discount. All other quotations are values in cents. ‡Hungary's new unit. §Hungary owes.

NEW-YORK-CURB TRANSACTIONS

Saturday, Dec. 31, 1927.
(By Associated Press.)

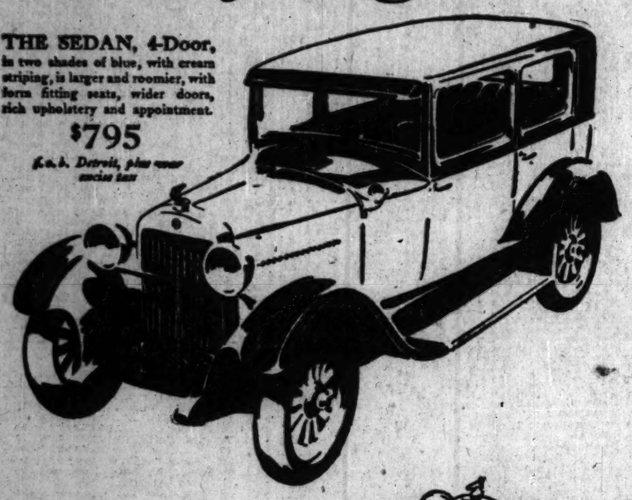
Day's sales	364,100
Bonds, par value	$3,090,000

	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.
Acetol Prod	300	30½	30¼	30½
Allied Packers	500	.50	.50	.50
Allison Drug A	200	20	19½	20
Do B	100	15¼	15¼	15¼
Alum'n Co Am	100	122	122	122
Do pfd	600	103½	103¼	103½
Am Arch	1,500	68¾	68¼	68¾
Am Br Bov F	100	8¼	8¼	8¼
Am Chain Stores	300	46¼	45¼	46¼
Am Commander	1,000	.05	.05	.05
Am Cont Oil'ds	12,700	1.00¼	.98	1.00
Am Cyan B	400	39¾	38	39¾
Am Exploration	1,400	1¾	1¾	1¾
Am Gas & El	800	120½	120¼	120¾
Am Lt & Trac	50	173½	173½	173½
Am Mfg Co	25	77	77	77
Am Maracaibo	800	3¼	3¼	3¼
Am Rayon	200	14¾	14	14¾
Am Roll Mills	8,900	110½	105¼	105½
AmSecur Ch pf	100	27¾	27¼	27¾
Am Superpow A	800	37¾	37¼	37¼
Do B	200	38¼	38¼	38¼
Anc-Am C nonvot	100	18¼	18¼	18¼
Anc-ChilCon Nitra	500	30	29½	29½
Arizona Power	25	18¼	18¼	18¼
Asso Gas & El	6,400	49¾	48¾	49¼
Do rights	5,700	1¼	1¼	1¼
AT & SF rights	2,500	3¾	3¾	3¾
Atl Fruit & Sug	100	.88	.88	.88
Atlantic Lobos	200	1¼	1¼	1¼
Do pfd	100	3¼	3¼	3¼
Atlas Plywood	100	65¼	65	65¼
AtlasPortCem nw	800	38	38	38
Auburn Auto	100	120¾	120¾	120¾
Babcock & Wil	100	122	121	122
Bancitaly Corp	3,300	134¾	132¾	134¾
Bastian Blessing	200	26	26	26
Beld Hall Elec	1,000	.15	.15	.15
Blumenthal (S)	100	33	33	33
Blyn Shoe	500	4¾	4¾	4¾
BohnAlum&Brass	200	35¾	35¼	35¾
Brill A	300	34¾	34	34¾
Do B	100	16¾	16¾	16¾
Brillo Mfg	100	14¼	14¼	14¼
Brit-Am Oil coup	500	39	38¾	38¾
Br-Am Tob coup	100	25¾	25¼	25¼
BdwyDeptSt 1st pf	100	104¼	104¼	104¼
Brkwy Mot Trk	600	48¾	47¾	48¾
Brk City R R	5,400	5	4¾	4¾
Bucyrus & Erie	1,300	30¾	30	30½
Do pfd	1,500	35	34½	34¾
Buff N Eastern	1,600	30¾	30¾	30¾
Buff N E rights	200	3	3	3
CGSprg&Bump nw	100	10¾	10¾	10¾
Campbell Wyant	2,400	40¾	38¾	39¼
Can Am Wire's	28,800	3½	3¼	3¾
Cardinal Pet	5,000	.11	.10	.10
Carib Synd new	100	19¼	19¼	19¼
Casein Co Am	30	170	167	170
Caterpil Trac new	100	58	58	58
Celotex	500	86	86	86
Cent Am Mines	500	.75	.75	.75
Centripetal Pipe	200	11¼	11¼	11¼
C M & St P new	5,000	26¼	25¾	26
Chain Belt new	5,000	44¾	43¾	44¾
Cities Serv new	4,800	55¾	55¾	55¾
Do pfd	300	94¾	94¾	94¾
Do B pfd	100	87½	87½	87½
Cities Serv 7% pf	300	95¾	95¾	95¾
Club Alum Uten	200	38¼	38¼	38¼
Colombian Synd	2,600	2	1¾	2
Columb Graph	800	37¾	37¾	37¾
Comm'l Cop Int	100	.05	.05	.05
ConsGas & ElBalt	300	68	68	68
Cons Lndry Cor	400	15½	15¼	15½
Cont Oil v t c	11,800	21¼	20¾	21¼
Cosden & Prod A	300	9¾	9¾	9¾
Courtauld	300	38¾	38¼	38¾
Cram Co, General Electric, and Radio Corporation gained a point or two, while Baldwin Locomotive declined 2 points.				
Crown Central	100	.80	.80	.80
Cunningham pf	300	102	101½	102
Curtis Pub	25	193	193	193
Do 7% pfd	100	118¾	118¾	118¾
Davega Inc	400	46¼	44	46¼
Davenport Hos'y	100	16¼	16¼	16¼
De Forest v t c	1,100	2	1¾	2
Derby Oil	500	1	1	1
Dixon Crucible	70	174	170¼	174
Dubilier Condens	100	50	50	50
Dubilier Condens	100	3¾	3¾	3¾
Durant Mot	900	9¾	9	9¼
Eastern Dairies	200	4¾	4¾	4¾
Elec Bond&Share	2,500	79¾	79	79¾
Electric Inv	200	42¾	42¼	42½
El P&L opt war	400	14	13¾	14
Do 2d fd	50	104¼	104¼	104¼
Emp G&F 8% pf	800	100½	100	100½
Equities	300	39¾	39¾	39¾
Empire Pow	100	30	30	30
Eng Gold Min	100	1¾	1¾	1¾
Estey Wel A	400	1¾	1¾	1¾
Eureka Croesus	5,000	.04	.03	.03
Fageol Mot	100	1¾	1¾	1¾
Fajardo Sugar	10	160	160	160
Fansteel Prod	1,300	33¾	31	33½
Federal Wat	500	34½	34¼	34½
Firestone Fd	100	122	122	122
Fire Tr & Rub	225	228	227½	228
Ford Mot Can	50	566	561	564
Forham	100	22¼	22¼	22¼
Foundation Co	5,000	10¾	10½	10¾
Fox Thea A	1,500	22¼	22	22
Franklin Mfg Co	100	16	16	16
Freshman Chas	4,100	7¼	7¼	7¼
Fulton Iron	2,500	42¾	42¾	42¾
Gal Sig pf old	160	36¾	35¾	36¾
Garod Radio	100	.85	.85	.85
Gen Alloys Co	100	13¾	13¾	13¾
Gen Bak A	100	76¾	75¼	76¾
Gen Bak B	2,400	8	8	8
Gen Bronze Co	100	35¼	35¼	35¼
Gen Ice Cream	100	64½	64¼	64½
Do rights	100	17	17	17
Gen Pub Ser	100	2¼	2¼	2¼
Gen Silk Cor	200	1¾	1¾	1¾
Gibson Art	100	168	168	168
Gilbert Allen Coal	1,000	66	66	66
Gobel Adolph	100	66¾	66	66¾
Gold Seal E Co	2,700	17¼	15¾	17
Golden Cen Mill	1,700	2¾	2¼	2¾
Golden Sta Min	6,000	.09	.08	.09
Grant Co. Del	100	118	118	118
Greenfield T&D	100	12	12	12
Gulf Oil Cor Pa	1,000	116½	116	116
Happi Cdy Inc	100	7¾	7¾	7¾
Hellman Inc	200	13¾	13¾	13¾
Holland Fur	1,000	43	43	43
Houston Gulf G	100	12¼	12¼	12¼
Humble Oil&Ref	100	67½	67½	67½
Hydraulic Pr	1,800	25¼	25	25¼
Imp Oil Canada	300	59¾	59¼	59¾
Indust Rayon A	800	22	21¾	21¾
Ins Co No Am	500	91¼	91	91¼
Interco Pet	200	1¾	1¾	1¾
Internat Pet	400	37	36¾	37
Inter Utilities A	800	50½	50½	50½
Do B	1,100	10¼	10	10¼
Jones Knitting	200	3¼	3¼	3¼
J Mansville new	400	123	122¾	123
Kinnear Stor	100	31	31	31
Kirby Pet	100	1¼	1¼	1¼
Kroger Grocery	50	141	141	141
Krushal & Krusk	100	15¾	15¾	15¾
Lefcourt Real pf	300	39¼	39	39¼
Lehigh Cl&Nav	200	106¼	106¼	106¼
Lehigh Pw Sec n	1,400	20¾	20¾	20¾
Lehigh Vl cem	900	35¾	35¼	35¾
Lehigh Val Cl St	75	64¼	63¾	63¾
Leonard Oil	300	6¼	6	6¼
Libby McNeil	600	9¾	9¾	9¾
Lone Star Gas	400	54	53¾	54
Mandalena Syn	300	1¾	1¾	1¾
Meson Val Min	100	1¾	1¾	1¾
Mavis Bottl Co	300	16¼	16	16
McKeesport T P	300	61¾	60¾	61¾
Melville Shoe	200	115¼	115	115
Mengel Co	100	57¾	57¾	57¾
Mexico Ohio	100	5¾	5¾	5¾
Midland Steel	200	106	107½	108
Miller Rub pf	75	95¾	95¾	95¾
Mohawk & Hd Pw	500	30¼	30¼	30¼
Moun Prod	3,300	23¼	23¼	23¼
Nat Elec Pw A	300	27¼	27¼	27¼
Nat Fuel & Gas	900	22¼	22	22
Nat Pb Serv A	900	23¼	23	23¼
Nat Trans	200	20¾	20¾	20¾
New Cornel Cop	500	29¼	29¼	29¼
N J Zinc	10	184¾	184¾	184¾
New Mex & Ar L	100	9¾	9¾	9¾
Newmont Mining	1,000	138	138	138¾
N Y Honduras M	100	17	17	17
N Y Transit	200	38	37½	37½
Niles Bem Pond	1,000	32	32	32
Noranda Mines	100	23¾	23¾	23¾
Nr Am Ut Sc lpf	200	92	91¾	92
Nor Ohio Pow	100	18¾	18¾	18¾
Nor St Pow A	600	128¾	128¼	128¾
Do rts	700	6¾	6	6
Ohio Cop	200	.99	.93	.99
Pac Sti Boiler	200	13¾	13¾	13¾
Pandem Oil	1,400	4¼	4¼	4¼
Pantepec Oil Vens	500	9¾	9	9
Parke Davis new	100	37¾	37¼	37¼
Parmac Porcupin	1,000	.19	.19	.19
Penn Mex Fuel	300	38	37¼	38
Penn Oh Ed pr p	10	107¾	107¾	107¾
Do 6% pfd	200	95	94½	95
Penn Oh Secur	100	13¾	13¾	13¾
Penn Pw&Li pfd	25	109½	109½	109½
Penn Salt Co	50	100	100	100
Peoples Drug Str	200	49¼	49¼	49¼
Philip Morris	200	8¾	8¾	8¾
Phila Bartch Co pf	200	21	21	21
Pig Wig Corp	200	27¾	27	27¾
Pitney Bw Postg	200	8	8	8
Pitts Lak Erie B	50	152¼	152¼	152¼
Pitts Pl Glass	20	217	213	213
Prairie Oil & Gs	400	49	49	49
Procter & Gambl	25	247	247	247
Remington Arms	100	13	13	13
Rep Mot Trk cf	300	3	3	3
Ryan Con	100	5	5	5
St Regis Paper	400	56¼	55½	56
Salt Creek Cons	800	7	7	7
Salt Creek Prod	2,700	34¾	34½	34¾
Schiff Co pfd	50	110	110	110
Seeman Bros	600	36	35¾	36
Seiberling Rubber	300	38¾	38¼	38¾
Servel Inc vtc	1,700	6¼	5¾	6¼
Do pfd	400	29¾	29	29¾
Servel Del	1,700	01¾	01¼	01¾
Shattuck-Denn	100	10¾	10¼	10¾
Sheaffer Pen	40	800	789	800
Silica Gel Crp vtc	100	19¾	19¾	19¾
SE Pow & Lt	600	43¾	43½	43½
Do war	1,000	14¼	14¼	14¼
So Cal Ed B pfd	100	25¾	25¾	25¾
Sparks Withing	500	34	33¼	34
Stand C Tob	200	30	29¾	29¾
S O Indiana	3,600	78½	78	78¼
Do Ken	200	124¾	124¼	124¾
Stand Sanitary	50	107¾	107¾	107¾
Stern Bros A	150	55¼	55¼	55¼
Do B	100	19¾	19¾	19¾
Stutz M Car Am	200	18¾	17¾	18¾
Swift & Co	50	125	125	125
Swift Int	300	25¼	25¼	25¼
Todd Shipyards	100	50½	50½	50½
Tonopah Exten	1,000	.11	.11	.11
Trans Lux Day P	100	3¾	3¾	3¾
Trico Prod	200	28¼	28	28¼
Trumbull Steel	1,600	11¾	11¾	11¾
Truscon Steel	100	34¾	34¼	34¾
Tub Art 5 S cif	30	460	460	460
United Biscuit A	100	65¼	65¼	65¼
Do B	1,400	20¾	19¾	20¾
United East Min	3,000	.45	.45	.45
Unit Gas Imp	1,800	114¾	113¾	114¾
Un Lt & Pow A	100	14¼	14¼	
Do B pfd	100	52¼	53¼	52½
U S Dairy Pro A	100	37	37	37
U S Freight new	125	98	91	91
U S Gypsum	300	25¾	25½	25¾
Unit Verde Ext	200	20¼	20¼	20¾
Util P&Lt A cif	200	10¾	10¾	10¾
Utility Shares	500	.85	.76	.85
Do option	100	14¼	14¼	14¼
Vacuum Oil	500	54¾	54¼	54¾
Venezuelan Pet	500	25¾	25¾	25¾
Waitt & Bond A	100	11¾	11¾	11¾
Warner Bros 1st	100	19¼	19¼	19¾
Watson J W A	500	1¾	1	1¾
Wendex Corp Min	2,800	1¼	1	1¼
Wes Oil & Sn cif	400	72	72	72
Woodworth	100	27¾	27¾	27¾

BONDS.

No. thous.	High.	Low.	Close.
1 Ala Pow 5s '56	102	102	102
32 do 4½s '33	95¼	95¼	95¼
9 All Pack 5s '39	45¼	45¼	45¼
3 Alum Corp 5s '52	101¼	101¼	101¼
14 Am Cyan 5s '42	93¼	108¼	108¼
24 Am G&E 6s B 2014	108¾	99	99¼
10 Am Nat P&L 6s 2016	108	107¾	108
10 Am Nat P&L 6s 2016	103¾	105¾	105¾
27 Am Roll M 6s '38	105¾	103	103
4 Am Seat 6s '36	103	101¼	101¼
1 Am Thread 5s '28	101¼	101¼	101¼
2 Anson Cop 6s A '29	101¼	99¾	99¾
15 Appalac Pw 6s '56	99¾	98¼	99
8 Ark P&L 5s '56	99	103¼	103¼
101 As El 5½s	102¾	102¼	102¾
50 As G&E 5½s '43	99	101¼	102
6 Beacon Oil 6s'36	102	98¾	98¾
10 Bos & Me A C 5s '37	98¼	39¼	39¼
1 Brunner Tur 7½s '35	89¼	113½	113½
1 Can N Ry Eq 7s '35	113½	103¾	103¾
1 Carolina P&L 5s '56	103¾	96¼	96¼
54 Chi M & St P 5s '75	96¼	94	94
340 do adj 5s '2000	64¾	99	99
1 Chic Pn Tool 5½s	99	100½	100½
5 C St Car 5½s '33	A 100½	90¾	90¾
4 Cities Ser 5s '66	91	103¾	103¾
5 do 5s '66	103¾	95¾	95¾
3 do Gas 5½s '42	95¾	97½	97½
10 do Pow 5½s '57	97¼	101¼	101¼
2 Com Ind Ed 5s '57	101¼	105	105
2 Con Gas Balt 5s '65	105	95	95
10 Con Textile 5s '41	95	97	97
1 Cont Gas & E 6½s	104¼	98½	98½
10 do 5½s	98½	97½	97½
9 Cuban Comp 6s	29	100¾	100¾
2 Cudahy Pack 5s '46	100¾	107	107
1 Detroit C Gas 6s '47	107	100¼	100¼
5 Det Int Br 7s '52	101¾	101¾	101¾
9 do 6½s '52	99¾	99¾	99¾
5 Dix G Gas 6½s '37	99¾	71¾	72
15 El Refrig 6s '36	72	92¾	92¾
32 Emp O & R 5½s '42	92¾	87¾	87¾
2 Fed Sugar 6s '33	87¾	97¾	98
12 Firestone Tire 5s '42	98	97½	97¾
12 Fla Pw & Lt 5s '54	97¾	99¼	99¼
5 Gatineau Pw 5s '56	99¼	138	139
5 Gen Am Inv 5s '52	139	99¾	99¾
13 Georgia Pw 5s '67	99¾	100¾	100¾
6 Gdyr T & R 5½s '31	100¾	100½	100½
1 do 5s '28	100½	111	111
1 Gr Trunk 6½s '36	111	101	101
1 Gulf Oil 5s '47	101	101	101
2 do 5s '37	101	143	143
116 Hygrade Fd Pr 6s	143	96¾	96¾
18 Indep Oil 6s '39	96¾	100¾	100¾
5 Indnap P & L 5s '57	100¾	98¾	98¾
37 Int Match 5s '47	98¾	85¾	85¾
35 Int Sec Corp 5s '47	85¾	98¼	98¼
7 Interstate Pow 6s	98¼	96¾	96¾
7 do 5s '57	96¾	96¾	96¾
2 Iowa-Neb L&P 5s '57	96¾	99¾	99¾
6 Koppers Gas&C 5s '47	99¾	101	101
1 Lacledc Gas 5½s '35	101	105¼	105¾
4 Lehi P S 6s A 2026	105¾	96	96¼
10 Lib McN & L 5s '42	96¼	103¾	104
23 Lone Star Gas 5s	100½	99¾	100½
3 Mass Gas 5½s '46	105	105	105
5 Milw G & El 4½s '67	101	100½	101
5 Mo Kans L&P 5s '57	100	100	100
5 M Ward Prop 6s '46	101	101	101
30 Morris & Co 7½s '30	99	98¾	98¾
3 Narragansett 5s '57	101¼	101¼	101¼
7 Nat P Serv 6½s	103¼	103¼	103¼
14 N Ori Tex & M 4½s	93¾	98	98¼
177 N Y N H & H 4½s	93	92¾	92¾
10 N Y P & L 4½s '67	95¾	95¾	95¾
43 N Stat P cvt 6½s '33	124	122¼	124
1 Ohio Pow 5s B '52	106	106	106
2 do 4½s '56	103¾	103¾	103¾
6 Pac G & El 4½s '57	98¾	98¾	98¾
10 Para F Lask 6s	100	99¾	100
7 Pa O Ed 6s '50 w w	103¾	103¾	103¾
8 Phila El 5½s '72	106	105¾	106
5 Phillips Pet 5½s '39	94½	94½	94½
9 Potomac Ed 5s '56	99¾	99¾	99¾
7 Pow Cor N Y 5½s '47	99¼	99¼	99¼
2 St L Gas & C 6s '47	96	96	96
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2 Servel Cor 6s '31	29½	29½	29½
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6 Shell Pipe L 5s '52	98¾	98¾	98¾
14 Snider Pack 6s '32	104	103¼	103¼
1 Solvay Am 5s '42	99	99	99
5 SE Pa Gs 2025 w w	106¾	106	106¾
7 S Asbestos 6s	109	108¾	109
1 Sou Cal Ed 5s '51	102¾	102¾	102¾
1 So Dair 6s '30	99¼	99¼	99¼
1 So Gas 6½s '35	104½	104½	104½
3 Southw P & L 6s	108	108	108
11 Stkley Mfg 6s '42	99¼	99	99¼
12 Sta Oil N Y 6½s '33	104	103¾	104
9 Stand P & L 6s '37	99¼	99¼	99¼
3 Sun Maid Rais 6½s	97	97	97
2 Swift & Co 5s '32	100¾	100¾	100¾
25 Un L & Ry 5½s '52	99	98¾	99
3 U S Rub 6½s '34	101	101	101
4 do 6½s '35	101	101	101
2 do 6½s '36	101	101	101
27 do 6½s '37	100¾	100¾	100¾
8 Util P L 5½s '47	92¼	92¼	92¼
8 War Br Pic 6½s '28	95¼	95¼	95¼
8 War Quin 6s '42	100¾	100¾	100¾
1 West Chlor 5½s '37	102¼	102¼	102¼
1 Batavia Pet 4½s '42	94	94	94
2 Berlin Elec 6½s '29	98¾	98¾	98¾
10 Bogota Mtge Bk 7s	92¾	92	92¾
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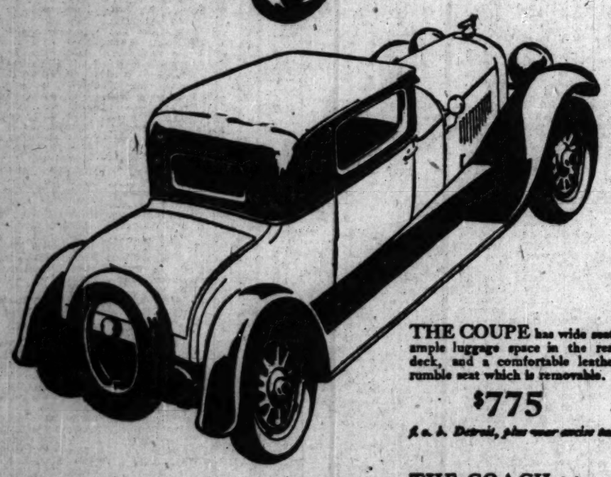
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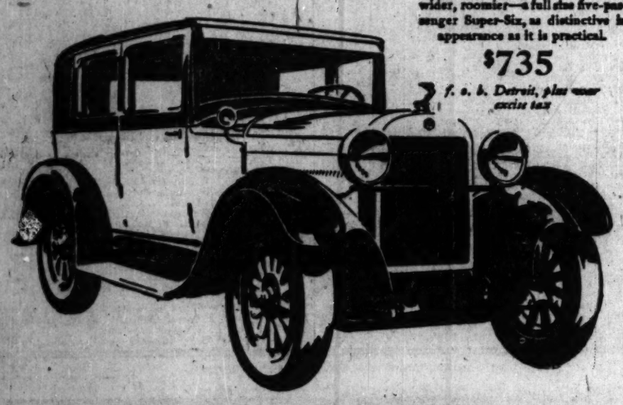
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SITUATION WTD—2 EXP. HOTEL WOMEN; mang. apt. hotel. Hotel Brevort F-25.

Housekeepers and Caretakers.

SITUATION WTD—A REFINED WOMAN, 40, Protestant, wishes position as housekeeper in home of a man of good character where children need a mother's care. Suburbs or country pref. Address P 209, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—HOUSEKPR., HONEST, reliable young white woman, with girl 2 yrs., for couple emp. motherless home or bachelor. Van Buren 8778.

SITUATION WTD—RELIABLE, EXP. WOMan with boy 13, more for good home than wages. Normal 2736.

SITUATION WTD—HSKPR. MOTHERLESS home; woman with child. Went. 0936.

SITUATION WTD—HOUSEKEEPER; CAN give excel. ref. Address O Y 537, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—AS HOUSEKEEPER; exp.; good refs. Seeley 4892.

Dressmakers and Seamstresses.

SITUATION WTD—DRESSMAKER IN FAMilies, $1.75 day. Address F 312, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—EX. FRENCH DRESSER; best ref.; $6 a day. Oak. 1304, Henkle.

Nurses and Governesses.

SITUATION WTD — GRAD. NURSE WITH car will care for mild mental case, old woman, or backward child in suburban home. Refs. exch. Address F 332, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—EXPD. INTELLIGENT, well educ. lady wants pos. as companion to semi-invalid lady; will travel. Cent. Bel. 4228. C. E. Kennedy, 4305 Prather-st.

SITUATION WTD—EXP. EXACT NURSE; comp.; 2 yrs. hosp. or invat. or walk. children; ref.; $20-$25. Wr. 2828.

SITUATION WTD—NR. CHICAGO BEACH Hotel, care for children; eves. and p. m.; best refs. Address F 358, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—MAID, CHILDREN'S nurse, light col. girl; ref. Ken. 4763.

SITUATION WTD—EXACT NURSE; GOOD cook; reasonable. Tri. 3008.

SITUATION WTD—LGT. COL. GRADUATE nurse, care infant or invalid. Doug. 3505.

SITUATION WTD—PRAC. NURSE, TO TAKE patient south. Address E 85, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—EXP. PRACT. NURSE; convalescent, invalid; car. West 3120.

Laundresses and Day Work.

SITUATION WTD—GOOD WHITE LAUNdress wants day work. Norm. 5741.

SITUATION WTD—EXP. LAUNDRESS. BY day; white Kildare 1005.

SITUATION WTD—LAUNDRESS. BUNDLE wash taken home. Div. 8461.

SITUATION WTD—DAYS OR HOTEL WORK; refs.; ref. Douglas 1536.

Stenographers, Typists, Etc.

SITUATION WTD—THIS AD INSERTED BY an experienced stenographer of record, is releasing excep. cap. secretary, well versed in all branches advertising office work; excel. steno., statistician, bkkpr.; exec. abil.; sales exp.; just the type some cap. advg. executive or art studio is looking for. Address E 223, Tribune.

Secy.-Steno. Bkkpr.

10 years' exp.; capable of assuming responsibilities. Ravenswood 6448.

SITUATION WTD—STENOGRAPHER-GEN. office work; 3 yrs. univ. educ., 2 yrs. business exp.; best refs. Kenwood 5116.

SITUATION WTD—STENO. 10 YRS.' EXP. in legal; best refs. Van Buren 4854.

SITUATION WTD—SECRETARY; LEGAL steno.; Lakeview 4854.

SITUATION WTD—RECORDER'S OFF. EXP. Misc. typ., part or full time. Nev. 3116.

SITUATION WTD—SECRETARY; EXP. IN gen. office work; A1 ref. Tel. Unl. 0076.

SITUATION WTD—STENO. BEGINNER; willing to work. Miss Shea, Hyde Pk. 6360.

SITUATION WTD—STENO., EMPL. DES. Plaines; exp. in office; ref. Address F 284, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—STENOGRAPHER; A-1; b. s. grad.; 6 yrs. exp.; best refs. Boul 1000.

Miscellaneous.

SITUATION WTD—REFINED YNG. LADY, employed, will care for child 3 evgs. wk. acc., comp. to lady or gent. in exch. quiet, home; rm. Address F 255, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—YOUNG LADY STUDENT, exp. maid, des. hswk. or similar wk. exch. rm. and board. Address Box 5451, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—YOUNG LADY DESIRES position as lady's traveling companion. Address F 206, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—AFTERNOON WORK BY Northwestern Univ. student. Exp. secre. Best refs. Address F 314, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—YNG. WOMAN REL. to part or part time. Dor. 7891.

WANTED—MALE HELP.

Stores and Offices.

A SALARY OF $35 A WEEK WILL BE PAID

A few intelligent men of the clean cut type. This work is dignified and does not require experience. However, you must be ambitious and willing to work hard and follow instructions. If you are the right man this position will offer connection with large and financially responsible institution where promotion and large future earnings are assured. Apply in person, Tuesday, between 9 a. m. and 5 p. m. Do not phone.

FRANK DE LUGACH,
Room 310, Otis Bldg., 10 S. La Salle.

ACCOUNTANTS.

NATIONAL ORGANIZATION OF CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS HAS POSITIONS AVAILABLE FOR FEW CONSTRUCTIVE SHORTHAND SEMI-SENIOR ACCOUNTANTS OF MERIT. MUST HAVE HAD WIDE EXPERIENCE AND GOOD EDUCATION. QUALIFY AND GIVE FULL PARTICULARS REGARDING EXPERIENCE, SALARY, ETC. ADDRESS O Z 244, TRIBUNE.

ACCOUNTANT—SENIOR, WHO HAS HAD A broad experience in office work in addition to at least 6 years' experience in auditing, office systematizing and organization, etc., with recognized firm of C. P. A.'s. Prefer man about 30 to 35 years of age. Must furnish good refs. and bondable. Salary $5,000 per year to start. Some traveling. Reply fully, also mention earliest date available; confidential. Address F 418, Tribune.

ACCOUNTANT

Man who has studied and is familiar with the theory of accounting; college education; for accounting department of large organization with promotion to executive position possible in near future; permanent position for right man; $5,200 per year to start; state when available and details; give three references. Address F 410, Tribune.

ACCOUNTANTS—LARGE FIRM OF PUBLIC accountants requires senior accountants; state in detail experience, age, references and salary required. Address F 435, Tribune.

ACCOUNTANT—LIVING N. OR N. W.; LUMber exp. pref.; state age, exp. in detail, salary expected. Address M B 502, Tribune.

ADDRESSERS — GOOD WRITERS. CALL Tuesday morning. Ask for Mr. Edwards. 8d floor 166 W. Adams.

Assistant Sales Corresp.

is rapidly expanding food factory, doing national business; the young man we want has a talent for work, system and details; excellent opportunity for advancement; salary to start, $250. Address F 350, Tribune.

AUTOMOBILE CASUALTY UNDERWRITER.

KEMPER INSURANCE,
4040 Prudential Bldg.

BOOKKEEPER

to take complete charge of a medium sized corporation's books; permanent position; good salary and opportunity for advancement; permanent position; state experience, age, salary and telephone number. Address S E 590, Tribune.

BOOKKEEPER-EXP. AND OFFICE MAN; age 30-35; excellent salary with opportunity; loop office; excellent salary with opportunity for advancement; state age, exp., and ref. Address O Y 295, Tribune.

CLERK—GROCERY, 1ST CLASS, WITH chain experience preferred; state experience and salary expected; give age and phone number. Address S A 490, Tribune.

GROCERY CLERK—YOUNG; REFERENCE. 3712 N. Halsted.

WANTED—MALE HELP.

Stores and Offices.

BOOKKEEPER — GENERAL

ledger exper. and accounting training. State employers and salary last 5 years. Salary commensurate with ability. Application must contain all information relating to education, experience, etc., in order to be given consideration. Graduate from recognized commercial school preferred. All replies treated confidentially. Address M K 114, Tribune.

COPY WRITER.

Young man eager for clear field to top. Can grow with this fast growing advertising agency. Should have some agency experience; preferably mail order. Tell all about yourself and salary expected first letter. Confidential. Address S G 326, Tribune.

CORRESPONDENT—GENERAL AND SALES, age 21 to 24, rd. education, excel. future with fast growing manufacturer. Give complete history by letter only. Clark Sanding Machine Co., 3815 Cortland-st.

CREDIT MAN.

Tire experience preferred; must know some bookkeeping, office management; unusual opportunity; state qualifications, age and salary. Address M S 151, Tribune.

EXPERIENCED SALESMEN—FOR READY to wear; must be neat appearing; references required. Apply by letter only. The Emporium. Phone 239. 1044 Broadway. Gary, Ind.

JUNIOR ACCOUNTANT

Wanted by firm of Certified Public Accountants. Applicant must possess good education, particularly in accounting theory. Some public accounting experience desirable but not required. Must be gentile, under 27 years of age. Address O Y 362, Tribune.

MAN—YOUNG, EXPERIENCED IN CATAlogue Layout work. Must have some knowledge of merchandise in general and thoroughly familiar with type faces and know how to estimate space and mark copy for the printer. Salary commensurate with ability. Advancement assured. Do not apply unless experienced in this line of work. Reply in detail giving past connections, age, education, and initial salary. Address O Y 367, Tribune.

MAN—YOUNG, FOR MESSENGER AND junior clerk, with stock exchange house; salary $10 per week. In answering state age, schooling, and references. Address O Y 388, Tribune.

MAN — BRIGHT, YOUNG, 18 TO 20, TO check piece work in factory. ARNOLD SCHWINN & CO., 1718 N. Kildare.

MAN, YOUNG, OVER 16, FOR OFFICE work; good opportunity. Write fully. Address M L 521, Tribune.

MAN—YOUNG, EXP., FOR TYPING AND office work. Address E 58, Tribune.

MAYTAG WASHERS

organizing stores; excellent proposition for experienced men. MAYTAG CHICAGO CO., 521 W. Madison-st. See Mr. Schober.

OFFICE MAN—RELIABLE, EMPLOYED, single, under 35 yrs.; will pay well for special part time work beginning Jan. 4. Address M B 501, Tribune.

RADIO CORRESPONDENT.

Must know radio and be thoroughly familiar with handling agents by mail. Phone MR. GUILFORD, Armitage 1270, for appointment.

SALESMAN.

Salary and commission; excellent, permanent proposition for first class salesman capable of selling store fixtures; give full details in your application. Address J G 139, Tribune.

SENIOR ACCOUNTANT.

Capable man with several years public accounting experience with reputable firm. This position offers an unusual opportunity for the right man. Call or write Certified Public Accountants. Applicant must be gentile and not over 32 years old. Address O Y 320, Tribune.

STENOGRAPHER.

Steady position for competent stenographer in credit department with knowledge of bookkeeping. Must know Chicago territory. State age, experience, and salary expected. Address M B 500, Tribune.

STENOGRAPHER-CLERK

Loop office; congenial work; hours 9-5. State age, education, experience and salary desired. Address E 131, Tribune.

STORE ROOM STOCK MAN — FAMILIAR with automobile hardware and malleable irons of all kinds. Married. Must be capable of handling stock records and figure stock out sheets correctly. Answer in own hand writing, state age, past experience, salary and references. Address F 327, Tribune.

TIME STUDY MAN.

Experienced man for time study department of large North West Side factory manufacturing small metal products; must have analytical mind, tact, plenty of common sense, and ability to quickly adjust himself to new surroundings; give full details as to experience, age, education, past earnings, and salary expected. Address S N 270, Tribune.

YOUNG MAN.

Opportunity with large South Side mail order installment house, for single young man, age 18 to 22, with good education to learn to be a correspondent; experience desirable but not necessary; we want a man willing to work for advancement; for such a man we have a permanent position with good opportunity for future; in reply state age, nationality, experience, if any, in detail, and salary expected. Address L S 591, Tribune.

YOUNG MEN,
21-25 Years of Age.

Large downtown bank desires several young men as a result of present experience, to reply give name and date of last employment. Address O Y 342 Tribune.

YOUNG MAN

with knowledge of bookkeeping, for general office work. Must live on North or Northwest Side. Give age, experience, and salary desired. Address L L 223, Tribune.

YOUNG MAN—FOR CLERICAL POSITION; n. side; prefer one who can operate typewriter; in reply give age, experience and salary. Address M L 226, Tribune.

YOUNG MAN—FOR OFFICE; HIGH SCHL. graduate; living west side; address own handwriting, stating age, salary, etc. Address F 370, Tribune.

YOUNG MAN—18 TO 20; REAL ESTATE office, Hyde Park; state schooling and experience. Address S F 470, Tribune.

WATCH MAKER—AT ONCE; CAPABLE OF taking charge; steady position; opportunity for right man. Armstrong's Hammond, Ind.

Executives and Managers

TECHNICAL MAN.

An attractive opportunity exists near Chicago for a man around 35, preferably a B. S. or M. E. graduate with practical experience in design and manufacture of sheet metal products. He must know modern equipment and methods; must be a worker himself, and know how to direct others. This position will be filled only after careful selection and the right man will receive the utmost in co-operation. Tell us in confidence all about yourself, mentioning salary. Address S L 256, Tribune.

AGENT SALES MANAGER.

Large nationally known company located in midwestern city, near Chicago, has opening for man, 30-35, as manager of agent's sales force; must be good correspondent and have knowledge of agent selling; ex ptional opportunity with liberal salary to start, $2,500, with liberal increase as results are shown; write fully, stating age, experience, and references. Address M F 234, Tribune.

SALES MANAGER

To conduct own business in a well established store of one of the best known piano manufacturers in the country for making a complete line of Reproducing Grands, the most inexpensive of Uprights, Players, and Grands.

An experienced piano man can build himself into a prosperous merchant. Our factory is back of you. Address P Y 315, Tribune.

Chain Store Assistant Mgr.

New, amply financed 5c to $1 variety store, can use services of several assistant managers who have had syndicate experience as we contemplate opening additional stores in 1928. There is a wonderful opportunity for rapid advancement; give experience in answering; confidential. Address M A 435, Tribune.

ANIMAL OIL

departmental manager, fully qualified to assume charge of animal oil dept. of large packing house. Splendid opportunity. State experience and salary expected. Address M N 239, Tribune.

SALES MANAGER—FIRST CLASS; FOR aluminum cookware; salary and commission. Consideration given only those with first class references. Apply in person only, Tuesday, Jan. 3 after 10 a. m., Rm. 1302, 20 W. Jackson-blvd.

SUPERINTENDENT — FOR COMPOSITION blackboard factory; must have thorough knowledge of the manufacturing and cutting of composition blackboards; state age, experience, etc.; references required. Address D T 50, Tribune.

MANAGER—EXPERIENCED, FOR CHAIN credit ladies' and men's wearing apparel stores; married; state experience and connections for past 3 years; wonderful opportunity for right party. Address M L 223, Tribune.

SALES MANAGER — EXP. HANDLING radio sales agents selling consumer and dealer by mail. Must be real money producer. Big opp'ty for right man. Give full history. Address S E 300, Tribune.

ADVERTISING MANAGER—SALARY AND bonus on sales; state experience fully. Address S E 400, Tribune.

JUNIOR EXECUTIVE—RESPONSIBLE FIRM, grow with us. Address S F 487, Tribune.

WANTED—MALE HELP.

Executives and Managers.

SALES EXECUTIVE.

I want several experienced sales executives of clean record to assist in organizing an intensive sales campaign.

The campaign offers wonderful possibilities and is not real estate, stocks, or insurance, but specialty experience in those lines will be helpful.

Don't waste your time if you have not made big money in the sales field and are not fully prepared to organize and assist in executive work.

Highly remunerative for those who can qualify.

Call Monday and Tuesday 10 to 4.

MR. McLAUGHLIN,
Room 408. 77 W. Washington.

COMPTROLLER.
LARGE MERCHANDISING HOUSE IN LOOP.

An unusual opportunity for a man under 40 years of age with extensive department store experience. A good education or its equivalent in self-improvement and character are primary requisites. He must be an organizer and have a thorough knowledge of retail credits. Application must show complete information as to age, education, present employment, previous experience, and earnings. Replies will be kept in strict confidence. Address S L 218, Tribune.

A DIGNIFIED POSITION.

A manufacturer of artistic and sturdy creative play equipment, known as the FOUNDATION PLAN, desires to interview a lady who is educationally qualified to appreciate the value of modern and practical home kindergarten PLAN, and whose mental makeup is such that he believes in a systematic preschool training. Accepted applicant will be required to prove to the entire satisfaction that he can successfully sell our product, which consists of a period designed and hand decorated desk and chair equipped with adjustable drawing board, a spacious secret compartment, a series of education panels that revolve, charter building and kindergarten booklets, etc., which are sold direct to qualified prospects who have received letters and preparatory matter which explains the PLAN. In a recent advertising campaign 30 per cent of prospects wrote factory for full particulars. Should we like the appearance of a noncompetitive educational PLAN as we manufacture. We will assist the right man in building up a permanent connection that will pay generous dividends each day. For an immediate interview with general manager write fully concerning self and education, past associations and achievements. Also age; give phone number and first choice of permanent territory; some traveling. Address F G 118, Tribune.

SALES EXECUTIVE.

AN ILLINOIS CORPORATION, MARKETING HOME STUDY COURSES, NEEDS AN ORGANIZER AS DIVISIONAL SALES MANAGER. MUST SHOW RECORD OF HIRING AND TRAINING A COMMISSION SALESMEN, AND BE ABLE TO TRAIN THEM PERSONALLY. AN UNUSUAL OPPORTUNITY FOR THE RIGHT MAN. SHOULD NET BETTER THAN TEN THOUSAND IN 1928. STATE AGE, EXPERIENCE AND WHEN AVAILABLE. REPLIES CONFIDENTIAL. ADDRESS O Y 332, TRIBUNE.

AAA
TO A MAN WHO CAN LEAD

Our plans are made, forces mobilized, and everything ready to swing into a powerful sales campaign that will make 1928 the biggest, most profitable year in our history.

We need one more department sales manager, a good lieutenant, a LEADER, who can step in and take command. To the man who has proved his selling ability in any line, we offer a highly paid place in our organization. If he is an executive he will appreciate the freedom of action we allow and the whole hearted co-operation we give our men. The man we select has an assured future before him. Write in detail. Your confidence will be respected. Address K G 402, Tribune.

SALES EXECUTIVE

Wanted—A well educated sales executive with a strong, dominant personality, 27 to 37 years of age; must qualify as a salesman to be eligible and be able to handle a force of 40 specialty salesmen, including beginners, whose average monthly earnings for 1927 were $491. Our proposition is a technical, tangible specialty without competition; requires a man of superior ability; compensation proportionate; give all details in first letter. Address S L 240, Tribune.

NORTH RIDGE BRUSH CO. WANTS SALES MANAGER.

We have positions open for three state managers. Candidate must be experienced in selling sanitary brushes direct to consumer and thoroughly versed in hiring and training salesmen. The man we have in mind is now employed as manager or assistant manager and therefore knows conditions governing direct sales. To qualify, you must be between 28 and 40, neat appearing, full of enthusiasm and vitality. For the right man there is a brilliant future. Outline briefly and confidly your record for the last 5 years, positions held and earnings. Give all other information that will help us judge your availability. NORTH RIDGE BRUSH COMPANY, INC., Freeport, Ill.

ATTENTION!
DIVISION MANAGERS SALESMEN.

We are offering the outstanding opportunity of 1928, to several successful division managers and salesmen. For complete details see tomorrow's issue of this paper. WM. M. ANDERSON & CO., 134 N. La Salle-st.

ENGINEER,
WOODWORKING.

A long established Illinois manufacturer requires the services of an American college engineering graduate, who has had from 5 to 10 years in furniture factory engineering. The man we want must be thoroughly familiar with designing, plant layouts, and woodworking machinery. He must also have a sufficient knowledge of accounting and cost analysis to enable him to produce quality furniture at a reasonable manufacturing cost. In reply, give age and full details of education and experience. Your inquiry will be held in strictest confidence. Address L G 164, Tribune.

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Office assistant, experienced. Special machine and plant design, steam, etc. Address J G 141, Tribune.

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Working fur foreman, fitter and designer, to take full charge of factory; good opportunity for 1st class furrier. Apply by letter only. Position available immediately. L. FRIEDMAN INC., 301 N. Michigan-av.

FURNACE MAN—EXPERIENCED, WHO specializes mostly in smelting Red, Yellow and Aluminum ingots. Prefer one with metallurgical and chemical experience. Gd. wages with opportunity for a future. Address D F 20, Tribune.

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With experience on Waterbury and Manville cold headers. 1026 S. Homan-av.

HELPERS.

We need helpers on our cold headers and trimmers. 1026 S. Homan-av.

INSPECTOR.

Young man familiar with inspection of screw machine and cold upset products for development to foremanship. Inspection department large concern. Must have executive ability. State experience, age, and nationality. Address M A 185, Tribune.

INSPECTOR.

Man with all round experience in inspection of tools and gauges, familiar with gauging a few threads and use of hardness testing instruments. Give qualifications, age, and nationality. Address F 225, Tribune.

INSPECTOR — EXPD. IN STRUCTURAL steel; Mississippi Valley Structural Steel Co., 25th and Norwood, Melrose Park.

JUNIOR MECHANIC — EXPERIENCED ON sewing machines, for overall factory, located in small town; living conditions ideal; salary $23 per week. Address D F 4, Tribune.

HORSESHOERS—APPLY AT 43D AND DEXter Park-av., Union Stock Yards. See Steve.

Salesmen to Represent Prominent W. Va. Corp.

in Chicago and vicinity; position now open; applicant must be willing to put forth some real effort every day in the week; must have clean character and fair education, as well as good personality and common sense. This is a permanent position, with immediate big earnings on generous commission basis; consequently a job hunter cannot qualify. Prefer married man between 30 and 50 who lives in Chicago. Address K A 147, Tribune.

Mail Order Advertising Man.

Wholesale house offers splendid opportunity to thoroughly experienced man capable of holding down difficult job; must be man of initiative; thoroughly versed in type, art work, merchandise copy, and production; not a beginner's job; hard work and long hours, but splendid chance for rapid advancement; state full details, past experience, salary, etc. Address L A 93, Tribune.

WANTED—MALE HELP.

Professions and Trades.

MAN—EXPERIENCED IN RUFFLED CURtain factory, who can design, cut, etc.; give references and salary expected in first letter. Address J A 507, Tribune.

MECHANICAL DRAFTSMAN

An excellent opportunity is offered by a large rubber manufacturing company in northern Ohio for a first class mechanical draftsman in its engineering department.

Applicants should be experienced in industrial plant layout, application of conveying and production machinery, etc. Steady position assured the right man. In reply state age, experience, and salary desired. Address J N 7, Tribune.

PARLOR FURNITURE MILL FOREMAN.

Large manufacturer of parlor furniture wants all around foreman for its mill, one especially skilled in parlor furniture design and able to handle men. Our representative may be able to meet applicants at coming Grand Rapids and Chicago Furniture Shows. All applications treated confidentially. Address D F 24, Tribune.

PRESSMEN — CYLINDER AND ROTARY pressmen; highest wages and good working conditions; state experience and where last employed. Address M T 495, Tribune.

PRINTING INK MILL HAND AND BATCH maker—Chas. Eneu Johnson & Co., 1130 Clay-st.

RENTING MAN.

To rent stores and flats in Oak Park; must have experience; liberal arrangement. Wittrock & Otto, 806 Harrison-st., Oak Pk.

RETOUCHER OR ALL AROUND MAN—Good, at once. Address D F 13, Tribune.

SERVICE AND INSTALLATION MAN—FOR oil burners. Call Harrison 5744 for appointment Tuesday.

SHEET METAL WORKER—WHO IS CAPAble of laying out and making templates, for gas ranges. State experience, give references and expected salary. Age 30 to 40. Address D F 40, Tribune.

STENCIL CUTTER

on fine work, for shades. Must be A1.

REMBRANDT LAMP CORP.,
259 E. Erie-st.

TRUCK REPAIR FOREMAN.

A real opportunity for a man with unbroken record of real past performance; give detailed account of past 10 years employment in letter, own handwriting; no consideration for appointment if not complete. Address B L 261, Tribune.

WANTED.

Experienced man; salvage inspector of tools, oils, supplies and nonproductive materials; large manufacturing plant in western Michigan. Address D T 46, Tribune.

YOUNG MAN—NOT OVER 25 YEARS OF age. University or college graduate with good knowledge of or training in chemistry, to learn business in south side manufacturing plant. Permanent; state age, education, and business experience. Address O Y 318, Tribune.

Pharmacists.

PHARM. ASST. OR REG., STDY. POS. J. M. HART, 313 Western, Blue Island, Ill.

Farm and Garden Help.

DAIRYMAN WANTED.

Have 80 acres adjoining Hollywood, Fla., equipped for dairying. Man who qualifies will later be given opportunity to invest. Address R. B., Rm. 300, 509 S. Wabash-av., Chicago.

GARDENER—EXPER., FOR GREENHOUSE and outside; must understand care of cows and poultry. Box 156, Lake Forest.

Salesmen, Solicitors, Etc.

A $9,000,000 YEAR
JUST CLOSED

creates this new opportunity for a few ambitious men. As Chicago's largest real estate operators we have successed in making the largest volume of subdivision sales in the middle west, over $9,000,000 for 1927. We are planning for a bigger year in '28 and will employ 40 new salesmen, with or without experience. Must be over 25 years old, ambitious, and have good references. This means a chance to become successful with the most successful firm.

If you are experienced you can start earning at once. If you have no experience but are willing to start learning the Bartlett way, we will give you an interview. Permanent position, year around employment, and the backing of our name and 39 years of proven service makes our salesmen make money. Salary and commission to those who meet our qualifications as to integrity, sincerity and willingness to work.

Apply in person only to Mr. G. F. Green.

FREDK H. BARTLETT REALTY CO.,
[not inc.]
6TH FLOOR, 69 W. WASHINGTON-ST.

A 1928 OPPORTUNITY.

Men wanted, between 30 and 50 years of age. Must be ambitious, well recommended and ready to start work at once in permanent sales position. Experience will help but is not absolutely essential as I personally train and work with my sales force.

The firm I represent is doing more business in the Chicago district than any other in the same line. I am authorized to enlarge my department and will interview in person only. If you can call me on the idea that you are willing to work and succeed as well as any person of average intelligence in automobile accessories, insurrument, or adding machine drafting. Apply Employment Department, Stewart-Warner Speedometer Corporation, 1828 Diversey-pkwy.

DRAFTSMAN—MACHINE DETAIL; WHO has had 5 years experience on standard machine tools, such as lathes, shapers, and milling machines. Jig and fixture men need not apply. American Electric Fusion Corp., 2210 Diversey-av.

DRAFTSMAN—EXPERIENCED IN BRIDGE designing and detailing; college or technical graduate preferred; give experience in detail and salary expected; railway co., Chicago. Address M J 501, Tribune.

DRAFTSMAN.

Good general man with tool design and general machine shop experience. Apply Wilson & Co., 4141-4173 S. Menard.

DRAFTSMAN—STRUCTURAL TRACER — Railway co., Chicago. Address M J 502, Tribune.

DRAFTSMEN—2: 1 LAYOUT MAN ON AUtomobile engine work, and 1 general draftsman. Address M S 288, Tribune.

DRAPERS—EXPERIENCED ON HIGH CLASS ladies' dresses. Henry Kaplan, 325 S. Market-st.

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Man with all round experience in inspection of tools and gauges, familiar with gauging a few threads and use of hardness testing instruments. Give qualifications, age, and nationality. Address F 225, Tribune.

INSPECTOR — EXPD. IN STRUCTURAL steel; Mississippi Valley Structural Steel Co., 25th and Norwood, Melrose Park.

JUNIOR MECHANIC — EXPERIENCED ON sewing machines, for overall factory, located in small town; living conditions ideal; salary $23 per week. Address D F 4, Tribune.

HORSESHOERS—APPLY AT 43D AND DEXter Park-av., Union Stock Yards. See Steve.

WANTED—MALE HELP.

Professions and Trades.

COLLECTION MANAGER.

A big man for a big job. Must have installment experience, be able to supervise outside skin tracers, file wage assignments, arrange payments with delinquent debtors and be able to organize and manage a collection agency sponsored by installment houses. Apply in own handwriting, stating age and experience. Address M H 205, Tribune.

PRODUCERS — LIFE INSURANCE. WITH ability to do organization work successfully will be considered for exclusive territories in and around the following cities: Waukegan, Elgin, Aurora, Joliet, Chicago Heights and Kankakee. If interested communicate with or call on U. C. UPJOHN, State Mgr., R. 912, 7 S. Dearborn-st., Chicago.

Boys—Office and Factory.

BOY—CLEAN CUT, AMERICAN, 16-18 YRS. of age, with at least 2 yrs. H. S. education, as office boy for leading advertising agency; good opportunity to learn the business; favorable working conditions; give full particulars in letter. Address S T 570, Tribune.

BOY—ABOUT 18 YEARS OF AGE; HIGH school grad., by large mfr. to learn steel business with prospects for advancement. Address M L 66, Tribune.

BRIGHT BOY—NOT OVER 18, AS BELL man; hotel near Chicago; experience not necessary, but references required. Address S L 263, Tribune.

MAN—YOUNG, BETWEEN 16 AND 20 years of age to work afternoons on evening newspaper handout; hours from 1:30 to 5 p. m. All day Saturday. Salary $10 per week. Address M S 328 Tribune.

Professions and Trades

ADVERTISING AGENCY COPYWRITER WANTED.

"Seasoned, but not sot," able to originate a copy theme for a national or trade campaign—or take the theme we suggest and develop a complete campaign exceptionally character and dependability of prime importance; real opportunity with Chicago agency of medium size and standing which reputation and making rapid growth; write full details, submit one piece of your best work. Appointment will be arranged in confidence. Address M B 208, Tribune.

ARCHITECT—LICENSED, BY GEN. CONtractor for Spanish and English suburban residences. Must know his business. Chance for big field. Address F 504, Tribune.

ARCHITECTURAL DRAFTSMAN—ON APT. hotels. State experience, salary, age, references. Address L M 176, Tribune.

ARTIST WANTED.

1st class designer and letter man. Permanent position. State salary and send samples to D. L. AULD CO., Columbus, Ohio.

ARTIST.

Sketch artist for general designing, embracing plates, figures, and unusual objects applying to posters and general color lithography; permanent if qualified.

Erie Litho. and Printing Co., Erie, Pa.

ARTIST—FIRST CLASS RETOUCHER, also pen work commercial designer for color work; Sunday hours; plenty overtime. BUSH-KREBS CO., Louisville, Ky.

ASSISTANT FOREMAN.

To take charge of Marshall Springs Mfg. Give age and experience. Address S J 88, Tribune.

BAKER.

with good personality and baking experience, who has acquaintance with the retail bakers on the north side of Chicago and who has had some selling experience. Position is to sell for a large reputable food manufacturer with local offices. Age 30 to 45 preferred; salary open. In your reply give us full record of your experience. Address M F 257, Tribune.

BARBER—EXPERT, LARGE OUT OF TOWN beauty shop; must specialize in ladies' contour, bobbing. Write exp. MRS. G. BROWN, General Delivery, St. Louis, Mo.

BOLT TRIMMER.

Man able to set Waterbury and Manville trimmers. Call at Rotary Mfg. Co.

CAP CUTTERS.

Also draw knife cutters willing to learn can cutting. Apply to

FREED & CO.,
806 W. Van Buren-st.

MUTUAL HEADWEAR,
557 W. Jackson-blvd.

POPPER BROTHERS,
515 S. Franklin.

SIEGEL BROTHERS,
600 W. Fulton-st.

STAR CAP CO.,
4044 W. Roosevelt-rd.

UNIVERSAL CAP CO.,
737 W. Jackson.

WEINGART CAP CO.,
333 S. Market-st.

CHAUFFEUR.

Who has had several years' experience on foreign car; must be thoroughly reliable and have excellent references; desirable, permanent position with responsible party. Must give complete details of experience. Address L A 95, Tribune.

CHAUFFEUR—CLEAN, PLEASING PERSONality, thoroughly familiar with high grade cars and streets. Call at Rm. 420, 110 S. Dearborn.

COPY WRITER—BY RELIABLE CHICAGO agcy. State experience, education and salary desired. Address S K 491, Tribune.

CUTTERS AND COPYERS

on dresses; must be exper.; good wages. Fashion Garment Co., 237 S. Market-st.

CUTTER-BOARD ON SILK DRESSES. J. M. RADMAN & CO., 234 S. Market-st.

DIEMAKERS—A1.

With experience on die casting dies only. STEWART DIE CASTING CORP., 4535 Fullerton-av.

DIEMAKERS.

First class, with job shop experience; best wages. Columbia Engineering and Steel Treating Corp., 1354 W. 22d-st.

DIE SINKERS.

Experienced. Apply International Harvester Co., McCormick Works, 2599 Blue Island-av.

DRAFTSMEN.

Must be able to make accurate and neat drawings on small interchangeable parts; preferably with experience in automobile accessories, insrument, or adding machine drafting. Apply Employment Department, Stewart-Warner Speedometer Corporation, 1828 Diversey-pkwy.

DRAFTSMAN—MACHINE DETAIL; WHO has had 5 years experience on standard machine tools, such as lathes, shapers, and milling machines. Jig and fixture men need not apply. American Electric Fusion Corp., 2210 Diversey-av.

DRAFTSMAN—EXPERIENCED IN BRIDGE designing and detailing; college or technical graduate preferred; give experience in detail and salary expected; railway co., Chicago. Address M J 501, Tribune.

DRAFTSMAN.

Good general man with tool design and general machine shop experience. Apply Wilson & Co., 4141-4173 S. Menard.

DRAFTSMAN—STRUCTURAL TRACER — Railway co., Chicago. Address M J 502, Tribune.

DRAFTSMEN—2: 1 LAYOUT MAN ON AUtomob

WANTED—MALE HELP.
Salesmen, Solicitors, Etc.

CITY SALESMAN.

DRUG AND GROCERY TRADE.
Well established company has permanent position for young man with proven selling ability. Exceptional opportunity for advancement. Give business experience in full in first letter. Correspondence confidential. Address S L 258, Tribune.

CLOTHING SALESMEN.

High grade men; must have experience and good record. Apply JOSEPH HILTON, 1303 Milwaukee-av.

COMMERCIAL SALESMEN.

Road House with headquarters in Chicago and doing business throughout the Middle West in representative General Market Bonds, including Railroad, Public Utility, Industrial, and Foreign Bonds, desires to add 4 men to its Sales Organization. Previous experience in the Bond Business not necessary. This opening, however, offers an Unusual Opportunity to a Commercial Salesman, between 30 and 45 years of age, who desires to connect his life in order to broaden his opportunities and increase his earning capacity. Reply stating age, present position, and selling experience. Replies held in strict confidence. Address S N 222, Tribune.

Coupon Salesman—Photo.

Old timer, we want you. Positively best offer in town. Hoffman, 14 W. Washington.

CREW MANAGER,

Newspaper; thoroughly reliable and experienced producer for suburban work; salary and commissions. Room 1031 Hearst Bldg.

DISTRIBUTOR — WONDER COPY CLEANUP-ment; marvelous new specialty; must finance self. Address E 333, Tribune.

DIVISION MANAGERS,
SALESMEN,
ATTENTION.

We are offering the outstanding opportunity of 1928 to several successful division managers and salesmen. For complete details see tomorrow's issue of this paper. WM. M. ANDERSON & CO., 134 N. La Salle-st.

DO YOU LIKE WORK?

Men who do and have had sales experience or have sales ability, come and talk with me. Excellent opportunity to connect with a growing concern. Chances for advancement are unlimited for men willing to work; this is not real estate or electrical appliances. Call after 9 a. m. Rm. 305, 123 W. Madison-st. MR. ECKSTONE.

DRESS SALESMEN.

Excellent opportunity for men with established trade to carry as side line an outstanding Chicago popular price dress line; territory, west, middle west and coast. State full details. Address O Y 316, Tribune.

DRESS SALESMAN

With well established western following; no objection to non-conflicting side line. Address S 255, Tribune.

EARN $2,000 TO $4,000 YEARLY SELLING guaranteed trees, shrubs, roses; commissions weekly; permanent position with advancement; unsold territory now open; we deliver and train you for this profitable work. Brown Bros. Nurseries, Rochester, N.Y.

EXCEPTIONAL
TYPE SALESMEN

to travel small towns, promote and conduct special sales with dealers of their merchandise. Must have automobile. Drawing account against commission. Apply in person. Frank Scott & Sons, 2d floor, 116 S. Clinton-st.

Exceptional Opportunity.

A1 Salesmen, connected with reputable firms having retail drug department, specialty, beauty stores clientele, wanted to sell nationally advertised product as side line on commission. Unusual opportunity. Wargels serious consideration. Address E 271, Tribune.

GENERAL ELECTRIC CO.
DISTRIBUTOR.

An opportunity for two hard working salesmen to sell one of G. E. Co.'s nationally advertised products.
See MR. CALLAHAN.
183 W. Washington-st. Room 1206.

"HAPPY NEW YEAR."

SUBDIVISION SALESMEN:
I BELIEVE I CAN GIVE YOU THE BEST LOT SELLING CONNECTION IN CHICAGO FOR 1928. IF YOU HAVE FINISHED 1927 WITH LESS THAN $5,000 IN SALES AND SEE ME AND GET SET FOR THE BEST SELLING YEAR OF YOUR LIFE. ASK FOR
"BIG BILL BAILEY,"
358 Conway Bldg.
P. S.—Call Tuesday.

HIGH CLASS SALESMEN.

I want five salesmen who consider themselves the best in Chicago's talk; charge of a fine thing carried on by 300 members in this largest country club development in the state. This is a real estate proposition, but strictly a country club. Largest fireproof clubhouse in the state to open Feb. 5th; 18 hole completed; 4 tennis courts; bowling greens, ski jumps, outside swimming tank, and 160 acres of land; located on the North Shore; one week's training; $425 month; hourly electric and steam service. Direct sales from members. Easy terms and plenty of co-operation. See me at the Sherman Hotel Monday, Jan. 2, after 9 a. m. M. J. Towle.

IF YOU ARE TOO
OLD TO LEARN

You are old enough to die; join our organization and attend our school three mornings a week; common sense tells you that will help you to sell and open the way to larger earnings.

DO SOMETHING
FOR YOURSELF.

Be independent; be well dressed; earn enough money to have all the good things of life; we have an opening that will enable you to make a permanent connection with us; we'll help you to sell and open the way to larger earnings. Address O Y 252, Tribune.

SALARY AND COMMISSION
PAID
SALESMEN.

Men who desire a certain income and an opportunity to earn from $5,000 to $6,000 per year are requested to apply. Sales ability essential though not necessarily real estate experience. This is an opportunity to connect with one of Chicago's largest established operators. Apply Arthur W. McIntosh & Co., Burnham Building, 160 N. La Salle-st.

SALES MANAGER — MARVELOUS HAND developer; seals 3,000 hourly; retails $4.50 every office prospect 1 to 200; equals work expensive power machines; guaranteed 5 years; more than 20 Mass. users; using dealers in quantities; capable man organize selling force; unusual opportunity make big money; secure exclusive franchise. Write or wire quick, free trial offer. Bede, 2067A Winthrop Bldg., Boston.

SALES MANAGERS AND SALESMEN—GET ready for 1928. Are you advancing in your present position? Are you satisfied with your present income? Is your territory satisfactory? Does a seasonal business depression affect your sales? Our line will correct all these difficulties. C. D. ROGERS, 5005 Euclid-av., Cleveland.

SALESMEN — CALLING ON OFFICE SUPply and stationery trade, jobbers and retail; side line; best and cheapest article of its kind on market. Liberal commission. Mention territory covered and how often. Address M H 501, Tribune.

SALES MGR.—WAREHOUSE TRUCKS.
Must be mechanical. Drawing account against commission. Give full information for last three years and references. Address P 350, Tribune.

SALES MANAGER—A LARGE CEMETERY sales organization has opening for one or more sales managers; position pays better than $15,000 per year; first class men required. Address E 130, Tribune.

SALES ENGINEER—WITH ABILITY TO handle high class technical bldg. products, specializing on architects and builders. Large income comm. basis. Box 1045, Memphis, Tenn.

SALESMEN — RADIO PROGRESS MAP, first of its kind. Beautiful, practical. Nationally listed, untouched national field. Salesmen and crew managers write quick. Huebinger Co., Peoria, Ill.

SALESMEN — FIBER AND CORRUGATED boxes. State age, experience and education and salary expected. Address M T 326, Tribune.

SALESMAN—WITH CAR, TO SELL PAINT brushes, janitor supplies; old established Chicago firm; salary and commission. RIDDLE BROS., 30 S. Wells.

SALESMAN—MUST KNOW CITY, TO SELL real est. and ins. on com.; permanent work; leads furn. Give ref. and qualifications. Address P 127, Tribune.

SALESMAN—MANUFACTURER OF RADIator cabinets has unusual opportunity for high class salesman. Call in person only. 1616-18 Devonport.

SALESMAN — CITY; PERMANENT; COMmission only. Can earn $1,000 and over a month. Give age and exp. Address O Y 340, Tribune.

SALESMEN — EVERY MOTION PICTURE theater a prospect; a new patented electrical selling device. Apply in person Sun. or Mon., 1909 N. Francisco-av.

SALESMEN—CLEAN CUT MEN FOR CHIcago and Cook Co., with car; all or part time. 9-5 Miller Mfg. Co., 3931 Lawrence.

SALESMEN—SPECIALTY MEN, SELL AR advertising service; exceptional opportunity for men with selling abil.; comm. paid promptly. Dispatch, 207 W. 25th-st. N. Y.

SALESMAN—TO CARRY LINE OF SILK bone handkerchiefs and novelties, calling on the variety and dept. stores; commission basis. Seide & Schorr, 463 7th-av. N. Y. C.

SALESMAN—EXP. IN SILK LAMP SHADE business. Good proposition for only one who can produce. Brunswick 1780.

SALESMEN—FOR LADIES' DRESSES AS side line. Apply 8AM.-1 M. WEISS & CO., 337 S. Market-st.

SALESMEN — TO SELL NOTIONS FROM mfr. for dept. stores and jobbers, for Chicago district. Address F 346, Tribune.

WANTED—MALE HELP.
Salesmen, Solicitors, Etc.

RADIO SALESMEN.

Leads furnished on the most satisfactory radio developed to date, enabling capable men to close deals on a handsome commission basis.
Applicants must be experienced in consumer sales work, capable, give good work hard and long to succeed. Address S F 479, Tribune.

REAL ESTATE SALESMEN,
WATCH FOR
OUR
AD
in tomorrow's paper
FOR AN OUTSTANDING
OPPORTUNITY
OF 1928.
WM. M. ANDERSON & CO.,
134 N. La Salle-st.

REAL ESTATE SALESMEN.

Have you stopped to realize how much money you made in the year of 1927 and what kind of property you sold? Did you sell property with improvements ready to build? If you did not—this is 1928 and now is the time to investigate which house you are to make connections with.
H. W. ELMORE & CO. has already spent in the last five years $3,428,590 on improvements. Think of that!
That is the reason why I have been with H. W. ELMORE & CO. for over six and one-half years. Now, if you are looking for a permanent sales position where you can make more money for yourself and for the people you will sell to, this is the time, and the house for you.
Come in and let's talk it over.
See MR. COZZI.
Rm. 348. 29 S. La Salle-st.
H. W. ELMORE & CO.

REAL SALESMAN
FOR CALIFORNIA.

Must be familiar with northern California and willing to locate in it. We sell through distributors and your principal work will be selling big users, such as industrial plants, public utilities and municipalities for them; product is well established in this territory and is repeating steadily. We advertise aggressively and give our salesmen real cooperation; only a high grade man who can really sell things will fit in here, but he will find this opening worth investigating; state your age, past experience and previous earnings. Address C B 274, Tribune.

REAL ESTATE
SALES MANAGERS
AND SALESMEN.

H. W. ELMORE & CO. are now organizing for the year 1928, and we have an opening for a few real estate salesmen and managers who can appreciate what it means to be connected with a responsible house that gives service to the sales force and its clientele. If you are on the square, you may call in person and ask for
G. B. LANDERHOLM.
Rm. 346. 29 S. La Salle-st.

REAL ESTATE SALESMAN
to work actual inquiries only. Big demand. Big money making opportunity; permanent. Only experienced, honest, hard working topnotchers need apply. R. 1202 at 7 W. Madison-st.

REAL ESTATE SALESMAN—WITH AUTOmobile, for North Side. Listings and commissions furnished. See MR. SENEY, care H. O. STONE, 1532 Howard-st.

RENTAL MAN—A1 POSSESSING INITIAtive and ability to negotiate leases with chain store organization; large real estate office; exceptional opp. State age, salary and experience. Address P T 125, Tribune.

RESIDENT
SALES AGENT.

Married, without family; to take charge real estate office selling homes only to vacant lots). Comfortable salary and handsome commission. Must be experienced and of fine character. Unusual opportunity. Address S L 248, Tribune.

ROAD SALESMAN.

An experienced road salesman who has made small and large towns with dry goods, variety or hardware lines and who has some experience in handling men. Applicant must have nice personality, good education, like of the public, ability to get along with others, appearance and complete details of your entire experience. Address S S 576, Tribune.

ROOFING SALESMEN.

Wanted, by national corporation with one hundred million dollar capital, 30 salesmen for Chicago territory to sell roofing applied. Liberal commission with big possibilities for future, as we are opening more offices right along. Managers for new offices will be selected from our ranks. Address O Y 252, Tribune.

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SALESMEN.

Another Big "Get-Together" Meeting
TUESDAY EVENING,
JANUARY 3D.
OUR
NEW YEARS PARTY
for
Real Estate
Salesmen
and our
Old and New Friends
In Our Auditorium,
12TH FLOOR.
100 W. Monroe-st.
COME AND SEE OUR WONDERFUL ORGANIZATION.
Let Us Tell You
BRIEFLY
of a wonderful opportunity we can offer you in the real estate selling field. There is an opening in our organization for all who qualify.
Some of Our Entertainment for This Evening:
NED MELROY,
Benson's Best Entertainer.
COLLEGE FOUR QUARTET.
TIVOLI TRIO.
MUSIC,
ENTERTAINMENT,
EATS.
Complete Two-Reel Picture
Tunney-Dempsey Fight.
Meet your old friends in the list of the following DIVISIONAL SALES MANAGERS:
CHAS. H. EDSON.
TOM AMERSON.
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WILLIAM DARKNESS.
CLAES SUNDGARD.
WILLIAM HUEY.
R. E. STARR.
H. B. FALKER.
JACK MARTIN.
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A. F. ANDERSON.
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M. E. BENNETT.
CARL HAND.
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C. ENGWALL.
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PAUL HELEN.
LEE A. LANK.
Tuesday Eve, Jan. 3d.
HINKAMP & COMPANY,
12TH FLOOR.
100 W. Monroe-st.

SALESMAN—WITH CAR FOR NORTHERN counties in Illinois; headquarters Rockford; Rockford resident preferred; wanted by Chicago manufacturer of high grade specialties used by factories, schools, institutions, hotels, dairies, etc. Business nonseasonable; exclusive districted territory; proposition and assured repeat orders; drawing account against liberal commission. Give age, experience, and references. Address M 135, Tribune.

SALESMAN — WITH ITOMOBILE, FOR Northern Indiana; less resident preferred; wanted by Chicago manufacturer of large line of specialties used by factories, schools, institutions, hotels, dairies, etc.; business nonseasonable; exclusive districted territory; proposition and assured repeat orders; drawing account against liberal commission. State age, experience, and references. Address M 135, Tribune.

SALESMAN — WE ARE MANUFACTURERS of a recognized line of plumbers' brass and valves and have unoccupied territory. Prefer a man with a trade acquaintance. Give age, experience, qualifications, and references. Address
THE RICKERSBERG BRASS COMPANY.
Cleveland, Ohio.

SALESMAN—WHOLESALE DRY GOODS. Have very desirable jersey, sweater and Underwear proposition open; country and city. If you are acquated with retailers—clothing, dry goods, furniture or allied lines—you can undersell on spot mill lines. SIDNEY BLUM & ASSOCIATES, 390 W. Adams-st.

SALESMEN—OUTSIDE OF CHICAGO. IF you think in terms of $6,000 the first year, write us at once. Strong line of specialties. Nationally advertised, established concern. Best season now starting. Liberal weekly advance to producers. George Williams, Mgr., 331 Liberty Bldg., Cleveland, O.

SALESMEN—3, INDUSTRIOUS, FOR PERmanent place worth com $6,000 to $10,000 each; unusual opportunity for man established, highly rated for; specialty proposition to retailers in allotted towns. Address Salesmanager, 700 S. Union Trust Bldg., Chicago.

SALES REPRESENTATIVE — TO SELL OUR line of Pathfinders, Cables and Terminals to the automotive trade. Attractive commission paid. We furnish sales helpers. Write for particulars to
R. PERLICK BRASS CO.,
MILWAUKEE, WIS.

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SALESMEN — FIGURE CARD CASE FREE to customers; big commission daily; selling quality business and professional stationery; lowest prices; free cuts. ARROW PRESS, Chicago.

SALESMEN—FOR EXCLUSIVE REPRESENtation in Indiana, Iowa, Ohio, Missouri; must be producers; will work on salary basis. Address D F 29, Tribune.

SALESMEN—$175 A MONTH AND EXPENSE selling cigars; experience not necessary. Send self-addressed envelope for information. American Cigar Co., High Point, N. C.

SALESMEN—SELL JAPANESE ART PANels; new designs; big colors; get our 1928 prices and outfit now. NEW-TON MFG. CO., Dept. A, Newton, Ia.

SALESMEN—ONE SALE DAILY NETS YOU $150 weekly; new plan; equal opportunity full side line. Iowa Specialty Co., Cedar Rapids, Ia.

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SALESMAN—CALL ON CONTRACTORS in Chicago and middle west; well known equip. as side line. Address F 608, Tribune.

SALESMEN—YOUNG MEN TO CALL ON RETAILERS; old est. jobbing house; future for hustlers. Address S 224, Tribune.

SALESMEN—GENUINE PROFITABLE specialty; city yards. Address S N 268, Tribune.

SALESMEN—$5-$15 DAY EXTRA; CITY; samples take orders; 1304, 542 S. Dearborn.

SALESMEN—LONG EXP. SELLING WHOLEsale drug trade. Far west terr.; fine pos. right man. Address E 169, Tribune.

SALESMAN—DEUTSCHER, A GERMAN TO speak German. Address M T 118, Tribune.

SALESMEN.

WE HAVE OPENINGS FOR FIFTEEN RELIABLE SALESMEN, WITH OR WITHOUT REAL ESTATE EXPERIENCE, WHO WILL BE INSTRUCTED TO REPRESENT A VERY HIGH GRADE REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT AND SAVINGS PROPOSITION ON NORTH SHORE PROPERTIES IN THE VICINITIES OF WILMETTE, WINNETKA, AND GLENCOE. ALL HAVE NEARBY TRANSPORTATION, HIGH RESTRICTIONS, AND AN EXTENSIVE DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM HAS BEGUN. A1 REFERENCES NECESSARY. CALL IN PERSON, 11 A. M. TO 4:30 P. M.
HUGHES-BROWN-MOORE CORPORATION,
111 W. WASHINGTON-ST.
337-351 CONWAY BLDG.

SALESMAN—TO SELL THE "WEST BEND" waterless cooker and aluminum utensils to hardware, department and house furnishing trade in Indiana, in southern Illinois, and in eastern Iowa. Must have had house furnishing sales experience. Write, giving qualifications, age, and references to the West Bend Aluminum Company, West Bend, Wis.

SALESMEN—EXPERIENCED for middle west territory to carry well known line of brief cases. Must have large following. Address D F 15, Tribune.

SALESMEN—HIGH GRADE MEN TO SELL memberships for exclusive Masonic Country club, 8 miles from business district of Akron, 24 miles Cleveland; membership list very prominent in Masonry; funds trusteed by prominent banker of largest financial institution in city; membership sold to capacity April, 1928; leads furnished; liberal commission; will pay transportation upon arrival; position permanent for advertising ability. Call 212 Delaware Bldg., Akron, Ohio.

SALESMEN
to sell warm air furnaces to trade in Illinois. Salary, expenses, commission and special bonus arrangement. Advertising and complete selling helps for dealers to back your work. Application by letter only. State your experience, give age, references and home telephone and address. Address M P 258, Tribune.

SALESMEN—HIGH GRADE MEN, POSSESSing real, genuine selling ability and intelligence who represent a well known metropolitan newspaper adv. campaigns to retail merchants; commission basis and highly remunerative; no paid daily. Adv. exp. desirable, but not essential, as thorough instruction will be given. Write us in confidence. Do you think you can qualify? Come to Suite 1110, 180 N. Michigan. Interview will be arranged.

SALESMAN—NATIONALLY KNOWN EDUcational institution has territories for salesman, preferably with background in stocks, bonds, books, or insurance. Earnings better than $5,000 first year. Proven financial support extended. Man between 28 and 45, pleasing personality, who mixes head work with foot work. Experience, however, not when available. AMERICAN UNIVERSITY OF COMMERCE, 35 E. Wacker-dr., Chicago.

SALESMEN—ELECTRICAL SUPPLY AND radio, for Chicago territory, with wholesale jobber handling leading lines. Opportunity for energetic young men with experience in selling dealers and industrials. Only applications giving full information as to experience, age, and other qualifications will be considered. Also references. Address N O 491, Tribune.

SALESMEN—INFANTS' AND CHILDREN'S wear; those who have a following and know the line; openings in Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Ohio, northern Wisconsin and Minnesota; well known Chicago exclusive infants' and children's wear stock house. Apply by letter only. Give full experience and qualifications; confidence. Address Buyer, Lyman & Sons, 328 W. Monroe-st., Chicago, Ill.

SALESMAN—FAMILIAR WITH DEPARTment store trade, to sell novelty knitted pieces goods, including jerseys, elderdowns, Astrakans, chinchillas, etc. Strictly commission. Unbreakable line. Splendid connection with line of cottons, worsteds, or silks. State age, nationality, lines carried, references. FRENCH & WARD, 386 4th-av., New York.

SALESMEN — SUBSCRIPTION BOOK; TO handle encyclopaedia with new combination sales plan. Exceptional territory furnished. Handsome samples. See me Tuesday a. m., Jan. 3.

JACK THIES,
1403, 537 S. DEARBORN.

SALESMAN — ROCKWOOD & CO. WILL quarantee services of salesman to call on candy jobbers, dept. stores, etc., in Chicago Metropolitan district on com. basis, weekly settlements; splendid opportunity for man established, highly rated for; specialty proposition to retailers in allotted towns. Address Salesmanager, 700 S. Union Trust Bldg., Chicago.

SALES REPRESENTATIVE — TO SELL OUR line of Fathers, Cables, Terminals to the automotive trade. Attractive commission paid. We furnish sales helpers. Write for particulars to
R. PERLICK BRASS CO.,
MILWAUKEE, WIS.

SALESMEN—OLD ESTABLISHED MANUfacturer, 40 years in business, is expanding its sales force; exceptional opportunity for merit. Unusual opportunity for large earnings to those who qualify. C. V. Hill & Co., Trenton, N. J.

SALESMAN—VACANT FEBRUARY 1, EXcellent permanent connection; man on commission in Illinois; sell staple line specialty general retail trade; weekly advances; commissions. Rice Co., 457 W. Fort, Detroit, Mich.

SALESMEN—EARN $400 UP MONTHLY selling rich muck land in Melbourne-Titusville district, Florida. Local or transient. Experience helpful but not necessary. A real proposition to both salesman and buyer. Write F. L. Mills, Melbourne, Fla.

SALESMAN.

Composition. Only one who has successfully sold high grade composition machine and hand composition. State age, salary expected and qualifications. Address P 349, Tribune.

SALESMAN — HOSIERY MANUFACTURER wants office of business in Chicago to open for a high class specialty salesman capable of holding first class trade and increasing volume. Strictly commission basis. Address D F 47, Tribune.

SALESMEN—WONDERFUL NEW BATTERY compound charges batteries instantly. Eliminates old methods. Gallon free. Anti-freeze, hand warmer, cleaning compound. Free shipments; long profit specialties. Mickman Co., Paul, Minn.

SALESMEN — SPECIAL ESTATE SALESmen; those selling real estate in Chicago; floaters, advance artists need not apply. Call Tuesday, Jan. 3d, 9 A. M. S. Crawford-av.

SALESMEN—2, EXP. REAL ESTATE; wanted by large Evanston office. Only men with good personality and who are willing to work hard will be considered. Address S F 472, Tribune.

SALESMEN — FIGURE CARD CASE FREE to customers; big commission daily; selling quality business and professional stationery; lowest prices; free cuts. ARROW PRESS, Chicago.

SALESMEN—FOR EXCLUSIVE REPRESENtation in Indiana, Iowa, Ohio, Missouri; must be producers; will work on salary basis. Address D F 29, Tribune.

SALESMEN—$175 A MONTH AND EXPENSE selling cigars; experience not necessary. Send self-addressed envelope for information. American Cigar Co., High Point, N. C.

SALESMEN—SELL JAPANESE ART PANels; new designs; big colors; get our 1928 prices and outfit now. NEWTON MFG. CO., Dept. A, Newton, Ia.

SALESMEN—ONE SALE DAILY NETS YOU $150 weekly; new plan; equal opportunity full side line. Iowa Specialty Co., Cedar Rapids, Ia.

SALESMEN—CLOTHING; FASTEST SELLing line of Fathers. Cables, Terminals; comm. $3.50. Two garments, $28.50; comm. $6. Union Tailoring Co., Denver, Colo.

SALESMAN—CALL ON CONTRACTORS in Chicago and middle west; well known equip. as side line. Address F 608, Tribune.

SALESMEN—YOUNG MEN TO CALL ON RETAILERS; old est. jobbing house; future for hustlers. Address S 224, Tribune.

SALESMEN—GENUINE PROFITABLE specialty; city yards. Address S N 268, Tribune.

SALESMEN—$5-$15 DAY EXTRA; CITY; samples take orders; 1304, 542 S. Dearborn.

SALESMAN—LONG EXP. SELLING WHOLEsale drug trade. Far west terr.; fine pos. right man. Address E 169, Tribune.

SALESMAN—DEUTSCHER, A GERMAN TO speak German. Address M T 118, Tribune.

SALESMEN—IMMEDIATE OPPORTUNITY for aggressive salesmen for Chicago, selling the original Murphy line of high grade art advertising. A very successful season makes possible a more elaborate line than ever, including exclusive copyrighted art calendars, indoor billboards, holiday greetings, art blotters, fans, direct by mail service, advertising pencils and other specialized items. Possible earnings $5,000 a year and upward. Experience in our line not necessary. We want reliable, full time men. Year around work; liberal commissions, bonus and prizes. Write the undersigned at once. THE THOS. D. MURPHY CO., Red Oak, Ia.

SALESMEN—REAL ESTATE.

"HOMES" is our slogan for 1928. We will have more Homes for sale in 1928 than any time in our history, and are in position to build to order for our clients houses of their own selection with a small down payment. Balance like rent.
Come in Tuesday and get acquainted—with a proposition that will mean a large income.
W. W. HUEY, Room 718,
111 W. Washington-st.

SALESMEN—AUTOMOBILE, TO SELL THE new Chevrolet, shown today at our showroom; exceptional opportunity for men with ambition to establish connection with one of Chicago's largest Chevrolet dealers. If you want to make money this is your chance. See M. J. FRIEDMAN or D. L. CORWIN, NELSON CHEVROLET SALES, INC., 812 Diversey-pkwy.

SALESMEN — IF YOU COULD OFFER A business man high grade pencils with his ad imprinted in gold, in quantities as small as a single gross, cheaper than he buys his ordinary pencils, so he could use them himself or to advertising duties, don't you think you had a real live proposition? Easy sales, big commissions. Mr. Hobbs, sales manager, 83 Murray-st., New York.

SALESMEN—WE PAY $50 TO $200 WEEKly, selling latest powerful business building advertising films to 50 lines of business; also side line service to 70 lines of business; experience unnecessary; big opportunity in our sales expansion program now starting. Write for territorial assignment. MONARCH FILMS, INC., Waterloo, Ia.

SALESMEN.

Sell made to measure all wool suits and topcoats; big selection of fabrics; highest commissions; $24.50. Write quick. Call today. Avon Wholesale Tailors, 1579 Milwaukee-av.

SALESMEN—IF YOU HAVE NO SIDELINE you are passing up opportunities to make lots of extra money; pencils, pencils, pencils, everywhere you see them used. Their demand is ever increasing. Easily sold. Big commissions paid. Write today for samples. O. K. Pencil Co., Louisville, Ky.

SALESMEN (2).

Must be acquainted with men's wear stores in Illinois, Indiana, and Wisconsin. Also man acquainted in Southern and Southwestern States. Trade established. Good opp. for right man. Address P 410, Tribune.

SALESMAN — WITH WORKING KNOWledge of advertising, to handle territory for advertising agency's company publication; established; high percentage renewals; cash commissions; company rating of highest order; high pressure unnecessary. Call or write, sells on merits. Address D T 48, Tribune.

SALESMEN—COLLECT AND KEEP $6 COMmission each sale. 2 suits or suit and topcoat, $27.95. Unusual quality. Satisfaction guar. Latest patterns. Extra large outfit FREE. Deal direct. La Salle Gold Seal Clothes, 527 Broadway, New York City.

SALESMEN—THOROUGHLY ACQUAINTED with Chicago and with proven record of sales ability; will be special representative on a highly renumerative compensation. See Mr. Hawley, Tuesday, Suite 1444, 35 E. Wacker-dr.

SALESMAN — DIRECT EASTERN MILL shipment, 10 numbers men, boys, and kids staple sweaters; strongest line; separate man each Michigan, Iowa, Illinois territory. Prices 7½ com.; side line general trade; established or don't reply. Address P 16, Tribune.

SALESMEN—STRAIGHT COMM.; MUST BE capable earning $100 or more per wk.; exc. highest class and priced box and pkg. chocolates etc.; control your territory; cov.; give ref. and prove ability, and if side-line. Address J G 145, Tribune.

SALESMEN—SIDE LINE; COMMISSION basis; well tailored, full cut, Men's Athletic Underwear, about 15 styles. Priced for volume business; give references, territory covered, lines now handled, and full details of exper. Nichols Mfg. Co., Bridgeport, Conn.

SALESMEN OR WOMEN — DIGNIFIED, profitable work; build permanent business selling attractive, durable Colonial oval braided rugs to homes; women buy readily; light samples; C. O. D. or deliver. Community Mills, Slatington, Pa.

SALESMEN—CORSAGE AND DRESS FLOWers, who has good following with department store buyers in Illinois, Michigan and Wisconsin; write, stating experience; may represent chemically or side line. Charles J. Levy Co., 29 W. 26th-st., New York City.

SALESMEN—WHOLESALE HOUSE, ESTAB. 18 years, must have aggressive man in this territory. Previous selling experience helpful but secondary. Big season now. Liberal advances. W. F. BIXLER, Pres., Dept. 101, 5010 Euclid-av., Cleveland, O.

SALESMAN.

To sell property in Oak Park and vicinity; must have experience; liberal arrangement and leads furnished.
Wittrock & Otto, 5006 Harrison-st., Oak Pk.

SALESMEN—YOU CAN MAKE BIG MONEY taking orders for our trees and shrubbery; experience unnecessary; no dull season; every home is a prospect; commission paid weekly. We deliver and collect. Write for terms. Willems Nurseries, Desk 15, Rochester, N.Y.

SALESMAN—YOUNG MAN, SINGLE, ASsistant to manufacturer's agent representing fastening lines, oiled clothing, artificial leather, automobile awnings. Give all details. Reply by letter only. D. Russell & Co., 108 W. Lake-st.

SALESMEN—TO SELL NEW 5C BREATH purifier; brand new idea; beautiful display card; quick repeater; new territory; every merchant a prospect; 90% com. for the salesman. Write quick for territory. World's Products Co., Spencer, Ind. Dept. 53.

SALESMEN—PROFITABLE OPENING FOR several trunk and traveling bag salesmen acquainted in Illinois, Indiana, Missouri, Kansas and Iowa; state experience. Address C T 50, Tribune.

SALESMAN—LOCAL ACTIVE MAN, ACquainted toilet goods buyers carry biz can Talcum sideline; references necessary; liberal commission. Pomarel, Ltd., 881 Warren-st., New York.

SALESMEN—IF YOU KNOW WHAT YOU KNOW REGARDING MONEY MAKING OPPORTUNITY YOU WOULDN'T SLEEP TONIGHT. COME TO RM. 903 6 N. MICHIGAN. PREPARED TO BE ELECTRIFIED.

SALESMEN—$0: SOMETHING NEW; BIG money. Each demonstration means sale. Every merchant a prospect. Terr. going fast. Open Mon. MFG. LIGHT CO., 179 W. Wells.

SALESMAN—CITY AND COUNTRY, FOR popular priced line of novelty knit goods. Excellent opportunity for exptd. man. Comm. basis to start. Give detailed inform. Address S L 253, Tribune.

SALESMEN—TO SELL CASK ONE THOUsand pieces white dishes for $40; commission $8 per cup and saucer count one piece. Baker Pottery Co., Salisbury, N. C.

SALESMEN — EQUIPPED WITH DRY goods and department store trade, for Chicago, to sell line of ladies' neckwear and wash dresses. 9 N. Franklin-st., Rm. 306.

SALESMAN WHO HAS AN EXCELLENT opening available Jan. 1 for a high grade specialty salesman. Pioneer Chemical & Mfg. Co., Cleveland, O.

SALESMEN—SELL NORTHWOOD NURSERY stock, hire salesmen, complete line; comm. wkly.; exper. unnec.; outfit free. Keystone Nursery, Dallas, Pa.

SALESMAN—PAUL SCHROEDER & CO., 415 Linden-av., Wilmette, needs man with car; fine proposition; good leads; 100% co-operation given.

SALESMAN — EXPERIENCED IN FLOOR machines or floor wax, by national corp.; permanent. Address P 113, Tribune.

SALESMAN—WITH FOLLOWING, TO CAR-ry a superior line of ladies' silk underwear and neckwear. Address M L 217, Tribune.

SALESMEN—FOUR $15 SALES TO MERchants net you $40 daily. Sayers Systems, 503 Sheffield, Chicago, Ill.

SALESMAN—LONG EXP. SELLING WHOLEsale drug trade. Far west terr.; fine pos. right man. Address E 169, Tribune.

SALESMAN—DEUTSCHER, A GERMAN TO speak German. Address M

WANTED—MALE HELP.

Miscellaneous.

JUNIOR FIELD MEN.

A leading finance company wishes to employ four or five exceptional young men 25 to 30 years of age who are looking for a permanent connection with unlimited future possibilities. Applicant must be of neat appearance, and have a pleasing personality. He must have from two to three years college training, and from two to three years experience in some line of business, preferably credit or collection work. He must be honest, reliable, willing to do more than is asked of him, tactful, and above all, his past record must be spotless. Give us your whole story in writing; it will be held strictly confidential. Address S 257, Tribune.

MEN.

A large manufacturing company needs several young men about 21-25 yrs. of age of neat appearance and average intelligence for an advertising campaign of store display work and home to house distribution of samples, etc. No selling or soliciting; salary $25 a week to start; opportunity for permanent employment and advancement. Apply by letter stating age, where you have been doing whether married or single and phone number. Interview may be granted later. Address M 247, Tribune.

SKIP TRACER—I PAY $7 LOCATION FEES. Call Room 503, 35 S. Dearborn-st.

Employment Agencies.

LATHE HAND ..75C|AUTO MECH.....$35
Engineer ...$100|Cook, nite $25
BUSCH AGENCY, 184 W. Washington.

SALESMEN—TWO OUR MEN EARNING one hundred weekly; not real estate. Madison Emp. Agency, 718 S. State-st.

BEAUTIFUL NEW WALNUT BEDROOM suite, rugs, radio; will trade for used furniture or will save you money. MIDWEST FURNITURE HOUSE, 1345 W. Madison-st.

WILL TRADE MY $6,500 EQUITY IN NEW two story business building, located in Edgebrook, for auto, diamonds, or what? Address O Y 314, Tribune.

GRO. AND MEAT MARKET—6 MOD. RMS.; rent $55, with store; long lease; will exch. for DWD. or vac. on S. Side; prov. party. Rock, 1378 for further information.

BARTER AND EXCHANGE.

$250 credit on new Paire for radio. Tel. Ravenswood 1444.

ONE YEAR'S RENT OF 6 ROOM, STEAM heated flat in Woodlawn, for carpenter work or decorating. Call Tues. morning, Room 711, 8 S. Dearborn.

WANT AUTO TO DRIVE TO COAST. WILL exch. $800 equity in 2 fine suburban lots for car of equal value. Address O Y 243, Tribune.

APT. OR HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS FOR notes, diamonds, clothing, furs, or what? Ph. Sun. 0279.

WILL SACRIFICE $1,800 EQUITY CHOICE residence lot in Hinsdale. What have you? Address M 319, Tribune.

WANTED—GAS STATION IN TRADE FOR $5,000 clear property. E. HAGEN, 6945 Farragut-av. Newcastle 3225.

$900 PRAYER PIANO—NEW AND CASH for late model 5 passenger closed car. Phone Juniper 0415.

WHAT HAVE YOU TO OFFER FOR 60X125 ft. vacant on Lawndale and 71st-st., value $1,600? Address C B 264, Tribune.

WILL TRADE YOUR PIANO OR PLAYER piano and give you a high class radio set; console model. Phone Seeley 9423.

EXCHANGE YOUR PHONOGRAPH FOR A high class radio set. West 3462.

WILL TRADE TRUCK WITH OR WITHOUT work for auto. 1515 Fulton-st.

DO INTERIOR PAINTING IN TRADE FOR anything of value. Well, 2964.

WILL TRADE A GOOD RADIO FOR ANY thing of value. Address H M 320, Tribune.

4 LOTS IN DELLWOOD. WIS. FOR USED closed car or cash. Humb. 4179.

FUR COAT OR CONS. RADIO FOR DIAM. or cash and 1/2 carat. Address L 447, Tribune.

TRADE HSHLD. FURN., VICTROLA, RADIO for painting and dec. Albany 0740.

CLOTHING, FURS, ETC.

MILLER & CO.,

Chicago's largest exclusive furrier has, during the last month, taken in trade about 75 used fur coats and jacquettes, in squirrel, leopard, muskrat, Hudson seal, Jap mink, etc. These garments will be sold out at once at very low prices, some as low as $25 each. Open evenings by request. Ask for MR. ERICKSON. Rm. 220, 616 S. Michigan-av.

OUR LOSS—YOUR GAIN.

75 HIGH GRADE SAMPLE FUR COATS must be sold while they last at your own price. Also a few slightly used coats, perfect style, newest models. HARVEY-DODY CO., 37 S. Wabash-av., 5th floor.

NEW FURS READY MADE AND TO ORder, reasonable. We also remodel furs as you want them. Coats cleaned, glazed, repaired. Only requests. Ask for MR. PETERSON, Rm. 204 State-Lake Bldg., Dearborn 1253.

JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE OF USED ladies and men's winter coats, $5 up; also muskrat dresses. Any garments valued all week. Lou Ez. 1162 N. Clark-st.

WILL PAY CASH FOR LADIES' RACCOON coat, 38-40; if like new; fine quality and barain; state size, cash price, phone. Address D F 26, Tribune.

ALMOST NEW JAP WEASEL, $75; HUDson seal fox scarf, $25; squirrel, $100; caracul, $50; old furs exch. Op. 9-9 Ken. 5373. Exchange Shop, 4706 Grand-blvd.

14 UNCALLED FOR COATS SOLD FOR charges, $25 to $100. Coats of seal, jap weasel, caracul, muskrat. Open 9-9. PETERS FUR SHOP, 5145 Michigan Drexel 1750.

60 FUR COATS YOUR OWN PRICE for your size, kind, style. Reynolds Fur Shop, 600 E. 51st-st. Kenwood 2049. Open 9-9.

WE BUY, SELL, MEN'S, LADIES' CLOTHing, fur coats. GOLDBERG, 3053 Cottage Grove-av. Atlantic 3451. Line 8744. Open eve.

GLOBE FINE FURS—FOR BAL. DUE WILL sell 50 sample fur coats, very reasonable, 4131 Grand-ave., Keldale 2717.

DRESSES, CUT AND FIT, $1.50; ALSO complete dressmaking, fur and cloth coats relined. 39 W. Adams. Room 830.

SEWING AND KNITTING! WEDDING CLOTHES will fit instantly; all sizes. T. C. SCHAFFNER, INC., 130 N. State-st. Room 33.

TO SURPLUS BUYERS—WANT TO SELL 200 evening gowns, cost $75 manual; below cost. FOSTER'S, 206 S. State-st.

BEAU. $600 GRAY CARACUL COAT. PLAT. trim like new; has been kept in cold vault. Sac. Hud. seal, mink trim. Ard. 3868.

OUR LOSS YOUR GAIN. CLOSING OUT 50 fur coats. Your price, size, kind. Op. 9-9. MORRIS FUR SHOP, 4253 Broadway.

TAN RIDING BOOTS, NEW, SIZE 8, REAsonable. Columbus 5305.

RACCOON COAT, SQUIRREL COAT, FINE condition, very reasonable. 1881.

HUDSON SEAL, ALSO BLACK PONY COAT, trim eve. dress; reas. R. P. 9181.

YOUTH'S SUIT AND OVERCOAT, 36; GOOD condition; $7 each. Park 2923.

$85 GEN. MINK COLLAR AND CUFFS SEAL coat, size 40. Sunnyside 7000, Apt. 602.

TUXEDO—DINNER SUIT, SIZE 38, LIKE new. Reasonable. Englewood 4908.

WILL SELL MY BEAUTIFUL FUR COAT at $65. Phone Wellington 7210.

MAN'S FUR COAT, BROWN WALRUS SEAL. Call Hyde Pk. 9475 9 a. m. for appmt.

WE PAY CASH FOR MINK, SQUIRREL AND Persian coats. CARMAN, 8 S. Dearborn.

SEWING MACHINES.

SPECIAL SALE
ALL THIS WEEK.

RECONDITIONED SINGERS.
ELECTRIC DROPHEADS AND TRADE-INS.
MACHINES GUARANTEED.
CALL AT
Singer Sewing Machine Co.,
122 S. STATE-ST. RAND. 3682.

RECONDITIONED SINGER PORTABLE electric and stand, mach.; cash and terms. Singer Sewing Machine Co., 220 E. 47th-st. Oak. 4193.

SINGER DE LUXE 66, LIKE NEW. $75; cost $150. Storage Rm. 3092 W. Madison.

BILLIARDS AND BOWLING.

BILLIARD TABLES, NEW OR REBUILT, AT prices and terms that meet all conditions. Buy direct from manufacturers and get best quality and lowest prices. Everything in Billiard and Bowling Supplies. THE BRUNSWICK-BALKE-COLLENDER CO., 623 S. Wabash. Wabash 4020.

REBUILT AND NEW TABLES. LOWEST prices; best terms. Small tables $12 up. NATIONAL BILLIARD SUPPLY CO., 1723 Lake-st.

NEW AND USED BILLIARD TABLES. Low Prices. Easy Terms. KEEFE & HAMER CO., 17 N. Wabash-av.

CONTRACTS TO LET AND WANTED.

25% OFF NOW.

Paperhanging, Painting, Calcimining, Plastering at once. Call us now. Guaranteed. Lake View 6839.

HAULING WANTED.

for several dump trucks, any kind; very reas. Call Kedzie 5340 after 6 p. m.

WANTED—HAVE 2 TON STAKE TRUCK like new; $50 reward for infor. C. Hotlinger, 2746 W. Superior. Bruno. 2101.

PLANTS, SEEDS, AND TREES.

ALFALFA SEED, "COMMON," PURITY about 95%, $6.50 bu.; genuine "Grimm" alfalfa, $14; Scarified white sweet clover, $3.90; red clover alsike, $13.50 bu.; Hulled sweet clover, $2.50. BAGS FREE. Send for samples. Kansas Seed Co., Salina, Kas.

BUSINESS PERSONALS.

PERSONAL — WE PAY CASH FOR ANY kind of old gold; mail your packages to us. United Dental Laboratory, 3211 S. State-st. Phone Calumet 4607.

COLLECTIONS.

COLLECTIONS EVERYWHERE. NO COLlection, no charge. Will buy notes, judgments, open accounts. Call State 6600. United Mercantile Service, 140 N. Dearborn.

CASTOFF CLOTHING.

DON'T SELL YOUR CLOTHING, FUR coats before you see GORDON, 3355 Cottage Grove-av. Atlantic 3451. Line 8744.

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE IS GIVEN THAT I AM NO longer connected with G. O. Ballin or Ballin Brothers. Paul B. Ballin.

WANTED—FEMALE HELP.

Stores and Offices.

A1 SALESLADIES

to work in busy music shop. Must have selling experience. Between 20 and 30 years of age. Neat appearing and ambitious. Apply between 9 and 11 Tuesday and Wednesday mornings. No telephone calls. Rialto Music House, 330 S. State.

ADDRESSERS.

Experienced; for steady work; vicinity Crawford and Fullerton. Address M N 247, Tribune.

ASSISTANT FORELADY—IN TYPEWRITing department of large addressing co.; permanent position; give age and experience and salary. Address L C 178, Tribune.

BOOKKEEPER

To take complete charge of a medium sized corporation's books; convenient central location; good salary and opportunity for advancement; permanent position. State experience, age, salary, and telephone number. Address O E 88, Tribune.

BOOKKEEPER AND TYPIST—GENTILE, 20-25 years of age; permanent; must be accurate, efficient, and fully qualified to take complete charge of small office; prefer one who is interested in movie stars and movie advertising; $27.50 to start until accustomed to duties. Address M S 470, Tribune.

BOOKKEEPER—EXP. AND OFFICE MANager with executive ability; physician's loop office; excellent salary with opportunity for advancement; state age, exp., and ref. Address O Y 349, Tribune.

BOOKKEEPER, STENOGRAPHER—WINNETka; capable of taking full charge of books in general contractor's office. Address M K 194, Tribune.

BOOKKEEPER — ELLIOTT-FISHER; OVER 25; capable of taking charge books; Loop wholesale office; $30 per week to start; write age, experience, etc. Address L L 226, Tribune.

CASHIER—CAPABLE FOR MUSIC STORE. 744 E. 63d-st.

CLERK—FOR S. SIDE APT. HOTEL; SOME bookkeeping; also switchboard relief; pleasing personality and good talker. State experience and salary wanted. Address M K 425, Tribune.

CLERKS—FILE AND GENERAL; PERMAnent position, with chance for advancement. Address L H 189, Tribune.

Comptometer Operator

With at least 2 years' experience. Northwest side preferred.
THE STEWART DIE CASTING CORP.
4535 Fullerton-av.

FILE CLERK — UNDERSTANDS TYPING; age 18 to 20, high school educ., pleasing personality. Apply Tues., 3815 Cortland-st.

GIRLS [3]—EXPER'D ON PARCEL POST zoning; salary $16. Address S G 327, Tribune.

LADY DEMONSTRATORS OR SALESLADIES,

with shoe experience preferred, but not necessary, to sell nationally advertised line of merchandise in out of town department stores; permanent position; many attractive salaries and commission. Apply THE SCHOLL MFG. CO., INC., 213 W. Schiller-st.

LADY—YOUNG; MFG. CO., NR. LOGAN SQ.; exper. in clerical wk.; must be quick, accurate, intelligent; good salary and opportunity for advancement; permanent position. State experience, age, salary, and telephone number. Address O E 85, Tribune.

MILLINERY DESIGNER—MUST BE SPECIALLY COMPETENT ON POPULAR PRICED LINES FOR MISSES; AGES 12 TO 18. THE PRISCILLA DEAN HAT CO., 15 N. WABASH-AV.

MILLINERY DESIGNER — IN HIGH CLASS ladies' wearing apparel shop; must have following and furnish references. NELLE DIAMOND, INC., 650 N. Michigan-av.

MILLINERY DESIGNER — MUST HAVE factory experience on popular priced hats. LU-BEN, 163 N. Wabash.

OPERATORS—25.

Experienced on corsets or brassieres, for 1, 2, 3 needle and zig-zag machines; highest wages; steady work. VENUS BRASSIERE CO., 2200 Lawrence.

OPERATORS—BONNAZ MACHINES. APPLY Ashland Emb. Co., 1509 Roosevelt-rd.

PHYSICIAN—HOUSE, JACKSON PARK HOSpital, 7531 Stony Island-av.

SEAMSTRESS—A1, FOR GENERAL REPair work. Service Laundry, 1725 N. Wells.

TIN PLATE SORTERS.

Young women 18 to 20 yrs. of age; exp. not necessary.
CONTINENTAL CAN CO.,
5401 W. 65th-st.

TUCKERS.

Experienced on dresses. LIPSON BROS., 320 W. Adams.

WOMAN—EXPERIENCED; TO GIVE TURKish baths and massages in high class bath parlor. Inquire Sovereign Hotel, bath dept.

Household Help.

CAPABLE WHITE WOMAN,

Middle aged, white woman can have permanent home with own room and fair salary with South Side couple, two children. Must be good cook and willing to take general housework and care of children. Must be pleasant, refined. Write full particulars. Address M J 505, Tribune.

COUPLE—MARRIED, IN PRIVATE HOME; chauffeur-houseman and maid; state experience and wages expected. Address M S 293, Tribune.

COUPLE — WHITE, MARRIED; WIFE TO cook, man general housework. Phone Euclid 2586 Tuesday, 9 a.m. after 1 p. m.

GIRL—YOUNG, FOR HOUSEWORK; 3 RM. apt., assist with baby and do all laundry work; hours, 8-5:30. Village 7368-RX, 219 Washington-blvd., Oak Park.

GIRL, WHITE; MUST BE GOOD PLAIN cook and have references; good wages. 830 Chestnut-av., Wilmette. Wilmette 3449.

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Music to Be Wafted on Ethereal Waves?

By Edward Moore.

NEW music making devices, new music, and new methods of distributing music makers to the communities around and about would seem to be some of the matters to be taken up by the new year.

The newest music making device is so new that so far it has not acquired a defining or descriptive name for itself. It had two or three demonstrations in Paris about four weeks ago, and as a result of billboard, newspaper, and prospectus publicity a riot squad of police had to be called out to club off the several thousand persons who tried to get in to hear it and were unable to do so. It is said the inventor now plans to come to America, his chief idea being to confer with Edison on matters of financial and otherwise unmusical import.



CLAUDIA MUZIO
as Tosca in the like named opera today at the Auditorium.

Two accounts of the Paris demonstration have reached this desk, one decidedly sympathetic in tone, the other in a more Missourian vein. The inventor is a certain Prof. Theremin, a Russian, who is principally electrician and almost as a side line musician.

Combining the accounts, a task almost comparable to that of Dickens' editorial writer in his article on Chinese metaphysics, it is learned that Prof. Theremin produces what he calls "music of the ethereal waves." The stage is crowded with electrical devices of various sorts and shapes, centering around a vertical metal wand which stands in a field of electro-magnetic waves. The inventor passes his hand to and fro near the wand, and the interruption of the magnetic field by this means is translated by further mechanisms into sounds of varying pitch, strength, and timbre. By altering these further mechanisms it would seem that the count of overtones also can be changed; hence the inventor evolves tones resembling those of stringed instruments, flute, clarinet, bassoon, and the like.

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When the Doctors Disagree.

Up to this point the two accounts are in a fair degree of accord. From here they take separate paths. Henry Prunieres, writing to the New York Times, says that in the treble the sounds resembled those of a violin and in the lower scale those of a cello, "but like a violin or cello which could produce the most delicate pianissimo or give the equivalent of thirty instruments playing together. The quality of tone is most beautiful."

James Whittaker, at one time a Chicago music critic, wrote to Musical America: "Into my ear it emptied some very pure tones, varied in force and sometimes in quality, welded together in a sirupy legato, unearthly and dispassionate, and for that reason insupportable for more than five minutes at a stretch."

Apparently its musical values are still in the experimental stage. Apparently, also, it is a solo instrument, producing a single line of melody. The one man orchestra has not yet arrived.

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Contemporary Music to Be Heard.

New music, at least music so far unheard, is to be presented by the Chicago chapter of the International Society for Contemporary Music. It has selected the evening of Feb. 5 as the date and the Cliff Dwellers' club as the place, and it promises an informal concert of new music.

Frederick Stock, chairman of the music committee, in arranging the program, says the works to be presented are from the pens of contemporary composers, and that one Chicagoan probably will be included. They will be in the larger forms for piano, violin, and string quartet.

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Talent for the Provinces.

On the matter of distributing music to other communities, there is an appeal from Joseph Danziger of 2417 Erskine boulevard, South Bend, Ind. He says: "Since the passage of the immigration law there are few Swiss bellringers left in this country, and we therefore get to hear very little music out here in the sticks." He continues:

Seriously, though, I believe there is an uncultivated field, or rather source, of musical talent that would be appreciated in the provinces—to use a European definition—and which at present is going begging for audiences. There is a greater appreciation of real good music in the small towns of the middle west than possibly you in your metropolitan arrogance appreciate. On the other hand, there are in Chicago, and, of course, in New York, Berlin, Paris, and possibly Milan, thousands of talented musicians with real ability who never get a hearing. I knew lots of them personally when I lived in Chicago, on the near north side, in the old days when Rudolph Ganz had a job with Mr. Ziegfeld Sr., and I know there were a lot of fellows then who had real talent and have never been heard from since.

About the only music we get here is a program of four or five concerts sponsored by the Civic Music Association, Incorporated, a booking agency in Chicago, which organizes local civic associations in cities of this neighborhood and, in return for a membership fee of $10 per annum, provides the talent for the concerts. While the talent itself is amply good for the price asked, I believe that for the same price we could possibly have eight or ten concerts, with a baritone unknown to fame, who could probably suit the audiences better than Werrenrath, whose price is $1,000 for an appearance. This brings me to the point of value received. Werrenrath had an accompanist whom I never heard of, but who played a Chopin and Schumann piece and some other things which were worth more than all of the vocal numbers rendered.

It is possible that the Friends of Music, or some similar organization, would be willing to sponsor this youthful and struggling talent and coöperate with us, and perhaps some other cities of about the same size here and in Michigan, with a view to getting up a concert season which would work a double good—in providing the provinces with good music, educational in value and low enough in cost to attract the masses, and at the same time furnish the talent with the encouragement it receives in the European provinces, if we are to cultivate the genuine musical talent and appreciation for music that is latent, but manifestly exists in this country quite as much as it does in Germany and Italy. We can only do so by encouraging an appreciation for music in the provinces, where the majority of the nation lives.

If you will give this matter your consideration and pass the letter on to those of your acquaintances who would be willing to coöperate along the lines suggested, I will take it up in detail with the music department of the leading woman's club here, enjoying a membership of nearly a thousand women, and we may be able to arrange something for next year. I am totally, completely, and blissfully ignorant of the cost of a season such as I have in mind, but the subject of costs in general is not a new one to me, and I do realize this—that where we here pay Werrenrath a thousand dollars and his booking agency in New York gets a rakeoff and the booking agency in Chicago gets a rakeoff, there is not much left for "Werry," and the Indiana peasantry is paying for booking agents a lot of money which it might save. That saving alone would represent quite an amount if the talent suggested above could be routed through six or eight of the small cities in this vicinity. Then, too, in a city like this, or, say, Lansing and Grand Rapids, which contain large foreign born populations or people of European descent who have a native love for music and who would no doubt come to the concerts in droves if the cost were low enough, just as they crowded into the "cock loft" in the Auditorium and used to sit up in the "cock loft" in the Auditorium and used to sit up there was only 50 cents.

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Wednesday Matinee Added.

Something was said in this column a short time ago about the size of the répertoire that the Civic Opera company has.

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Critic Chooses Twelve Films for Year of 1927

1927'S TWELVE BEST PHOTOPLAYS.

BEAU GESTE.
TELL IT TO THE MARINES.
OLD IRONSIDES.
MR. WU.
THE ROUGH RIDERS.
RESURRECTION.
THE WAY OF ALL FLESH.
THE PATENT LEATHER KID.
ANNIE LAURIE.
WINGS.
7TH HEAVEN.
THE JAZZ SINGER.

By Mae Tinee.

[Pictures in Rotogravure Picture Section.]

GOOD MORNING!

And I wish you SUCH a Happy New Year, fans; I want it to bring you everything in the world you want—that's good for you—and perhaps a few things that aren't, if you'd really like them vurr' much. Whatever will honestly make you HAPPY—that's what I wish for you this morning.



ALICE JOYCE
did beautiful acting in "Beau Geste."

You'll be interested, I'm sure, in taking a newspaper journey backward over the months and reminiscencing over the films that have given you pleasure. You most certainly will have liked the ones listed at the top of the column. If you disagree as to their being the "best," write in and say so. And tell me those you have selected in place of these I have chosen.

I'm not going to try and write a lot of new stuff—but will just quote a bit from the reviews that appeared when the pictures opened in Chicago.

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"BEAU GESTE." ". . . The producers have been faithful to the book and the director has exactly caught the spirit and atmosphere of the story. And the tale of the three brothers, of whom Beau Geste is the eldest, has been screened with fire, with dignity, and with a sure understanding of the pure breeding that alone could produce boys capable of the idealism and the determination and bravery to keep that ideal an unsullied star—such as were Michael, Digby, and John Geste . . . a stunning photoplay. Melodrama at its finest."

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"TELL IT TO THE MARINES." ". . . It begins to look as if we must depend upon our fighting men for our screen cream. 'The Big Parade,' 'The Better 'Ole,' 'What Price Glory,' 'Beau Geste' all feature doughty fighters. And now f'r'nother example, gaze upon 'Tell It to the Marines.'

"Is it a good picture? I strongly suspect it of being a great picture. . . . This is the first time since his salad days that Lon Chaney has been allowed to face the camera unmasked, unputtied, unglasseyed, and showing his own good teeth. And himself is a grand man to meet. . . . 'Tell It to the Marines' has the best of everything—director, photographer, supporting cast. It was filmed with the coöperation of the government and many of its scenes are on battleships, and in marine barracks, with regular marines appearing . . . a walloping fine picture and Mr. Chaney may carve another notch upon his gun."

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"OLD IRONSIDES." ". . . a big, breezy, jovial, spectacular, intensely inspiring production, that flashes with humor and hands out man-sized thrills. . . . Splendidly acted, brilliantly directed, and gloriously photographed . . . a magnificent tribute of patriotism to patriotism. . . . Has its tricks to tickle your sense of the unusual. If you don't experience some enjoyable quivers of pride and patriotism when the Constitution suddenly, just before the intermission, sails into your presence, apparently LIFE Size, why, I'm no critic and you're no fans."

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"MR. WU." Starring Lon Chaney. . . . "The picture is gorgeously set and has been directed with fine and satisfying attention to detail. It is intensely atmospheric and the cast is a great one. . . . Master of makeup that he is, Lon Chaney has never more skillfully wrought wonders upon his appearance than in the present instance. He not only looks the Chinaman of high caste, but he IS a subtle, sinister mandarin, whose manner nevertheless can soften into the most delightful, human, and humorous fatherliness when it comes to his relationship with his beloved daughter, Nang Ping."

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"THE ROUGH RIDERS." . . . "Don't be afraid of 'The Rough Riders.' It won't educate you. It will only thrill you down to the tips of your toes. Only make you laugh till the tears come. Only make you so glad you're an American that you'll want to stand right up and yell. . . . Soul-stirring reality and heart-throbbing fiction are beautifully woven together. . . . A tribute to a man called Theodore Roosevelt."

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"RESURRECTION." ". . . a great novel, adapted with honesty and skill. . . . A picture that shows perfect teamwork of director and players. . . . From the production standpoint, a splendid, atmospheric picture."

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"THE WAY OF ALL FLESH." "There are things in life that you don't feel like talking much about. Like a sunset, or a painting that brings you the message of its maker, or a song that really SINGS to you, or a sense of ecstasy—or the work of Emil Jannings. . . . Here is a photoplay that you will try to sit through twice. . . . I can tell you it is GREAT, but never HOW great!"

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"THE PATENT LEATHER KID." "'The Patent Leather Kid' tells a great war story and a great love story and in it Richard Barthelmess is—just—great."

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"ANNIE LAURIE." "Photographically 'Annie Laurie' is a gorgeous thing. . . . Here you have the braes quite as lovely as if they had been photographed in Scotland instead of California, and Annie Laurie as winsome as ever a song could sing. . . . Miss Gish brings to this heroine her own peculiar, elusive, unfleshly charm, which makes her an excellent foil for the dashing, ardent, and earthy MacDonald as portrayed by Norman Kerry."

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"WINGS." "It is the aviation scenes that make this picture memorable. . . . Airship maneuvers are magnificent. . . . Brilliant, poignant, and honest work, close copy of the tragic, flaming tapestry woven in the skies 'over there.'"

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"7TH HEAVEN." . . . "A perfectly fascinating picture. . . . Most intelligently adapted from the play, it has a quaint and heady bouquet, sparkles with thought and whimsy, and its direction and acting are potent. Highbrow and lowbrow equally must respond to its appeal. . . . We learned to expect much from Charles Farrell in 'The Rough Riders.' In this film he more than lives up to our fondest expectations. . . . Little Janet Gaynor from Chicago is a great actress. . . . Entire production most unusual, take it as you will."

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"THE JAZZ SINGER." . . . "'The Jazz Singer' is a winner—if I know a winner when I see one. . . . Mr. Jolson just makes the little old silver sheet sing, and shimmy, and cry, and laugh. As he is in the 'legit' so he is in the movies—one hundred per cent THERE with the personality plus that has anchored him so firmly in the hearts of the world. . . . picture has been cannily directed, finely staged, and splendidly photographed."

There's about 'em, folks. The twelve best—as I see them. And here are December's six best:

THE JAZZ SINGER.
THE CITY GONE WILD.
THE GORILLA.
SPOILERS OF THE WEST.
LOVE.
THE DOVE.

And especial mention must be accorded "Almost Human" and "Buttons."

See you tomorrow.

The Future Looks Damper

By H. L. Mencken.

SOME time ago, writing in this place, I counselled youngsters aspiring to the literary shroud to get and hang on to good jobs, and let fall the hint that those who had no talent for clerking in banks, driving taxicabs or selling bonds might very well try bootlegging. There came in answer a number of letters from ambitious young authors who said that they had done so, and that the profession turned out to be less easy and profitable than I had assumed. The trouble with it, they all reported, was that competition was killing it. In certain large areas of the republic, and especially in certain so-called dry areas, there were almost as many bootleggers as customers.

I found, on reflection, that my own observation and experience supported this complaint, and so I wrote to all of the complainants who gave their addresses, withdrawing my suggestion and proposing that they try the garage business or the railway mail service, instead. It must be plain, indeed, to every one that the palmy days of bootlegging are over. There was a time when a fortunate bootlegger, after landing a convoy of sound goods, could set his clients to bidding against one another for it, and so pile up riches overnight. But today, like everything else American, the business is highly organized and completely standardized, and profits are steadily coming down.

Droughts are now almost unheard of, even in New York, where the daily demand is colossal. No matter how much the trade consumes, the master booticians manage to supply it. But this very perfecting of their humane art and mystery has worked against their own prosperity. They used to be gay adventurers, running grave risks but reaping huge rewards. They are now sedate business men, well protected but facing heavy competition. Every bibber of any noticeable solvency knows at least a dozen reliable booters, and when a trade of any proportions is in prospect they do all of the bidding.

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Such are the net effects of nearly eight years of law enforcement. What was once a form of picaresque sport, with overtones of the felonious, is now a sober industry, with its recognized trade practices and even the beginnings of a code of ethics. Before long, no doubt, it will have its Will H. Hays, following the movie industry, and its annual conventions, and its academy of selected booticians. Already it shows the beginnings of public spirit. A practitioner, I am told, who de-denaturizes denatured alcohol ineptly and so imperils the nobility and gentry, is frowned upon by his fellows and the obliging prohibition agents do their best to put him out of business.

Otherwise, they appear to interfere with the traffic very little. Everywhere, to be sure, they go through the motions of raiding a multitude of petty booters—poor Italian grocerymen, Negro peddlers of white mule, yokels with two gallon stills, and the like. Thousands of such unfortunates are taken with spectacular ceremonies, dragged into the crowded rum courts, federal and state, and railroaded to prison. But it is rare today to hear of a bootlegger of any professional standing being molested. If he deals in honest imported goods, or in the better varieties of the home made stuff, he seems to be quite safe. Even the tabloids have given up reporting the imminent snaring of men higher up.

This reassuring condition of the trade is reflected in the growing uneasiness of the prohibitionists, who show every sign of intense unhappiness. The Anti-Saloon league, once so cocksure and full of fight, now splits into two factions, one of which bawls for a sharpening of the war upon rum and the other of which advocates a long and *pianissimo* campaign of education. I doubt that either faction will get anywhere. A U-boat campaign would only cause prohibition to be even more unpopular than it is now; its net effect would probably be to raise up a demand that all of the Anti-Saloon league grand goblins be jailed. And a campaign of education, far from converting the country to prohibition, might only debamboozle those who still believe in it.

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Such a campaign, indeed, has been going on since the passage of the Volstead act, and its effects have been those that I have just rehearsed. The number of believers in prohibition has very greatly diminished, and the fact is shown by the attitude of the newspapers. At the beginning the great majority of them were friendly to the dry cause, and some of the most influential of them were its eager advocates. But now it is hard to find a newspaper of any dignity that is not wet. Even in the small towns of the south and middle west they are flopping in great numbers. The Anti-Saloon league, in the first days, was treated as respectfully as the Y. M. C. A. or the B. P. O. E. But today it is pretty generally depicted in the press as a brother to the Ku Klux Klan, which in fact it really is.

I believe that the Association Opposed to the Prohibition Amendment has had a lot to do with this change. Under the leadership of Capt. William H. Stayton, a man of such high tone that even the Anti-Saloon league and the Methodist Board of Temperance, Prohibition and Public Morals have had to give up depicting him as a gunman, it has proceeded quietly but immensely effectively, meeting and refuting the balderdash of the prohibitionists and exposing the corruption and folly of law enforcement. The literature it has circulated has been sober and reliable. Its speakers have been men of unimpeachable position. And it has avoided very carefully any association with men interested in the liquor business.

But its time of greatest influence and effectiveness, I think, is still ahead. As newspaper after newspaper abandons the dry cause and comes out for common sense and common decency its opportunities to reach the public increase, and as the evil consequences of the law enforcement imbecility become more and more manifest the number of important men who give it aid grows steadily larger. Its roll of members, even today, makes that of the Anti-Saloon league look pitiful. And it is gathering in new and better ones every day.

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I believe the time is approaching when this admirable organization may very well launch into greater pugnacity. The drys, as the division among them shows, are beginning to wobble, and a sharp attack upon them would be popular and draw blood. It is their misfortune that a great many of their most active supporters, both in and out of politics, are notorious hypocrites. The exposure of these hypocrites would do more to finish prohibition than ten thousand acres of statistics.

It is well known to every bootblack and street car conductor in Washington that some of the most violent drys in the United States senate are actually devotees of the illicit jug, and that not a few of them are heavy lushers. There are guzzlers, too, among the great editors who still, in a steadily decreasing minority, cling to prohibition. I believe that there is sufficient evidence against all of these frauds to justify exposing them, and I am convinced that doing it would be a public service.

Thus I suggest to Capt. Stayton and his associates that they put in some time quietly gathering evidence. It is all around them in Washington. They know who the frauds are, and there are plenty of willing witnesses. A smash in that direction would give the Anti-Saloon league a very heavy blow. For though the American people suffer rogues gladly, I do not believe that they admire liars. Destroy its liars and there would be little left of the prohibition movement save a small band of obvious fanatics.

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New York Holidays Crowded with Plays

By Burns Mantle.

NEW YORK.—[Special Correspondence.]—The play producers of this slightly mad theater center rather outdid themselves this week. They brought ten new plays to Broadway Monday night and are to follow with seven more between now and New Year's. There were so many first nighters promenading the Rialto that if there had been a high wind Times Square would have been fairly littered with high hats. As it was, the traffic jam was something terrible.

The choice of the first ten seemed to be George Kelly's "Behold the Bridegroom," the most seriously analytical character study this gifted and versatile young dramatist has yet produced. Herein he returns to the manner and something of the mood of his "Craig's Wife," but without the contrasting strains of Kelly laughter that lightened that drama.



JUDITH ANDERSON
plays the sad heroine in "Behold the Bridegroom."
[Ray Huff Photo.]

In "Behold the Bridegroom" he poses the problem of a sophisticated daughter of wealth who is brought suddenly face to face with the moral flabbiness of her soul and the complete emptiness of her life. She looks into the eyes of the one man she covets and knows that he holds her cheap.

As a result of this shattering revealment she falls into a lovesickness and physical decline. Neither the soul doctors nor the medics can help her. As a last resort they send for the embarrassed idol and he offers such understanding sympathy as he can. But the bridegroom comes too late, and the girl, stripped of her courage and all her illusions, dies in his arms.

Judith Anderson, recently returned from Australia, plays the heroine with all her inspiring command of feminine emotions. John Marston is the unhappy cause of the tragedy, and the cast includes Mary Servoss, Jean Dixon, Lester Vail, and Thurston Hall.

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Film Satires Miss the Mark.

Well, sir, the boys just don't seem to be able to stage the great motion picture satire they have been promising us for so long. They had two tries at it this week, and failed both times—once with "Los Angeles" and the second time with "The Love Nest."

I have an idea it is because their contempt for the fillums [you remember the picture magnate whose only two syllable word was fillum?], their contempt for the fillums and fillum folk is so great that they lose everything resembling an honest perspective.

Even so able a satirist as Robert Emmet Sherwood, whose "Road to Rome" is one of the smartest of the newer dramas, becomes crude and commonplace in his extravagant gibes at the pictures in his dramatization of Ring Lardner's "The Love Nest."

You will recall this as a short story in which the patient but rebellious wife of the great director, Lou Gregg, filled up on bourbon whisky one afternoon and told a moving picture critic exactly what she thought of the whole blessed show—including the pictures, Hollywood, her stuffed shirt and flabby minded husband, and the art that was no more than bunk with a bold faced B.

To make a play of the story Sherwood has added a first act showing the making of a picture, with the usual yes-men trailing the director, and the familiar rehearsal comedy that ceased being funny to this playgoer shortly after Shakespeare staged the drama of Pyramus and Thisbe.

The second act is the scene of the bawling out by the inebriated wife, tired of everything, including her job. Not her job as a wife, but as the "mistress of a baby ranch." She is the mother of three, and that, being foreign to the Hollywood tradition, is as near as "The Love Nest" story comes to novelty.

In an added third act the still excited but now sober wife turns on her puffball husband, lays him out, and then leaves for New York with her children, their French nurse and a sympathetic butler. The butler is supposed to be romantic as well as sympathetic, and to cherish a hope that he may some day marry Mrs. Gregg and her children. But in the playing he is about as romantic as an umbrella stand. A wet umbrella stand. So the love interest also goes for nothing.

The playing is good enough. June Walker, her old snappy brunette self after a year as the blonde gentlemen prefer, is the wife. She drinks her liquor easily and with convincing detail. Clyde Fillmore plays her director husband, and Paula Trueman submits a wicked caricature of a simpering lady movie critic.

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Nothing New About "Caste."

The eternal triangle is no more certain, the Cinderella theme no more common, than the matrimonial problem of romantic Jew and sentimental Gentile in the modern drama.

Shall the Jewish boy marry the Christian girl, despite the opposition of his parents and hers, or shall he not? Periodically the query is changed to put the question to the Jewish girl and her goy friend. [Goy, for the benefit of the Christian proofreader, being Yiddish for Gentile.] But the pattern of the drama remains the same.

Now we have Abie and Rose transferred to Park avenue and the upper social strata. The piece is called "Caste," a title Cosmo Hamilton, who wrote it, calmly lifted from an older drama.

Herein we find Jean Farquhar of the Dalbeatie Farquhars fearfully rich and as snobbish as the older Knickerbockers know how to be, meeting Max Lorbenstein, son of the Jacob Lorbensteins, also rich and a musical genius, on board an ocean liner bound for Europe.

They meet, they love, they decide their marriage was ordained in a heaven neither knows nor cares much about, and they proceed with their plans without thought of their respective families.

Then the Dalbeatie Farquhars trot over to Paris to protest and there meet the patriarchal Lorbenstein, who is even more distressed than they. The Farquhars are won over by the apparent sincerity of their daughter's passion for young Max, but the proud Jew will not yield.

Not, at least, until he visions his dead wife come down from her framed portrait to plead for the lovers. The play leaves papa patting the young folks' heads and giving them, the audience is pleased to assume, his blessing.

Mr. Hamilton is given to fancy dialogue and carefully posed scenes. And yet so provocative is this familiar theme, especially in New York, that his first audience was quite plainly held by his play. His argument is quite as sanely presented as it ever has been, from "The Merchant of Venice" to Galsworthy's "Loyalties."

Joe Weber has made the production in the Mansfield theater, of which, interestingly, his old eye-poking partner, Lew Fields, is lessee. He has been generous and wise. His actors include Horace Braham, playing Max; Vivian Martin as Jean, Winifred Kingston [Mrs. Dustin Farnum of the movies, they tell me] as the society mother, and Albert Bruning as the elder Lorbenstein.

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Germans Enact French Revolution.

The most impressive of the Reinhardt productions to date is that of "Danton's Tod." And not the least amusing incident of the German master's triumph with this tragedy is a scene in the revolutionary tribunal in which the mob of excited French patriots are supposed to sing the "Marseilles" with gusto. The Germans get through the battle song with some credit to their art, though it is mainly a mumbling of the words, but even nine years after the war's end the song threatens to choke a few of them.

Reinhardt, the master craftsman, is truly thrilling in this production. In the mass scenes he so deftly uses the lights and a crowd of probably a hundred players that the entire stage seems to swarm with revolutionists.

In the scene of Danton's trial before the tribunal, spec-

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This Thing and That Thing of the Theater

By Frederick Donaghey.

REASONS, rather than years, mark the divisions of show-business; so, there would be small sense in having a New-Year piece about it, or about the plays, or about the actors. Indeed, it is one of those Sundays when it seems best not to have a piece of more than a few lined about any one thing or person in the show-business; and a reason for its being one of those Sundays is that so many persons remained home last night, fearing that they might not be able to obtain adequate set-ups if they went to the places under observation by Mr. Yellowley and his hatchet-men. And here's more of the Socratic irony of true drama that seems to elude the scope of the theater for which men and women write plays: that a ruling meant to prevent persons for their own good from drinking in a few places ends in their drinking in many places for their own good. . . .



LEE BAKER
He's in the rôle of a heavy father in "The Squall."

Or, should a New-Year piece about show-business be regarded as fitting, I derive one from some authenticated figures concerning its mercantile aspects. Thus, it is told that there are but 600 theaters available for what are known as "legitimate shows"; whereas, it seems, there were 1,500 or more twelve years ago. There are seventy or fewer shows on tour now, if we don't count those engaged in try-out performances with a view of ascertaining if they be good enough for New-York—or, perhaps, Chicago. Moreover, of the seventy or fewer, a third or more are housed in but three cities—Chicago, Philadelphia, and Boston. . . . The figures seem paradoxical when considered against the fact that the cost of a seat is far higher than it was twelve years ago, that there are more theaters in all the large cities, and that the industry of putting on plays in New-York has been amplified about two hundred percent in that period in order that the seventy theaters in that city may be kept open.

The explanation varies with the person asked; and it doesn't seem to explain much. Movies, radio, box-office prices, the Eighteenth Amendment, ticket-brokers, cabaret-shows, and the unions: all are blamed by one or another of the persons who undertake to explain. New-York has movies, radio, high box-office prices, the Eighteenth, regiments and brigades of ticket-brokers, cabaret-shows, and the unions; and men smart enough to have made a great deal of money build new theaters there with such diligence and persistence that the taxi-drivers don't know where all of them are. . . . Then, I have the credible tale of a wise showman who recently booked a piece in one of the larger Indiana towns for a night. The audience represented $1,800 in tickets purchased at the box-office; and he lost $280 on the night. An $1,800 house for the same show twelve years ago would have given to him a net profit of $700, and the manager of the theater would have netted not less than $200.

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Letter Said to Contain a Vendible Jest.

SIR: I see by THE TRIBUNE of December 25 that back where you are something is already known of the Pawtucket (R. I.) illuminator who, saying the Prohibition Bureau had put the matter squarely up to him, ordered his meter-readers to snoop about private residences and report any reason they might have to suspect the presence or possession or punishment of hard-drink. So, I'm sending you a swell nifty—one that I could easily have sold for print down here. It is this: that the Prohibition Bureau, taking a hint from Mr. Insull, thinks that it can do it better with gas-men. . . . The reason I'm sending it to you is that the editors here to whom I submitted it didn't get the point, being of the belief that Mr. Insull was a tenor of the Civic Opera.

"The Trial of Mary Dugan" is a swell show! So is "The Mikado."

GABBY LA BRUNE.

New-York: December 27, 1927.

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Other Letters.

One, containing "all good-wishes" but not the writer's name, tells me I erred twice December 23: once in saying that, in Miss Barrymore's engaging and literate play, the wife leaves the husband for six months rather than for six weeks, and once in saying that the new stock-company in Evanston is in the Varsity Theater rather than in the Evanston Theater.

One, from T. R. Phillipps, says I erred December 26 in putting an extra *l* into the name of Miss Mary Philips, who is a good actress in "Two Girls Wanted," and sends the Cort's playbill as evidence.

One, from Mrs. James H. Ronald, asking why the Chicago newspapers "didn't encourage the Chicago public to support so charming a play as 'The Road to Rome,'" and adds the explanation that, although she "didn't get to see it in Miss Grace George's brief stay in town," she has been "assured by not fewer than twenty friends that it was one of the best things of the season."

One, from William L. Sheppard, tells me with indubitable sincerity that my writings for THE TRIBUNE are not to his liking, and sarcastically expresses the fear that his dislike of what I write may reside in his inability to understand it.

One, from Miss Kathryn L. Lewis, asks if it wouldn't be nice if THE TRIBUNE were "to inaugurate a movement to bring Professor Max Rheinstrom and his European players to Chicago," adding: "I feel certain that all the other newspapers would fall into line." . . . Doubtless, Miss Lewis! All any of them would require as an inducement would be some information as to Professor Max Rheinstrom.

Nine, from as many persons, complain of being compelled to pay more than the box-office price on theater tickets purchased from brokers. . . . Letters in the spirit of these nine simply tear my old heart to shreds with woe. I just hate to think of the compulsion to which theater-goers are subjected!

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Miscellany.

Page 10 in the Picture Section of this issue of THE TRIBUNE contains pictures of Miss Barrymore, Glenn Hunter, H. Reeves-Smith, Miss Ivy Sawyer, Miss Kay McHugh, Miss Nydia Westman, Donald Foster, Harry K. Morton, Miss Ernestyne Jeanne, and six dancing-girls of "A Night in Spain."

Miss Elsie Janis, who has been ill and abroad, is back in the two-a-day.

Theaters in Greater New-York bearing the name of the late Marcus Loew now number sixty! . . . David Warfield is said to owe the bulk of what is believed to be great wealth to his having been one of Loew's backers when the latter was trying to emerge from the nickel-movie game.

"The Trial of Mary Dugan"—regarding which I'm in rapt agreement with Miss Gabby le Brune—and "Saturday's Children" are soon to be staged in London. . . . So also is "Cock Robin," something new by the luckless Philip Barry which has just had its première in Boston.

The Theater Guild of New-York explains that it will be ready to do O'Neill's "Strange Interlude" the 23d, starting at 5:30 o'clock, and ending, it is hoped, "at 11:00 or thereabout." The audience will then have sat through nine acts, with time out for dinner. . . . George S. Kaufman, in today's New-York Times, indicates that the Guild is not to be responsible for the cost of dinner.

Music to Be Wafted on Ethereal Waves?

By Edward Moore.

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pany undertakes to present in the course of less than three months. In response, indirectly but eloquently, the company announces some new times for performances, adding a Wednesday matinée for this week.

It will be "Hänsel und Gretel," the Humperdinck opus of children and witch enchantments, strawberries and gingerbread. Lucille Meusel will be a new Gretel, Irene Pavloska the Hänsel, Augusta Lenska and Desiré Defrere the parents, Maria Claessens the witch, Anna Hamlin and Lorna Doone Jackson the Dewman and Sandman. Henry G. Weber will conduct and there will be a program of divertissements by the ballet after the opera.

Otherwise the company is resting on its oars, going through what is operatically a period of profound calm, for only one other opera will be brought out during the week and the rest are repetitions. This one is "Romeo and Juliet," wherein Charles Hackett and Edith Mason will sing the name parts. Other characters will be taken by Miss Pavloska, Cesare Formichi, Mr. Defrere, and Edouard Cotreuil. Giorgio Polacco will conduct.

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In Memory of Theodore Thomas.

The present week marks the twenty-third anniversary of the passing of Theodore Thomas, the distinguished founder of the Chicago Symphony orchestra.

It has been the custom during all these years for Director Frederick Stock and the orchestra under his command to pay tribute to the memory of his great predecessor by playing a memorial program on the first Friday afternoon and Saturday evening of the new year. This year will be no exception. Mr. Stock has arranged a program of music with the performances of which Theodore Thomas' name always will be associated in any history of music in Chicago—music which in its day was looked upon as modern (and received, perhaps, the same welcome as modern music does today), but which now classifies more or less as standard or popular.

The list Mr. Stock has prepared for the concerts to be given in Orchestra hall next Friday afternoon and Saturday evening includes Wagner's "A Faust Overture," Bruckner's Symphony No. 9 in D minor (unfinished), and the Richard Strauss Tone Poem, "Ein Heldenleben."

On Thursday afternoon at 3:45 o'clock the orchestra will be heard in the series A offering of the children's concerts, the performance to be given, as usual, in Orchestra hall (the series B repetition will take place two weeks later). The program includes the appearance of Pellegrino Lecce, the first horn of the orchestra, as soloist. He will play the Romanza from Mozart's Concerto for horn in E flat major. Other numbers on the program to be played by the orchestra and explained by Director Stock are the "Mignon" Overture of Thomas, the Allegro Con Grazia from Tschaikowsky's "Pathetic" Symphony, the Dukas Scherzo, "The Sorcerer's Apprentice," and Halvorsen's March of the Boyards. The song is "America, the Beautiful."

Other concerts to be given by the orchestra this week are in Milwaukee tomorrow evening and at the University of Chicago Tuesday afternoon.

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Mostly About Music.

Outside of the opera and the orchestra, the sum of musical events for the week totals four. The Little Symphony ensemble, conducted by George Dasch, will give its customary pair of programs at the Art institute at 3 and 4:15 o'clock this afternoon. The Smith-Spring-Holmes quintet will appear at the Hotel Windermere West tonight.

Zerline Muhlman Metzger will beat the Chicago Opera by two days through presenting "Hansel and Gretel" in English at the Goodman tomorrow afternoon. The participants, so far unknown to professional fame, will be Edith Kampel and Clel Berkson as the children, Fritz Metzger and Leah Wagner as the parents, and Fay Reisberg, Lillian Mangles, and Genevieve Deuerling as the nonhuman characters. There will be a ballet presentation by the Edna McRae dancers.

Claire Dux, the soprano, and Albert Spalding, the violinist, will make a joint appearance at the Auditorium Friday night, the proceeds of which will go to extend the work of the Infant Welfare society.

Maurice Ravel is due to land in New York on Friday of this week, ready for his country-wide tour under the auspices of the Pro-Musica society. He is announced here as pianist and guest conductor of the Chicago Symphony orchestra Jan. 20 and 21. Before that he will appear with the Boston Symphony orchestra and he will also give a program of his chamber works at the Gallo theater, New York, Jan. 15. Lisa Roma, American soprano, is to be his assisting artist in his recitals.

ROMEO



CHARLES HACKETT.
[De Guisbe Photo.]

He as Romeo and Edith Mason as Juliet will take the principal parts in the opera that was made out of Shakespeare's play and Gounod's music. Mr. Hackett and Miss Mason are both Americans, so it is logical to expect that the opera will be sung in French, as it will be.

The Opera

This afternoon — "Tosca," with Claudia Muzio, Fernand Anseau, Vanni-Marcoux, Vittorio Trevisan; conductor, Giorgio Polacco; followed by Maria Turieva, Vechslav Swoboda, and ballet.

Monday—"Tanhäuser," with Leone Kruse, Augusta Lenska, Forrest Lamont, Richard Bonelli, Alexander Kipnis; conductor, Henry G. Weber.

Tuesday—"Lucia di Lammermoor," with Toti dal Monte, Antonio Cortis, Luigi Montesanto; conductor, Polacco.

Wednesday afternoon—"Hansel and Gretel," with Lucille Meusel, Irene Pavloska, Augusta Lenska, Mari Claessens, Lorna Doone Jackson, Anna Hamlin, Desire Defrere; followed by ballet; conductor, Henry G. Weber.

Wednesday night—"Monna Vanna," with Mary Garden, Ansseau, Vanni-Marcoux, Edouard Cotreuil; conductor, Roberto Moranzoni.

Thursday—"Il Trovatore," with Muzio, Cyrena Van Gordon, Charles Marshall, Bonelli, Chase Baromeo; conductor, Weber.

Friday—No performance.

Saturday afternoon—"Romeo and Juliet," with Edith Mason, Pavloska, Charles Hackett, Cesare Formichi, Defrere, Cotreuil; conductor, Polacco.

Saturday night—"Rigoletto," with Dal Monte, Cortis, Bonelli, Baromeo; conductor, Weber.

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"The Mask and the F... Goodman Memorial: a co... the Italian of Luigi Chi... which a great deal was ... praise by the newspapers ... on the occasion of its bein... here. The play is new ... but it was acted in 1924 i... where William Faversh... principal rôle. That it ... cessful there is believed ... save been due to the f... performance was hurriedl... pletely prepared, owing ... agement's desire to hurr... public before another ... be made ready by a rival ... the American rights. ... man, an English play... here, will have the part a... York by Mr. Faversham, ... tomorrow night.

"Two Girls Wanted" ... a comedy by Gladys Ung... chell Smith, with Miss ... man, Miss Mary Philips... Foster. This piece had a... than nine months in New... Second week.

"The Squall" in the A... by Jean Bart, with ... Yurka. This one rounde... in New York. . . . Sec...

"The Good Bad Wom... Central: a play by William... And this one was shut ... York by request of the ... Second week.

Miss Ethel Barrymore ... stant Wife" in the Harr... comedy by W. Somers... wherein this actress has ... ular conveyance since "... Aubrey Smith has the p... rôle. . . . Second week.

Mrs. Fiske, Otis Skin... Henrietta Crosman in ... Wives of Windsor" in ... the veteran stars in a re... spere's farce about Falst... worth seeing. Mrs. Fis... Mrs. Page, and Miss Cr... Ford. . . . Second w...

Fred and Miss Doro... "Criss Cross" in the ... long-popular clown an... daughter in a show fash... talents of both in view. ... week.

Glenn Hunter in ... Dreamer!" in the Black... edy based by Fulton O... brey Kennedy on the ... named story. Miss Eli... making her first appear... the run of "The Miracle ... A. Wise are of the cast. ... week.

"Mr. Pim Passes By" ... baker: A. A. Milne's co... by Mrs. Insull. . . . ... final week.

"Murray Hill," with ... Tobin, in the Princess ... light farce by Lealie ... Sixth and final week.

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Now and to Come in Chicago Theaters

THIS is the calendar for the Chicago theaters as indicated by the resident-managers down to midnight of Friday last. Change of plans since last Sunday's issue has been made with respect to some of the houses:

"The Mask and the Face" in the Goodman Memorial: a comedy from the Italian of Luigi Chiarelli about which a great deal was printed in praise by the newspapers of London on the occasion of its being performed there. The play is new in Chicago; but it was acted in 1924 in New York, where William Faversham had the principal rôle. That it was not successful there is believed by some to have been due to the fact that the performance was hurriedly and incompletely prepared, owing to the management's desire to hurry it to the public before another version could be made ready by a rival claimant of the American rights. William Hallman, an English player unknown here, will have the part acted in New York by Mr. Faversham. . . . Opens tomorrow night.

"Two Girls Wanted" in the Cort: a comedy by Gladys Unger and Winchell Smith, with Miss Nydia Westman, Miss Mary Philips, and Donald Foster. This piece had a run of more than nine months in New York. . . . Second week.

"The Squall" in the Adelphi: a play by Jean Bart, with Miss Blanche Yurka. This one rounded out a year in New York. . . . Second week.

"The Good Bad-Woman" in the Central: a play by William J. McNally. And this one was shut down in New York by request of the police. . . . Second week.

Miss Ethel Barrymore in "The Constant Wife" in the Harris: a brilliant comedy by W. Somerset Maugham wherein this actress has her most popular conveyance since "Déclassée." C. Aubrey Smith has the principal man's rôle. . . . Second week.

Mrs. Fiske, Otis Skinner, and Miss Henrietta Crosman in "The Merry Wives of Windsor" in the Illinois: the veteran stars in a revival of Shakspere's farce about Falstaff that is well worth seeing. Mrs. Fiske is cast as Mrs. Page, and Miss Crosman as Mrs. Ford. . . . Second week.

Fred and Miss Dorothy Stone in "Criss Cross" in the Erlanger; the long-popular clown and his lovely daughter in a show fashioned with the talents of both in view. . . . Second week.

Glenn Hunter in "Behold This Dreamer!" in the Blackstone: a comedy based by Fulton Oursler and Aubrey Kennedy on the former's like-named story. Miss Elinor Patterson, making her first appearance here since the run of "The Miracle," and Thomas A. Wise are of the cast. . . . Second week.

"Mr. Pim Passes By" in the Studebaker: A. A. Milne's comedy in revival by Mrs. Insull. . . . Fourth and final week.

"Murray Hill," with Miss Genevieve Tobin, in the Princess: a merry and light farce by Leslie Howard. . . . Sixth and final week.

"A Night in Spain" in the Four Cohans: a funny show from the New York Winter Garden, with Miss Marion Harris, Ted Healy, and Phil Baker heading the long roster of performers. . . . Sixth week.

"Countess Maritza" in the Olympic: an operetta by Kalman, who has provided a lovely score. Walter Woolf, Miss Gladys Baxter, Miss Odette Myrtil, Harry K. Morton, and George Dobbs are of the cast. . . . Ninth and final week.

"Hit the Deck!" in the Woods: a song-and-dance comedy with tunes by Vincent Youmans, composer of "No! No, Nanette!" Miss Queenie Smith, Charles Purcell, and Miss Trixie Friganza are in the principal rôles. . . . Ninth week.

"Broadway" in the Selwyn: a wow of a piece about bootleggers, joint-owners, tam hoofers, chorus-girls, murders, double-crossings, revenges, and other things. . . . Sixteenth week.

"The Desert-Song" in the Great Northern. . . . Eighteenth week.

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Impending.

Joseph Santley, Raymond Hitchcock, Miss Ivy Sawyer, Mrs. Whiffin, Eric Blore, H. Reeves-Smith, et al. in "Just Fancy!" in the Olympic. . . . Opens January 8.

"It Makes a Difference" in the Princess: a play by Hugh Ford and Edward Stanley, with Kenneth Mackenna, Miss Maye Methot, and Miss Thais Lawton. . . . Opens January 15.

Earl Carroll's Vanities in the Illinois: fourth show under this name to be seen in Chicago. Moran and Mack, Julius Tannen, and Johnny Dooley are in it. . . . Opens January 22.

F. D.

In Hollywood

Hollywood, Cal.

For the filming of a South Sea picture plenty of quinine and canned goods looms as more important than the selection of a "right type" lead. At least that was the situation with Robert Flaherty, W. S. VanDyke and a company of cameramen and technicians who sailed for Papeete. Two kegs of quinine, enough trade goods to stock a grocery, 300,000 feet of unexposed film, and five cameras were items chosen by Flaherty before the crew sailed. They expected to shoot some of their picture, "Southern Skies," in interior Samoa. Flaherty, is to keep in touch with his parent studio, Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, by wireless and do a lot of exploring for locations in the southern archipelago before his second expedition, containing male and female leads and other as yet uncast actors, leaves the Los Angeles docks.

Again proving that a laugh pays dividends, George K. Arthur has just paid $61,000 for a new ten room two story Spanish style home on a crest in Beverly.

ONE'S SEASONED, AND ONE'S NEW



MISS DOROTHY RAYMOND — MISS MARY JANE HERRING

MISS RAYMOND was the actress of the cantor's wife in last season's performances in the Harris of "The Jazz-Singer"; and it may be recalled that at the time her acting was the theme of high and warm laudation by Mr. Donaghey. Inquiry as to her brought the information that she is Russian by nativity. . . . She comes to the Goodman Memorial to take part in "The Mask and the Face." It may be remembered that she was announced to take part there last season in "Ghosts," and that the play wasn't given.

Miss Herring is from Hinsdale, nearby, and is in "Behold This Dreamer!" appearing briefly in Act I. This is her first "professional" engagement; but she is said to be in high favor with those who have heard her as a reader and elocutionist.

10 YEARS AGO in Chicago's THEATERS

(From The Sunday Tribune of Jan. 6, 1918.)

DAVID WARFIELD'S engagement in "The Music Master" will begin Jan. 21 at Powers' with Miss Marie Bates, William Boag, Miss Eleanor Barry, Miss Hazel Lowry, and others in the cast. On the same evening Mrs. Fiske will reach the Blackstone in "Madame Sand," which, though onerously praised by the newspapers in New York, did not last very long.

The playbill of Raymond Hitchcock's new revue, "Words and Music," ascribed the libretto to Shakespeare and the score to Beethoven. So many persons believed the stated authorship to be true that attendance was threatened, and Glen Macdonough and Jean Schwartz were forced to abandon their imposing pseudonyms.

In Atlantic City the other night Sydney Rosenfield, author of "Under Pressure," announced that his plans were to make Chicago a center of theatrical production, with an organization similar to that of Augustin Daly. He said it in what the dispatches described as a witty address.

Mrs. Janis indites an exasperated and geneological protest against the inuendoes that she and Miss Elsie are German, just because Bierbower happens to be their patronymic. Sir Charles B. Oldham of Oldham, England, was Mrs. Janis' granddad, says she, and the late Senator Cockrell of Missouri was her first cousin, once removed. As for the Bierbowers, they came to America before the revolution and number among themselves such celebrities as a lieutenant governor of Idaho and a professor in the hospitable University of Chicago.

Klaw and Erlanger will cause another effort to be made to establish Miss Phyllis Nielson-Terry as a star in America. "Maggie" is the play's name, Edward Peple is its author, and a handsome Irish laundress is its leading character.

Mr. Mantel writes that "in imitation drama of the 'Happiness' type Miss Laurette Taylor's art is wasted. More's the pity." Miss Taylor's rôle is that of errand girl to a fashionable sempstress, delivering modes at $6 the week and retaining her purity. The time is the present and the place New York.

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20 YEARS AGO

(From The Sunday Tribune of Dec. 30, 1907.)

In Powers' theater tomorrow evening Guy Standing, Theodore Roberts, and a supporting company said to be of even excellence, will give the first local performance of "The Right of Way," a dramatization of Sir Gilbert Parker's book made by Eugene Fresbrey and originally produced in New York with considerable success.

Starting with the matinee today, the Great Northern offers as a New Year's week attraction Sam Chip and Mary Marble in Joe Weber's production of "Dream City," seen last season at the Garrick.

"Convict 909" begins a week's engagement at the Academy with the Sunday matinee. The melodrama is said to have been originally written as a protest against circumstantial evidence. Its plot deals with the arrest and conviction of a soldier accused of a crime without tangible proof against him.

Mabel Morrison believes she is able to play Rachel Neve, the wronged girl in "The Hypocrites," with great delicacy of feeling, because in private life she is the wife of Richard Bennett, the curate hero, and the mother of two charming little girls. Miss Morrison thoroughly agrees with the statement, credited to the late Adelaide Neilson, "that in order to portray any part understandingly one must have lived and suffered."

Constance Crawley, a gifted English actress who came to Chicago as a member of the Ben Greet company, and has since become a star, is to return next month, and plans to give a performance of Maeterlinck's "Pelleas and Melisande," which she has been playing successfully on the Pacific coast and through the southwest. She also has Ibsen's "Hedda Gabler," D'Annunzio's "Gioconda," and Bjornson's "Beyond Human Power" in her répertoire.

MOVING UP



MILTON WATSON

He's in "The Desert-Song," although he wasn't in it when, early in September, the run started in the Great Northern. Mr. Watson was, it seems, what is known in the trade as "one of Paul Ash's lads"; and it was his singing in Mr. Ash's didos that made him seem a good man for the operetta.

New York Holidays Crowded with Plays

By Burns Mantle.

[Continued from page one.]

tators are seated tier on tier on three sides of the stage, facing the prisoner's pen in the foreground center. Other actors are scattered through the audience, in the gallery boxes, back of the balcony, in an improvised orchestra loft. During the scene these actors also take part in the dialogue, responding on cue, and drawing the audience itself into the action more successfully than I have ever seen it done before.

It is this scene that is the high point of the production. Paul Hartmann, a favorite Reinhardt actor who has been blanketed up till now by the more famous Moissi, has his chance as Danton.

He is a big man and a fine actor. His defiance of his enemies in this scene, his gradual domination of the hostile crowd, his bellowing laughter at the flimsy charges the fanatical Robespierre has made against him are electrically effective. They set the audience cheering quite hysterically the opening night.

The Reinhardt business has held up rather surprisingly through the holidays. He is to play another week at the Century and then bring his company down to the Lyceum to show what he, and they, can do with the more intimate plays of the répertoire.

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Irish Move Up.

The Irish players have moved up to the Gallo theater, a huge new playhouse built in 54th street by the promoter of the San Carlo Opera company, and shortly to be used for the first season of the American Opera company, singing in English. Here the Irish are playing Sean O'Casey's "Juno and the Paycock," which was briefly unsuccessful here a year ago with Augustin Duncan in the chief rôle. The Sinclair-Allgood company get much more from it than the Duncan players did.

The drama flourishes in bulk but not in quality. Among the other recent arrivals are a first play by Virginia Farmer called "Spring Song." In this a lady pianist agrees to finance the career of a small town sculptor if he will live with her and be her love. The boy repulses her at first, but after two years of marriage with his small-town ideal thinks better of the plan. He wins success as a sculptor but tires of his mistress and returns to his wife. Which leads the piano lady to discover that she only wanted to love him as a mother, anyway.

Olga Petrova is back with a play of her own composition called "What Do We Know?" The answer being, I gather, not a doggone thing.

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Send us a letter telling which play stands out in your memory as the best you have ever seen, stating briefly why it made such a hit with you. The Tribune will pay $1 for every letter printed. Address Best Plays, Chicago Tribune.

Unforgettable.

Eugene O'Neil's "Desire Under the Elms" left a most vivid impression on my mind. It portrayed life in the raw, and I still shiver as I think of the two brothers getting up at four o'clock in the winter morning to milk the cows, with no inspiration in life greater than eating, sleeping, and drinking "corn likker." The pathetic old man, wondering what it was all about," and the restless youth who did not know what he wanted—I shall never forget them or that play.

M. N.

A Hilarious Comedy.

"Mr. Pim Passes By" is the best play I have ever seen because it is a jolly, healthy comedy; i. e., it provides spontaneous, whole-hearted laughter. Mr. Pim teaches us the value of a sense of humor when it comes to failing memory—how to forget scientifically.

Richard Carlyle's portrayal of Mr. Pim is rich. When you think that you are laughing at him you are having fun with yourself, for the old man is full of chuckles.

Mr. Pim gave me a shrieking good time. He remembered correctly and incorrectly and wasn't certain that he remembered. As a hilarious comedy I shall never forget it.

L. J.

"Blossom Time."

The play that lingers in my memory is the opretta "Blossom Time," portraying a part of the life of the young composer Franz Schubert, particularly of his love for one of his pupils.

The play was clean, full of laughter, and, most of all, beautiful melodies. The duets of "My Song of Love" and "Tell Me, Daisy," between Franz and Mitzi, will never be forgotten. The suspicious count and papa will never know how well they are remembered.

The climax where the hidden chorus sings Schubert's "Ave Maria" and then "You Are My Song of Love," sung by the entire chorus, was beautiful beyond compare.

Though I've seen "Blossom Time" five times I'll see it again if it comes to Chicago.

E. F.

Hard to Equal.

Extravagant, daring, full of witty lines, and containing (if you except some of the scenes from "The Miracle") probably the best pantomime in recent years, Kaufman's and Connolly's "Beggar on Horseback" as performed in Chicago about three years ago has been my favorite play to date. The part of the poor Bohemian artist who was about to marry money was superbly done by Roland Young, and Kay Johnson was capable as the "girl across the hall" whom he really loved.

The fantastic dream in which he foresaw what would happen to him if he married the rich girl was staged in just the deft and shifting manner that a real dream comes and goes—the exaggerated characters, the sudden appearance of courtroom and jury, etc.

There was real comedy in the old lady who rocked and rocked until he had to kill her in his dream, and the interpolated pantomime showed lovely Greta Nissen at her loveliest—far better than she has ever been in films.

A. M.

$5 FOR WAR VETS.

AttenSHUN, Ex-Service Men! Where were you ten years ago? Whom were you fighting, or what devilry were you up to? Were you mixed up in any of the world war scenes depicted in today's Rotogravure Picture section?

The Tribune will pay $5 for every soldier's, sailor's, or marine's published letter of not more than 300 words and dealing with 1918 service reminiscences.

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Parlez vous? Then put your words on paper and address War Letters, Chicago Tribune.

ART AND ARTISTS

Hawthorne Speaks for the Simple Soul

By Eleanor Jewett.

THE first impression which the paintings of Charles W. Hawthorne make upon you, those paintings which hang in the first of the east wing galleries of the Art institute, is of tragedy. Suffering, patience, pathos, fear that is based on doubt, the doubt of winds and weather, and sea, these elements are woven into every inch of canvas. Even the little girls are really women, brought up under the relentless shadow of what might happen. The sea was a capricious mistress in the days of sailing vessels and her whims have not yet been entirely suppressed by steam and engine.

The sea and its rulers; the captains, first mates, and cooks; the fishermen, the wives on shore; the children putting the lamp in the window; an epic of valor to the Atlantic seaboard—Hawthorne does it over and over. Back of his portraits of sailors loom dark skies, shadowed and crossed by suggested sails, weather-beaten and worn by winds. Back of his "Captain's Wife," a sadly confident woman in widow's black, a sail is half-realized.

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Salty Friends.

Figures from the novels of Joseph L. Lincoln flit through our memory as we look at "Selectmen of Provincetown" and the one or two other similar groupings. They are homely, real, and essentially Cape Codish. They are splendid. A genial neighbor across the way is the gallant fisherman with his catch, a huge sea fish which he displays before him.

And we go from these salty friends only a few times. There is a charming, naif portrait of Thomas Arkle Clark, "Tommy Arkle" to his hosts of loving boys from the Illinois university campus; and there is the charming group of baby with its dusky nurse and the mother in white with her friend in scarlet, all set against a vivid blue sky, almost the only light background in the room.

Altogether, the impression is one of force, of true Americanism, of sincere craftsmanship. The paintings do not particularly inspire one, do not at all bore one, but do immensely interest one. Here, you feel, is a painter doing for us what some our writers are doing today—putting the American character and characteristics upon legible pages. Here is a spokesman for the simple man.

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Paintings by E. Martin Hennings.

From this gallery one way leads into a room where hang paintings by E. Martin Hennings. Directly down the room as you enter it there is a group of eight small pictures, four on one side of the door and four on the other. These are exquisite. They are as near perfect as cut diamonds. Each is a jewel, polished, finished, beautifully done.

The larger paintings have a great deal of beauty about them, but to my mind they lack sunshine and, in a subtle way, life. They are rather cold and leave the visitor cold. They are like



"SAN GIORGIO," by Oliver Dennett Grover, in the Memorial exhibition of Mr. Grover's paintings which opened last Tuesday in the east wing galleries of the Art institute. Among the other new exhibits, all of which will continue through January, are paintings by E. Martin Hennings, Charles W. Hawthorne, and a group of Munich painters, and sculpture by Alfeo Faggi.

notes on a journey, when the traveler is too busy with first impressions to allow the significance of what he is seeing to sink into his mind and take root in his soul. Love is absent. Passion is absent. Clear vision is left. Good painting is left. But the magic of feeling which alone can weld a picture into a whole, is not there. Were Mr. Hennings to live in that land of market squares and cobbled streets, slow canals and indolent guitar players, then might we see as inspiring painting as came from his brush when he made New Mexico his own. Meanwhile the eight little pictures make a visit to his exhibit a thousand times worth while.

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Examples of German Art.

Going on rather hastily, next comes a large gallery filled with examples of modern German art. Some forty painters from Munich have done their best and it is shown here. There is some very good work here, and much not so good. There is surprisingly little that is odd. Evidently, if one may judge by this exhibition, German artists have thrown over the strange gods of the isms. They are painting again in a straightforward manner, telling a story, realizing a moment, giving us just a scrap of prettiness.

At the door is a good painting of a riding-ring with a white horse being schooled. Next to it hangs a beautiful canvas showing a park with deer. Next comes a rather weird impression of cows in a meadow by a stream. They are huge creatures and they and their reflections are blurred until the effect is such that the visitor feels he needs glasses or a rail to hang to; the world is going dizzy.

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All Sorts of Pictures.

Next is a charming interior and then a spectacular war scene, which is picked up again in a succeeding canvas. And there are paintings of sheep in the fold, and of entirely human and adorable cherubs, and of mountains with snow, and a marvelous "strictly fresh" plucked fowl, its bare skin a cold reproach to appetite, and there are riders on bridle paths, excellently done, and a gay scene by a race course where jockeys are walking their mounts in the paddock.

There is a saturnine portrait of a dark young man and an amusing note of comedy in a huntswoman with a popgun and a running dog, the woman [not the dog] turning an interrogative face up toward you; there is a typical German landscape of the old fashioned type; there is a dark Salome about to behead poor John; there is an angular and angling interior occupied by a seated girl whose body is composed of angles that edge off into square-angled chairs and pillows and pictures and walls; there is a wild and confusedly symbolic war god fleeing in a whirling flight of gulls; there are two nude men struggling on an open street, with the prize, a girl, also nude, waiting, shivering and weeping, close by.

In short there are all sorts of pictures and all sorts of subjects making up this German show. Among the best are some portraits, one very likeable one of a priest to be especially noted, and, in the last long hall of the galleries, a fine mountain scene with the snow white against the black rock where it is cleft, and a particularly cleverly painted still life with a peeled orange, a glass of water and a little bowl of fragrant violets.

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Mystical Pictures.

Boris Anisfeld has a large room devoted to his paintings. They are somewhat mystical and a little symbolic. Some of them are decorative and some are startling. There is a beautiful portrait of a woman in black, an odd portrait of himself with a sunflower. There is a decidedly queer and elusive canvas showing fruit trees in blossom, the white tops being supported underground by bodies wrapped in white robes. Something is here. Is it that Mr. Anisfeld is putting into color a truly Russian sentiment which we might word, "Dead bodies bear these blossoms up"—and is he suggesting that out of corruption comes immortality?

Lines from the play, "Behold This Dreamer," come to mind as you realize that here is a profound interest in color as color and not at all as form. There is color and then more color, fitted in about the most incongruous compositions. Stags, a Buddha god, a bowl of glorious red apples, and then the most vivid and succulent green that eye can imagine, a green so penetratingly beautiful that it wrings your heart with a momentary pain. That is Boris Anisfeld. A cut of beauty and then wait a bit.

Time and space press and for the other four artists whose exhibits also opened last Tuesday at the Art institute it is best to wait until next Sunday before summing them up. The artists are [and their exhibits are among the most brilliant] Alfeo Faggi, Oliver Dennett Grover, Ernest L. Blumenschein, and Serge Sudaykin.

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About the Institute.

The play for children which is now being given in the Goodman theater on Thursday and Saturday afternoons is the "Topaz Amulet." This was originally written by Thomas Wood Stevens and Wallace Rice, but it has been taken and changed about and remade by members of Mr. Stevens' company of players until now it is a capital bit of entertainment for the youngsters who are flocking to their matinees. The next play to be put on for the children is "Teller of Tales," an Arabian Nights enterprise written by Muriel Brown.

Beatrice S. Levy, a graduate of the Art Institute school, some of whose etchings are in the permanent collection of the Art institute, has just returned to Chicago from an extensive tour in Europe. She and her mother have been to Spain, and France, and Italy.

"The Mask and the Face" is the new play for grown-ups which will open tomorrow evening at the Goodman theater. It is said to be extremely funny and very well played.

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News of Art and Artists.

The Union League club announced Friday the members of the jury of award who will select the prize paintings in the exhibition and competition being conducted by the club. The painting must be suitable to hang in a high school and deal, probably, with Washington. The artist must be not over 30 years of age. The exhibit will run from Jan. 3 to Jan. 12. Paintings should have been in Friday at the latest.

Among the members of the jury of award are Pauline Palmer, Allen Philbrick, Paul Schulze, Frank L. Morse, Mrs. Nellie Osgood and William B. Mundie. Five purchase prizes of $100 are offered.

At the Palette and Chisel club there is now a stunning exhibit of paintings by John A. Spelman and of etchings by Leon R. Pescheret. The exhibition will continue through Jan. 15.

The Fullerton hall lecture this Tuesday will be given by Ralph M. Pearson on "What Is Modern Art?" The lecture will be illustrated by material from the Birch-Bartlett collection of paintings at the Art institute.

WHAT ARE THE WILD WIRES SAYING?

Your Voice Reveals Your Character O'er the Telephone

By Archer Wall Douglas.

THE study of the voice as revealing character is not a new pursuit, but not long ago a new phase of it suddenly became manifest to me.

I was busily engaged in dictating when I was called to the phone. A woman's voice requested a brief interview that she might submit an interesting business proposition. I assented, and dictated to my stenographer the vision that appeared to me over the telephone wire. It was that of a beautiful young woman of medium height, dressed in good taste. She had blue eyes, fluffy, brown hair, a fine complexion, beautiful teeth, with a most fascinating smile. She strongly resembled her mother, both in looks and temperament.

My stenographer made no comment, but was obviously of the opinion that my mind was wandering. A quarter of an hour later the office door opened, and there entered a young woman of whom the description was a faithful photograph.

BETRAYED BY SPEECH

Such was my first, though not my last, experience in seeking to analyze the temperament and to visualize the appearance of a person whom I have never seen, merely by talking to such a one over the phone. The temperament analysis is far more difficult than in a face-to-face conversation, where you have the additional aid of the play of the countenance, the various mannerisms, and the style of the costume.

That the young woman came from the south was obvious. For it is as true now as in the days of Simon Peter of Galilee that our "speeech betrayeth us" as to the place of our nativity and of residence. There are those who can tell from the voice as to what state one hails from. I have never attained to such discrimination.

Her voice was of that eternal feminine quality that she could inherit only from her mother, and it was obvious that the inheritance also included her temperament. There likewise was the tone of culture that accounted for her fitting costume. There was in her speech a certain definiteness and elemental simplicity that mark one who has spent some portion of youthful days in the naturalness and realities of life in the small town or on the countryside.

ENVIRONMENT

There also was lacking the superficial polish and the thinly veiled conventional, suave tones of the great city. This trait of the elemental environment of early days always perseveres in the voice in after life, no matter what the experiences and pursuits of the individual. I have detected it immediately in all sorts and conditions of men, though not so readily in women. For the latter seem to shed the early garb of speech and to assume the costumes of the tones of new environment far more readily than does the male of the species.

I recall one particular instance of a distinguished scholar and speaker in a large eastern university. I called up to make an engagement with him on the occasion of my first visit there. He was much surprised when, after the exchange of a few words, I asked him what small town was his early abode. Often I am asked how I account for seeing the personal appearance of the speaker at the other end of the phone wire. To this query I have never been able to make a complete answer, for I have no consciousness of summoning spirits from the vast deep. Nor can it be done by taking thought, nor by definite divination. The vision comes with the first tones of the speaker, and does not change in any manner or degree during our conversation. It varies much in definiteness, and without any rhyme or reason with which I am familiar.

HER REPLICA

A distinct appearance was that of a ravishing young girl such as in the past upset empires and altered the lives of "hard boiled" conquerors such as Mark Antony and Julius Caesar. She had long, black hair, large dark eyes, rather wide apart, a brilliant complexion, and a beautiful figure. Her voice was of that liquid quality that hinted at a tropical inheritance, as I afterwards found to be the case. The voice was simply a replica of the girl, and also revealed her rather modest consciousness of her engaging appearance. I knew her to be a stenographer and concluded that she was a capable and willing one, with much loyalty to her employer and with unfailing good nature. All of which I afterwards verified.

An entirely different instance was that of a sister in an Episcopal order who was a nurse in a hospital. Her voice was heavy and slow moving, without imagination, but of a nature that indicated her extreme humility, and gave further evidence that nursing was her vocation and not just a job. She had a large, full mouth, and heavy brows, but with a sympathy and understanding in her eyes that made up for an otherwise homely face. Her sister stood by me as I talked, and confirmed my analysis when the conversation was over.



A woman's voice requested a brief interview.

GAZING UPON MASKS

One man had bright eyes that took in everything, and he walked with a rolling gait which proclaimed his having been a sailor. He had an ingratiating smile, which disclosed good teeth. Also, he wore glasses. Curiously enough, people with this disposition are apt to have good teeth and smile more frequently than those who have not.

Not infrequently there are revealed extraneous matters which have no connection whatever with the voice. One man walked lame in his right leg. Another smoked a cigar, and wore a gray overcoat, as he talked to me over the phone. A third carried a cane, which he swung vigorously as he walked.

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[Mr. Douglas' fascinating study of hidden voices will be concluded next Sunday.]



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America Stars in Modernist Concert

By Alfred Frankenstein,

NEW YORK. — [Special Correspondence.]—At the New School for Social Research, where new schools in science and the arts and ideas in general are expounded with stimulating and amusing results, Aaron Copland and Edgar Varese are directing a course of concerts of new music. They opened with a program they called a cross-section of modern music, in which, for once, the Americans carried off the honors. Two native composers were represented, Henry Cowell, the famous piano smasher, and Copland himself. Next to these two, Krenek, Hindemith, Ravel, and Stravinsky sounded singularly dull.

Cowell is a pianist who not only plays upon the instrument, but also plays with it. Doubtless you know him as the man who depresses gobs of octaves with his fists, elbows, and forearms. He does this to produce what he calls "tone clusters." To define a tone cluster, sit on the keyboard and listen to what happens. Because Cowell puts such amazing material as this to disciplined purposes, various musical wise guys have attempted to work clusters into harmonic theory, police them, lay down traffic rules for their movement.

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Three in One.

But if they had listened to the composer play at the New School they would have seen and heard him stand at the side of the piano and rub his hands over the strings for the entire length of a composition. They would have heard him pluck the wires. They might have sensed through the music the ideas of Henry Cowell phrasing themselves something like this:

The piano is a drum and a harp and a violin all in one. It can be bowed, even if the bow is nothing but an unrested hand. The result will be sounds of eerie windstorms and banshees crying. It can be plucked, and we can hear sounds of unearthly guitars. And if we hit it only with our fingertips we get from it only a little of the roars and grunts and clashing noises it is capable of giving. A whole new world of tonal colors, of unequaled savagery, and unparalleled mystery lies in the strings and keys of a modern piano.

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Jazz Plus.

Copland's contributions consisted of a nocturne and serenade for violin and piano played by himself and Barbara Lull. The latter composition drew a huge hand, for it is "jazz plus, super-jazz written by a son who did not have to stoop from his pedestal to write it. Jazz seems Copland's native language, but his mastery of modern harmony adds an immense amount of steam to his productions and puts them miles above those of Tin Pan alley. If only Whiteman's arranger would study with Schoenberg—but I suppose the dancers must be considered.

Mr. Copland and Miss Lull also played a concerto by Krenek, with which they had more fun than the audience, and a group of pieces by Anton von Webern, in which enjoyment was mutual. These are strange little things. The violin scarcely seems to play. Miss Lull seemed to be tuning in some ridiculous way. Every time Mr. Copland got going the piece was over. From both instruments the sound waves went out in the shape of question marks.

There was junk by Stravinsky, a little ditty by Ravel, and a fragment of a monumental song cycle by Hindemith, about which words can wait until it is sung in full.

A few days prior to the uncovering of the new, refurbished version of Gounod's "Faust" to be presented by the American Opera company, the Schola Cantorum comes across with the "Damnation of Faust," which has not been heard for so long that its existence is almost legendary.

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Music Notes

Paderewski has returned to America and on Tuesday will play the first item of a transcontinental tour, his first in two years. It will take place in New Rochelle, N. Y., followed by one in Orange, N. J., on Thursday.

Bernardino Molinari is another foreign visitor this season. He has been for several years the conductor of the Augusteo orchestra of Rome, but this season he will divide his time between the St. Louis Symphony orchestra and The New York Philharmonic.

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Sammy—I can't sit down. I just told daddy a story. H. A. C.

Meet Mr. Pending.

"Hey, any of you fellows lose a wrench?"

"Yea, me."

"What's your name?"

"Mike Conners."

"You ain't the guy. This wrench belongs to Pat. Pending. His name's on it." A. T. J.

Sooner or Later.

Mrs. R's husband died about six months before our new minister came to Chicago. She went often to the cemetery to visit his grave. One day, as she was returning from one of these visits, she met our pastor. He was very friendly.

In the course of their conversation Mrs. R said, "I have just been out to Rosehill."

"O," said the minister, "are you thinking of locating there?"

"Yes," said she, "eventually." B. M. L.

Two Too Many.

After coming in from a twenty mile hike the officer in command of a Negro company said, before dismissing them: "I want all the men who are too tired to make another hike to take two paces forward."

All stepped forward except one husky six footer. Noticing him, the officer said: "Well, Johnson, ready for twenty miles more?"

"No, sah," replied Johnson, "Ah'm too tired even to take dem two steps." S. B. H.

Voice of the Movie Fan

A Sweet Letter to Receive.

Dear Miss Mae: This is my second letter to you, but I like to write to you. Don't know why, but I do. Do you know, I have another "ideal" now. It isn't Richard Dix any more, and that's not saying I don't still adore Richard, but my other one now is just adorable. He played with Ronald Colman in "Beau Geste." The one with those wonderful dreamy eyes—no other than Ralph Forbes. I must say he is marvelous, and I think his acting is coming along finely.

Your columns are certainly inspiring, Miss Mae, and after I read them in the morning I feel so happy because I have a new movie to attend. I say a new movie to attend because your columns have me all keyed up as to the conclusion of them. When I was a senior in school we had the same principle as yours, and so I wrote one based on your ideas of "Good Morning; How are you today?" and as a conclusion, "See you tomorrow." I received a high grade on that article and had the paper read to the whole class. Yes, O my yes, I was so proud. Do you see, Miss Mae, how you made one little girl feel honored for a whole day—maybe for a week, because I talked about it for quite a while.

Keep up your cheerful work.

PEGGY."

Editor's Note: Peggy, dear—I wonder if I have ever made you feel as "honored" as you have me by this letter! It isn't nice to print compliments of one's self, but I don't care. Here's your—and I thank you!

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Praise for "Seventh Heaven."

Dear Miss Tinée: A great motion picture! "Seventh Heaven" has been told with an artist's touch and the charmingly simple understanding of two humble lovers.

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Who can fail to exclaim, "Dieu, Chico! Ciel." Admirer.

Editor's Note: Who, indeed!

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In Deference to Gangland.

Dear Miss Tinée: It certainly makes me laugh when I read in the papers that the Chicago police had made the Roosevelt theater take down a sign advertising "Underworld" as "Chicago's Gangland."

Who doubts but it is a reproduction of our civic institution, the greatest in the world? It tells nothing about Chicago that the Chicago newspapers have not told many times, and it shows how unbeatable the law is. Teddy Wise escaped from jail just ahead of the execution, just as "Bull" Weed did. There was an "Ammunition" Weiss once who stood off the police for hours if you remember. The flower of gangland killing was certainly no more violent than Dion O'Banion's taking off.

Chicago has an underworld just as colorful as the picture shows it to be. It is things like this that will show Chicago how the outside world looks at it and that we ought to free ourselves from this blight.

I certainly agree with you in what you said about George Bancroft. He is a great actor. But I do think you could have done more to give credit to Evelyn Brent. That scene where she looks into Clive Brooks' eyes and registers helpless love makes her a star.

I enjoy your reviews, and the Sunday ones most of all.

Yours, C. D.

Editor's Note.—You wouldn't want a policeman to be unkind to a gangster would you?

If you would like your letters printed in this column, please write on one SIDE of the paper ONLY. If you want a personal answer, send stamped, self-addressed envelope—please!

Hollywood

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

HOLLYWOOD, Cal.—[Special correspondence.]—Many [illegible] of dollars are spent at Hollywood on the yearly cards of the Yule season, but [illegible] has proved to be more to its cards than any in years.

Many of the stars' cards are gems, hand done etchings, prints from abroad, while [illegible] on gold paper, but all of more or less degree, are expressive the taste and individuality of the sender, for Hollywood devoutly in the creed of [illegible] best foot foremost. During [illegible] New Year's and Christmas old coats of arms have been [illegible] or newly acquired have been trotted out with a sense and distinction.

Prominent among the [illegible] folk is Pola Negri, with a Georgian coat of arms of [illegible] family embossed on a neat card bearing the inscription [illegible] and Princess Serge Mdi[illegible] greetings," etc., this superseding former crest used when Pola [illegible] Hollywood as the Countess [illegible].

Gloria Swanson uses the [illegible] her husband, the Marquis de [illegible] et de Coudray, which consists [illegible] shield on which appear four [illegible] pointed star, and two crowns [illegible] mounted by a crown consisting [illegible] corn rampant. Below the shield [illegible] two greyhounds. On her cards [illegible] uses only her own name and [illegible] title of her husband.

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Say It in Rhyme.

Bebe Daniels is a third [illegible] embossed cards have become [illegible] wood Christmas staple. [illegible] white, with the Spanish flavor [illegible] that comes through her nationality, the card bears a [illegible] greeting and wishes for the [illegible] to all her friends—and [illegible] most of Hollywood.

Milton Sills, while he is [illegible] ing that the crest does not [illegible] card proper, nevertheless [illegible] silver on the flap of an envelope the Sills' greetings. [illegible] done in silver, with a lion [illegible] a cross of St. George and [illegible] motto "Magnanimiter cruc[illegible]—" Uphold the cross with [illegible]

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Hollywood Yule Cards Crested

By Rosalind Shaffer.

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

HOLLYWOOD, Cal.—[Special Correspondence.]—Many thousands of dollars are spent annually in Hollywood on the yearly greeting cards of the Yule season. Last week has proved to be more elaborate in its cards than any in previous years.

Many of the stars' cards are small art gems, hand done etchings, color prints from abroad, while others are on gold paper, but all of them, in a more or less degree, are lavish and express the taste and individuality of the sender, for Hollywood believes devoutly in the creed of setting the best foot foremost. During the present New Year's and Christmas season old coats of arms have been resurrected or newly acquired ones have been trotted out with a sense of pride and distinction.

Prominent among the coat of arms folk is Pola Negri, with the noble Georgian coat of arms of the Mdivani family embossed on a neutral toned card bearing the inscription, "Prince and Princess Serge Mdivani send greetings," etc., this supplants the former crest used when Pola came to Hollywood as the Countess Dombska.

Gloria Swanson uses the crest of her husband, the Marquis de la Falaise et de la Coudray, which consists of a shield on which appear four hills, a six pointed star, and two crescents surmounted by a crown containing a unicorn rampant. Below the shield are two greyhounds. On her card Gloria uses only her own name and not the title of her husband.

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Say It in Rhyme.

Bebe Daniels is a third whose crest embossed cards have become a Hollywood Christmas staple. Always all white, with the Spanish family's crest that comes through her mother's ancestry, the card bears her simple greeting and wishes for the New Year to all her friends—and that means most of Hollywood.

Milton Sills, while he is so unassuming that the crest does not reach the card proper, nevertheless uses it in silver on the flap of an envelope bearing the Sills' greetings. The crest is done in silver, with a lion supporting a cross of St. George and with the motto "Magnanimiter crucem sustine" —"Uphold the cross with vigor." The enclosure released from this impressive envelope bears a sample of the verse of Mrs. Sills (Doris Kenyon), whose poetic efforts have been published for several years and have met with high approval from the critics. The Sills family's poetic greeting for the dying week of 1927 runs:

"Three little ducks in a row are we
Standing beneath our Christmas tree
Quacking you joy with our big yellow bills
Kenyon and Doris and Milton Sills."

Vilma Banky joined the Hollywood gang of Lady Clara Vere de Vere when she married Rod La Rocque, for his and her Christmas card bears the imposing crest of La Rocque Latour, a quartered shield with two quarterings striped diagonally and two with towers, the whole supported by two gryphons rampant. A narrow red border sets off the simplicity of the card, which bears greetings from Mr. and Mrs. Roderick La Rocque.

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Tom Mix Turns Essayist.

Dolores del Rio, who bears the lineal right to several old Spanish crests as well as that of her husband, Don Jaime Martinez del Rio, sends a simple white card, bordered with a red line, on which is written in red in her own handwriting "Merry Christmas. Dolores del Rio."

Tom Mix sends a large photo of himself in cowboy regalia, mounted on a holly-wreathed card. Under the photo is a remarkably well written essay on modern Christmas, penned by Mix himself.

Johnny Hines sends a card with a small head of himself in a holly wreath. Opened, the card discloses Hines as a grocer peddling apple sauce, with the caption "It's the same old apple sauce, but it's from the heart."

Jean Hersholt greets one with a red folded card, edged with gold, which, on opening, shows a Christmas tree. In Hersholt's own script in gold he and his wife and Jean Jr. send greetings of the season.

Janet Gaynor chose apple green cards and envelopes. The card bears a modernistic maiden in Russian costume, done in red and gold.

Ben Lyon makes his greeting card individual. A pen sketch shows Ben hanging onto the end of a long distance call to New York as the Big Ben on the desk points to twelve. He is saying, "Thanks; same to you." It doesn't take a seer to know that the long distance call is to Marilynn Miller, as Ben makes them nightly.

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From Nellie Revell.

Many Hollywood hearts were gladdened with an especially engraved card bearing their own name in engraving, from Nellie Revell, the first of women press agents in the old days in New York, who was in Hollywood doing picture titles for a time last year.

Colleen Moore and John McCormick, her husband, selected a pretty colored drawing of Santa Claus entering a cottage to dispatch holiday greetings.

One card of great interest was sent out by a press agent, one Pat Dowling, who helps make the Christie comedies famous in print. Pat recently bought a new home in the Hollywood hills, wherein the roads are labyrinthine, none whicher. His card is a road map through the exclusive Beverly Hills district, with amusing wisecracks on the inhabitants of the estates which he shows on the map on the way to his hillside fastness.

Marceline Day chooses as her card a picture of a French market place in a snowstorm. It was one of several artistic subjects worthy of framing. Cards of this sort have increased greatly in popularity in Hollywood. Margaret Livingston sends such a one with a colonial couple in gala attire, carrying their bundles down the street.

From New York Gilda Grey sends her solo greetings inclosed in a double leafed card with an exquisite Japanese scene.

Lina Basquette, widow of Sam Warner, sends an autographed photograph of her baby, Lita, with her best wishes.

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A Wide Variety.

Victor and Enid MacLaglen are delightfully old fashioned and English with their card of a cavalier and his wife with two small children about a Christmas tree.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Willatt [Billie Dove] enclose greetings in a card decorated with the Three Kings riding over the desert on camels, followed the Bethlehem star.

Doubtless having the fact in mind that his driver's license has been suspended for speeding, Monte Banks says on his card, decorated with a caricature of himself, "I've just heard there ain't no Santa Claus."

Ben Bard, fiancé of Ruth Roland, sends a Christmas ship in full sail, done in colors on parchment over a gold sea.

Antonio Moreno had a color photograph made of the scene from the balcony of his home on top of a hill.

Clarence Brown, director, had elaborately hand done etchings of different views in his home and about the grounds.

STRUMS AS SHE CROONS TUNES



MISS LEE MORSE

SHE is in the new programme in the Palace, where, in spite of her having such billing as "The Southern Aristocrat of Song," she will probably be liked. Miss Morse was liked in Chicago when, some time since, she took part in one of the big shows in the Apollo, where she betrayed a personal style of putting through songs that were of themselves unimportant. And she is said to be a warm favorite with that part of the populace which takes its music from the discs.

BEST MOVIE.

If you'll confide in us to the extent of telling what movie, in your opinion, rates above all the other movies you've seen, and also tell us why you think this particular movie is deserving of praise, we'll lend a sympathetic ear. And, what's more, we'll pay $1 for your letter if we print it. Address Best Movies, Chicago Tribune.

"The Gold Rush."

Charles Chaplin in "The Gold Rush" was the best movie I ever saw.

The setting was unforgettable and the idea of presenting this well known incident in history not as tragic or heroic, but funny; not seen through the eyes of Rex Beach or Jack London, but from Charley's point of view, was supremely clever.

The suspense in the scene where the shanty hung on the edge of the precipice was torturing, but stopped just short of being unbearable. When Charley shoveled snow we shoveled with him, mentally. The party lacking guests is an idea probably as old as the rhyme:

Smarty, smarty, had a party;
Nobody came but Pudding Tame
And the big fat girl who lived in the lane.

But Charley's party is the immortal one and while we were saying to ourselves, "He's a sentimental boob," we were chuckling and wiping our eyes at the same time. M. A. W.

Uplifting.

Of all the good movies I have seen "The Miracle Man" impressed me as the best. It was not merely a good play made attractive by good players—it was a realistic portrayal of character development from bad to good.

The actors did not merely play their parts—they were their parts, and so impressed their optience with their sincerity that I am sure every one who saw it was uplifted and better for having witnessed it. K. A.

Never to Be Forgotten.

The movie which made the most vivid and lasting impression on my mind and which I rate as the best of the thousands I have seen was "Broken Blossoms," directed by D. W. Griffith and taken from one of Thomas Burke's stories.

In spite of the fact that it was in reality, a brutal and sordid story, with the scene laid in Limehouse, one of the most squalid districts of London, I was fascinated by the beauty of the presentation and overlooked the ugliness. This effect was, I think, due to the wizardry of the great director in picturizing scenes in such a way as to bring out beauty and to accentuate it.

The work of Richard Barthelmess as the Chinaman was wonderful and to my mind he has never done anything half so good since. Lillian Gish, too, was at her best.

I may forget all other pictures, but the memory of that will always be with me. W. A. B.

IN A HIT



MISS GRACE HUFF

She's still in the role of the weather-red piano-player of a night-joint in "Broadway," which has been on view in the Selwyn since mid-August.

10 YEARS AGO in the MOVIES

(From the "Right Off the Reel" column conducted in The Chicago Tribune of Jan. 6, 1918, by Mae Tinee.)

IT seems to me that as a matter of patriotism and loyalty we should see "The Man Without a Country," which was Florence La Badie's last picture. She didn't know it was to be her last picture, but to its timely theme she gave the best as well as the last of her charming self. See it and see it reverently.

Agreeing with my most severe critics who aver that I don't know everything, I nevertheless insist that changing the title of the Alice Brady picture "Jane Eyre," to "Woman and Wife" is bad business. Any one who ever read and was thrilled by the story would not rest until he had seen the picture. Camouflaged, as is the intent, who's ever going to recognize it? Producers do such funny things!

In her next picture, "Stella Maris," Mary Pickford will play a dual role.

And now Earle Williams has migrated to California. Sooner or later they all go, don't they? It must seem like returning home to Mr. Williams, for he is a Sacramento boy.

Henry B. Walthall's second Baralta production will be called "With Hoops of Steel." Many of the scenes were photographed on the Mojave desert. Mary Cherleson will play opposite him.

FEATURE FILMS IN THE LOOP.

Alcazar, "Reaching for the Moon," with Douglas Fairbanks.
Bijou Dream, "Shirley Kaye," with Clara Kimball Young.
Boston, "Love Letters," with Dorothy Dalton.
Castle, "Seven Swans," with Marguerite Clark.
Chicago, "The Adventurer," with Charlie Chaplin.
Gem, "In Again, Out Again," with Douglas Fairbanks.
Lyric, "Man Against Man," with William S. Hart.
Orpheum, "Daybreak," with Emily Stevens.
World, "Consdience," with Gladys Brockwell.
Ziegfeld, "A Modern Musketeer," with Douglas Fairbanks.

MOTION PICTURES SOUTH

National Playhouses

AVALON 79TH AND STONY ISLAND
—Today Only—
Doors Open 12:30
All Shows Do Luxe
"She's a Sheik"
with Bebe Daniels
Also Gigantic Xmas Extravaganza
—Monday—
"THE CITY GONE WILD"
with Thomas Meighan
Also Our New Singing Director ROY DETRICH
A Great Opening Silso "Hello, 1928, and Good Luck, Roy" and VITAPHONE

CAPITOL 79TH AND HALSTED ST.
—Today Only—
Doors Open 12:30
All Shows Do Luxe
JACKIE COOGAN in "BUTTONS"
HUSK O'HARE and His Jacks in "Santa Claus Knows" VITAPHONE
—Monday—
"BEN HUR"
The Greatest Picture for All Time
HUSK O'HARE and His Band in "Playing in the New Year" A Rollicking, Frolicking Round of Joy and Pep
Also— VITAPHONE

63rd and Halsted STRATFORD Matinee Daily
Now Playing Boris Sin...Betty Bronson in "BRASS KNUCKLES"
Stage—Ted Lewis in Giant Show
Continuous Wednesday Peter Pan Miller —"A HERO FOR A NIGHT" With Great Stage Show

GROVE 79th and Cottage Grove. Mat. Daily
Jack Holt, "The Tigress." Vaudeville

COSMO 79th and Halsted Mat. Today
RALPH INCE—"SHANGHAIED"

HIGHLAND 79th and Ashland Mat. Daily
Sidney Costello, "College Widow"
5—ACTS VODVIL—5

JEFFERY 71st and Jeffery Mat. Daily
JACK HOLT—"THE TIGRESS"
5—ACTS VODVIL—5

COLONY 69th and Kedzie Mat. Daily
RALPH INCE—"SHANGHAIED"
5—ACTS VODVIL—5

W. ENGLEWOOD 63rd & Ashland Mat. Daily
Sidney Costello, "College Widow"
5—ACTS VODVIL—5

CHATHAM 75th and Cottage Grove. Matinee Daily
Ronald Colman, "Supreme Moment" Weekend at Matinee Only

THE SHORE 1507 EAST 75th. STREET
MATINEE TODAY
1 p. m. Continuous to Midnight
Madge Bellamy in "Very Confidential"
Stage Stars at Every Performance
Some Week at Manny ARTHUR HAND. Conducting and Callen Orena and Stage Novelties
Starts Wednesday "The Jazz Singer"

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PRE-RELEASE CHICAGO SHOWING
One of the best pictures of the year with all star cast featuring
GLENN HUNTER DOROTHY MACKAILL
A HERO FOR A NIGHT
On the Stage TELOK & DEAN CEASAR LINDEN
BEBE DANIELS in "SHE'S A SHEIK"
Coming Tomorrow ARMAND HAND AND HIS ORCHESTRA

VERNON 61ST AND VERNON Continuous from 1 P. M.
Laura La Plante
"THE CAT AND THE CANARY"

VENDOME STATE AT 31ST ST.
BILLIE DOVE
"AN AMERICAN BEAUTY"
TASTY VENDOME SYNCOPATORS

PRAIRIE GARDEN 58th & Prairie
CONRAD NAGEL MYRNA LOY
"THE GIRL FROM CHICAGO"
Latest News—Our Gang, "New Year's Scream"

KIMBARK 6240 KIMBARK
RON SKELTON DOROTHY SEBASTIAN
"THE HAUNTED SHIP"
Mat. Only—"Blake of Scotland Yard." No. 10

MARQUETTE 63RD AND KEDZIE
LOU TODD AILEEN PRINGLE
"TEA FOR THREE"
ORCHESTRA AND ORGAN

HARVARD 63RD AND HARVARD MATINEE TODAY
Sidney Costello William Collier Jr.
Cont. 2 to 11:30 "COLLEGE WIDOW"
Matinee Only—"TRAIL OF TIGER." No. 9

U. S. 69TH AND RACINE AVE.
ALICE CALHOUN—"Hard Boiled Haggerty"

WABASH 1226 S. Wabash Ave.
FRED THOMSON—"JESSE JAMES"

MOTION PICTURES SOUTH

ENGLEWOOD 63rd and Wallace Cont. 1 to 11 P. M.
2—BIG VAUDEVILLE ACTS—3
Pictures—Mat. Daily
In "THE CHEER LEADER"
Four Vaudeville Shows Tomorrow
At 2:30, 4:45, 7:00, 9:15

OAKLAND SQUARE Drexel & Oakwood MATINEE DAILY
FRED THOMSON "JESSE JAMES"

SHAKESPEARE 43RD AT ELLIS Cont. 1:30 to 11:30
RALPH INCE "SHANGHAIED" PATSY RUTH MILLER
Mat. Only—AL HOXIE—"His Last Bullet"

VISTA 47th and Cottage Grove
RALPH INCE "SHANGHAIED" PATSY RUTH MILLER
Matinee Only—"TRAIL OF TIGER." NO. 5

FROLIC FIFTY-FIFTH & ELLIS MATINEE DAILY
LLOYD HUGHES "AMERICAN BEAUTY" BILLIE DOVE
Mat. Only: Our Gang Comedy—"DERBY DAY"

MOTION PICTURES MISCELLANEOUS

MARKS BROS.
GRANADA SHERIDAN AT DEVON
TOMORROW
CHARLES KALEY in RHYTHM in COLOR
A bright, eye-catching, ear-pleasing affair, with a noteworthy cast. THELMA EDWARDS one of "Cohan's Affairs"; JOE, EVELYN and HARRY STEWART and LASH and Many Other Popular Favorites. This is the first of our brilliant series of productions scheduled for the coming year.
VITAPHONE
BARTRAM & SAXTON and Many Others
Doors open 12 M. All shows do luxe
Last times today BENNY MEROFF in "THUNDERLAND" and EDMUND LOWE in "THE WIZARD" VITAPHONE
THE PERFECT MOTION PICTURE
7th HEAVEN
JANET GAYNOR and CHARLES FARRELL

MARBRO MADISON AT CRAWFORD
TOMORROW
BENNY MEROFF in "THUNDERLAND"
with the World-Famous LOOMIS TWINS
Darlings of Songland
WALTER BRADBURY, ROBERTS & CLARK, BRANDON & MORISKEY, CARL EYAL, LEETA HOPE and Many Other Favorites
VITAPHONE
BARTRAM & SAXTON and Many Others
Doors Open 12 Noon—All Shows Do Luxe
Last times today CHARLES KALEY'S "HOLIDAY FETE" Parade and EDMUND LOWE in "The Wizard" VITAPHONE
IT TELLS HOW A TINY WASP REFORMED A CROOK WHOM A DOZEN DETECTIVES COULDN'T CATCH!
MONTE BLUE BRASS KNUCKLES BETTY BRONSON

Ascher's SHERIDAN
SHERIDAN ROAD at IRVING PARK BLVD. DOORS OPEN 12:30
LAST TIMES TODAY—JACKIE COOGAN in "BUTTONS"
Verne Buck and His Wonder Orchestra
in an exceptionally fine presentation with many notable stage stars
WM. FOX presents 7TH HEAVEN
Starting Tomorrow The Greatest Picture Classic of the Year
JANET GAYNOR CHARLES FARRELL
ASCHER BROS. WISH YOU A HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR
TERMINAL Lawrence Nr. Spaulding Dolores Costello in "THE COLLEGE WIDOW" 5—ACTS OF VAUDEVILLE—5 Special Organ and News Features
CROWN Division and Ashland CONRAD NAGEL "THE GIRL FROM CHICAGO" Selected Vaudeville
MIDWEST 55th and Archer TIM McCOY in "SPOILERS OF THE WEST" 2—ACTS OF VAUDEVILLE—3 A Wonderful Show Is Here for You
PORTAGE PARK 4050 Milwaukee Ave. Lew Cody and Aileen Pringle "TEA FOR THREE"
COMMERCIAL 924 and Commercial TIM McCOY in "SPOILERS OF THE WEST" Selected Vaudeville

SUBSCRIBE FOR THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE

MOTION PICTURES MISCELLANEOUS

BALABAN & KATZ Affiliated with PUBLIX
A HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL CHICAGO
1927 has been the greatest and happiest in the history of our theaters and the support and confidence of the city inspire us to the most determined efforts to make 1928 an even happier year for our patrons.
BALABAN & KATZ.

CHICAGO RANDOLPH STATE LAKE
Today
1:45 a. m. to 12:15 GRAND ORGAN CONCERT HENRY B. MURTAGH, Organist
Doors open 10:10 a. m. GIANT CHRISTMAS STAGE SHOW 75 people on stage MILTON SILLS in "VALLEY OF GIANTS"
Tomorrow BILLIE DOVE
Gilbert Roland, Noah Beery
Colorful, suspenseful, breathless romance; a New Orleans society belle sold on the auction-block as an octoroon slave.
The LOVE MART
Directed by GEORGE FITZMAURICE
The Big Screen Sensation of 1928
—ON THE STAGE— Smart Wit-Show in Radio Studio
"LISTEN IN"
Radio Follies, Gay Hilarity, Hosts of Stars
Ada Kaufman Girls
CHICAGO THEATER STAGE ORCHESTRA
BUFFANO, cond.

ORIENTAL RANDOLPH near STATE
Today
Doors Open 10:30 A. M.
NOON TODAY—PAUL'S CLUB FROLIC
PAUL ASH AND HIS GANG IN "RESOLUTIONS OF 1928"
On the Screen— ESTHER RALSTON in "Spotlight"
Tomorrow Paul ASH HIMSELF and his merry-mad musical gang
PICKINGS from PARIS
Oo-La-La! The things Paul learned about those Parisian Mademoiselles. The dazzling sights he saw on the boulevards—Cest Ce—Oui, Oui and then some!
with DON HUMBERT HELEN KENNEDY
Earl Lavere, Paul Small, Paul's Parisian Dancing Beauties—Others
on the screen
A French Love Salad Flavored with Romance and Feathered with Frills
FRENCH DRESSING
H. B. Warner Lois Wilson Clive Brook
A First National Picture

UPTOWN BROADWAY at LAWRENCE
Today Doors Open 12:30 P. M.
CHRISTMAS STAGE SHOW
BENNIE KRUEGER and Orch.
BEBE DANIELS, Richard Arlen in "SHE'S A SHEIK"
Tomorrow Frankie Masters
And Orchestra with Stars in "MOONLIT WATERS"
HELEN MYRIO, YOSKO, Sammy Lewis, DESHA and BARTE, Fountleroy and Van, Petroff Ballet
on the screen CLARA BOW
With Chas. Rogers in French marriage tangle and Parisian lingerie wrangle.
"GET YOUR MAN"

TIVOLI COTTAGE GROVE near 63rd ST.
Today Doors Open 12:30 P. M.
GALA CHRISTMAS STAGE SHOW
FRANKIE MASTERS—70 people on stage
RICHARD DIX in "THE GAY DEFENDER"
Tomorrow Bennie Krueger
With His Orchestra in Sensation Show!
"SHADOWLAND"
Al. and Gussie Blum, Roy Rogers, Aerial Ballet, "Flying Piano"
FOSTER VENUS-ATHLETES
on the screen CLARA BOW
IN SPICY FRENCH LOVE-TANGLE
"Get Your Man"

CENTRAL PARK 3635 ROOSEVELT Rd.
5 Big Acts Vaudeville
ESTHER RALSTON RICHARD ARLEN in "FIGURES DON'T LIE"

NORSHORE HOWARD at CLARK
Doors open 1 p. m. Attend the matinee Happiness and spectacular entertainment
AL KVALE and his jazz collegians
In a rollicking, rousing stage revel "HELLO, 1928"
Wesl. Lake and Rose Hines and Leonard, Lydon Brothers, Babe Carter, Others
on the screen RICHARD DIX
in a story of bold Americanos and dashing Dons
"The GAY DEFENDER"

McVICKERS MADISON and STATE
9 A. M., CONTINUOUS
When you're not shivering with fright, you'll be howling with laughter. It's that kind of a superlative production
The GORILLA
It will get you and grip you the way it gripped thousands of amazed Chicagoans thus far
SEE IT TODAY
A First National Picture
WHERE THE HELL IS MULLIGAN?

ROOSEVELT STATE at WASHINGTON
JOHN GILBERT
Doors open 9 A. M.
NO LOVERS EVER LIVED SO PASSIONATE AND RAPTUROUS A ROMANCE BEFORE
"LOVE"
GRETA GARBO
Filmed in glorious Color from Tolstoi's ANNA KARENINA
EVERYBODY IS TALKING ABOUT IT
A Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer Picture

W-G-N TO SELL TIME ON AIR TO ADVERTISERS

High Costs of Programs Forces New Policy.

BY FRANK HINMAN.

THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE today announces a new radio policy—a policy which will mean better entertainment and better service to the radio listener. This policy, simply stated, is that the paper is to inaugurate a schedule of sponsored programs on its station, W-G-N. In other words, it proposes "to sell time" to advertisers.

The radio industry has awakened to the fact that its program development has not kept pace with the advancements in other branches of the art, and that, unless it takes immediate steps to improve its entertainment and service features, its future will be threatened.

High Cost of Production.

One of the obstacles in the face of program advancement has been the ever increasing cost of program production. It was only a couple of years ago that station directors spent most of their time shooing aspiring young artists, begging for a chance to be heard on the air, out of their office. Now, program standards having been raised, they spend most of their time trying to get a high quality of entertainment at a reasonable figure.

Station owners have come face to face with the fact that the radio audience is no longer satisfied with the usual run of programs and if listener interest is to be maintained, there must be an immediate improvement. To make possible this improvement and to provide the enormous sum necessary to carry it through, THE TRIBUNE proposes to make its programs partially self-supporting by selling a portion of its daytime and evening hours to advertisers.

The New Plans.

Under the new arrangement, daytime hours for the broadcasting of advertising programs will be available between 9 in the morning and 6 at night. Evening hours during the week will be between 7 and 11 o'clock and Sunday from 4 to 11. The advertising rate is higher in the evening than in the daytime in consideration of the wider audience the station reaches during the evening hours.

Incidental with the announcement of this change in policy comes the news that a program service department is being organized under the supervision of Henry Selinger, program director of W-G-N, which will be able to furnish the finest programs on the air. A host of the best artists and musicians in Chicago, as well as many novelty performers, will be made available to the advertiser in planning his program. Strict supervision will be maintained over these sponsored programs to make certain that they meet the same high quality which has distinguished W-G-N's broadcasts in the past.

BRIDGE LESSONS FROM W-G-N

THE tenth of a series of twenty radio auction bridge games will be broadcast from W-G-N, The Chicago Tribune station on the Drake hotel, Tuesday night at 9 o'clock.

Each game of the series features Milton C. Work and Wilbur C. Whitehead, New York experts, in association with players from other cities in America and Canada. The listeners in are urged to have four players ready with cards and to follow the game bid by bid and play by play with the experts.

The contestants in Tuesday's game are Mrs. Florence C. Douglas of Pittsburgh, Pa., playing with Mr. Work against W. S. Firestone, Cleveland, O., and Mr. Whitehead. The following are the advance hands for game ten:

MR. WORK.
Spades—8, 5, 4.
Hearts—8, 2.
Diamonds—A, Q, 10, 8.
Clubs—K, Q, J, 8.

MR. FIRESTONE.
Spades—K, Q, J, 10, 6.
Hearts—9.
Diamonds—9, 6, 2.
Clubs—9, 7, 5, 2.

MR. WHITEHEAD.
Spades—A, 7, 3.
Hearts—A, Q, 5, 3.
Diamonds—7, 3, 4.
Clubs—10, 4, 3.

MRS. DOUGLAS, Dealer.
Spades—9, 3.
Hearts—K, J, 10, 7, 6, 4.
Diamonds—K, J, 3.
Clubs—A, 6.

RADIO BRIDGE devotees heard Milton C. Work himself play a hand as declarer in the ninth radio bridge game broadcast last Tuesday from W-G-N, THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE station on the Drake hotel.

Mr. Work and Mr. Whitehead were paired against two noted players—John H. Smith of Ridgewood, N. J., and Ralph J. Leibenderfer of New York. These were the cards:

Mr. Smith, dealer, south: Spades, Q, J, 7, 4; hearts, A, K, J, 6, 3; diamonds, K, 10; clubs, K, Q. Mr. Work, west, held: Spades, A, K, 8, 5, 2; hearts, none; diamonds, 9, 3; clubs, 10, 9, 8, 6, 5, 2. Mr. Liebenderfer, north, had: Spades, 3; hearts, 10, 9, 7, 4; diamonds, J, 8, 7, 6, 5; clubs, J, 4, 3. Mr. Whitehead, east, had: Spades, 10, 9, 6; hearts, Q, 8, 5, 2; diamonds, A, Q, 4, 2; clubs, A, 7.

Mr. Smith, the dealer, opened the bidding with one heart. Although he had all four suits stopped for a no trump, he preferred to bid his five card major suit, on account of holding two doubletons, which would be a weakness in no trump.

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Mr. Work, west, with a two suited hand, bid one spade, his major suit, in preference to his longer suit of clubs. Mr. Liebenderfer, north, passed, as his hand was too weak for a first round assist of his partner's heart. Mr. Whitehead, east, also passed, well content with his partner's spade bid.

Mr. Smith then went to one no trump, as he had not been assisted in hearts by his partner, and as he himself had two stoppers in the spade suit adversely bid, and stoppers also in diamonds and clubs. Mr. Work passed, although he was strongly tempted to show his clubs. However, he figured that Mr. Smith had bid a heart originally in preference to no trump because of some weakness. This weakness might be in clubs; therefore, by passing and leading clubs, Mr. Work might make a big penalty. On the other hand, by bidding clubs, he might force the enemy back to hearts, and also might mislead his partner into thinking he held some high clubs. Mr. Leibenderfer at once took his partner out of the no trump by bidding two hearts, a preferential bid which merely showed that he had some support for hearts but none at all for no trump. Mr. Whitehead bid two spades.

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Mr. Smith bid three hearts. After his partner's expression of preference, he gave no further thought to playing the hand at no trump. Mr. Work then bid four clubs. In spite of his partner's spade assist, modern cooperative bidding required him to show the two-suited nature of his hand, thus giving his partner choice between spades and clubs. Mr. Leibenderfer passed, and Mr. Whitehead bid four spades. The strength of his hand fully justified this second assist, although it would be interpreted by his partner, Mr. Work, simply as a preferential bid between clubs and spades.

Mr. Smith doubled four spades. All passed, and Mr. Work became declarer with his contract four spades doubled.

Mr. Leibenderfer led the 4 of hearts, opening his fourth best of his partner's suit. Mr. Whitehead spread his hand for dummy, and Mr. Work played from it the 2 of hearts. Mr. Smith played the 3 of hearts. He could tell his partner's lead was from four cards, and therefore knew that Mr. Work held none and that it was unnecessary for him to cover the heart led. Mr. Work trumped with the 2 of spades.

Mr. Work, studying his two hands to determine his line of play, saw at once that his first objective must be the establishment of his club suit. He must lose one trick in the process. Apparently he also must lose a diamond trick for, from the bidding, the king was clearly marked in Mr. Smith's hand, south. Therefore a finesse of the queen could not succeed. Moreover, since Mr. Smith by his no trump bid had shown a stopper or stoppers in spades, it was probable that a trump trick also must be lost. Mr. Work's chance for game depended, therefore, upon his ability to limit his losses to these three tricks.

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To start the establishment of his clubs, Mr. Work at once led his 10, the top of his sequence. Mr. Leibenderfer played the 3; dummy the ace; Mr. Smith the queen.

Dummy returned the 7 of clubs; Mr. Smith played the king; Mr. Work the 2; Mr. Leibenderfer the 4.

Mr. Smith led the king of hearts. Mr. Work, without compensating gain, declined to ruff. Instead he discarded his losing 3 of diamonds. Mr. Leibenderfer played the 7 of hearts; dummy the 5.

Mr. Work's refusal to trump was somewhat disconcerting to Mr. Smith, who was left in the lead with no good card to play. Should he continue with a low heart, declarer would pass the trick up to dummy's queen. Should he play the ace, dummy's queen would be established. A shift to trumps would be unavailing, since declarer, placing Mr. Smith with the queen-jack, would base his play upon the card led. A diamond lead from king-10 alone up to dummy's ace-queen was out of the question.

Mr. Smith therefore decided that the best lead under the circumstances was the ace of hearts, which he played. Although it would result in the establishment of dummy's queen, it would at least force declarer's strong trump hand. Mr. Work trumped with the 5 of spades; Mr. Leibenderfer played the 9 of hearts; dummy the 8.

Mr. Work then led the 5 of clubs; Mr. Leibenderfer played the jack; dummy trumped with the 9 of spades; Mr. Smith discarded the 5 of hearts. Mr. Smith realized that if he overtrumped he could not possibly defeat the contract, for declarer, entering dummy with the ace of diamonds, could then lead through Mr. Smith's remaining trumps, capturing all of them and then making the established clubs.

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Dummy led the queen of hearts; Mr. Smith played the jack; Mr. Work discarded the 6 of clubs; Mr. Leibenderfer played the 10 of hearts. Dummy next led the 10 of spades; Mr. Smith covered with the jack; declarer played the king; Mr. Leibenderfer the 3.

Mr. Work then led the 9 of clubs; Mr. Leibenderfer discarded the 5 of diamonds; and Mr. Smith trumped with the 4 of spades.

Mr. Smith was again forced to make an embarrassing lead, this time away from his tenace either in trumps or in diamonds. Whatever he led declarer must take the remaining tricks. He led the 7 of spades. Mr. Work played the 8; Mr. Leibenderfer discarded the 6 of diamonds; dummy played the 6 of spades.

Mr. Work then led the ace of spades; Mr. Leibenderfer discarded the 7 of diamonds; and Mr. Smith played the queen of spades.

Mr. Work then led his good 8 of clubs; Mr. Leibenderfer discarded the 8 of diamonds; dummy the queen of diamonds; Mr. Smith the 10 of diamonds.

Mr. Work led his 9 of diamonds for the final trick, on which Mr. Leibenderfer played the jack of diamonds; dummy the ace; and Mr. Smith the king.

Mr. Work therefore lost but three tricks. He scored 72 points in the trick score for four spades doubled, and in the honor score 50 points for making his contract and 30 for his three honors.

INTERSECTIONAL GRID GAME ON W-G-N TOMORROW

A feast of football and music is promised to radio listeners by W-G-N, THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE station on the Drake hotel, for tomorrow, in honor of the extra holiday. Broadcasting will start at 12:40 o'clock with the presentation of the luncheon concert by the Drake Concert ensemble and the Blackstone String quintet and music and other features will continue until 11 in the evening.

The famous Tournament of Roses football game, to be played in Los Angeles, provides the sports entertainment for listeners. W-G-N will bring the game to the nation's receiving sets in company with a country-wide chain of stations which are also broadcasting the game. The clash brings together two of the country's championship elevens, Leland Stanford, representing the coast, and Pittsburgh, the east. Graham McNamee, eastern announcer, will be at the microphone.

Another spectacular program of holiday music is promised for the afternoon by Aladdin, the impresario of the Arabian Nights' Entertainment. Henry Selinger and his novelty orchestra will be heard in a seventy-five minute program between 2:30 and 3:45 o'clock. Among the selections to be heard will be music from Victor Herbert's ever popular, "The Fortune Teller." A feature of the program will be the playing of Borodine's "On the Steppes of Central Asia," a selection in which the composer has truly caught the meaning of the vast arid stretches of the eastern plains.

Brilliant programs will also come from New York for broadcasting by W-G-N between 7:30 and 9:30 o'clock. The Gypsies, heard during the first hour, are dedicating their first new year's program to the state of Delaware and "The Bells of St. Mary's," the favorite selection of Gov. Robinson of Delaware, will be heard. Other numbers include a selection from Gershwin's "Oh Kay," and "Naila," by Delibes. The Family Party, on the air between 8:30 and 9:30 o'clock, will feature more orchestra music and other novelties.

Other musical features of Monday night include the weekly appearance by the Phantom Violin, the Music Box and a rousing popular show by Art Smith and the Hoodlums on WLIB between 11 and 12:30 o'clock.

Inside the Loud Speaker

BY QUIN A. RYAN.
[W-G-N Announcer.]

ANYBODY who would try to sell a radio announcer a radio set would try to sell Columbus real estate.

But they do. Uh-huh!

They ought to know that I spend all my spare time with my bicycle.

The fiery salesmen send me letters and invite me to parties that came off last Tuesday. They meet me with their friends and tell 'em how they've known me ever since we went to college together—and then introduce me as Uncle Bob of KYW. They tell me what a spell I cast on their neighbor's canary.

Everybody has to make a living, 'tis true—but they ought to know that I'm not a fireman who loafs around the fire station on his one day off a month.

What could I do with a radio set?

They send me circulars and folders, and they're nice folders and circulars, but I don't want 'em. If you'll send me your name, I'll have 'em send 'em to you.

The folders tell about the radio sets and they romp along like this:

"Announcing the presentation of the new Baby Wampus. . . . Four models . . . open, closed, bid and asked. . . . Simply plug in your faucet. . . . Picks up New York, Tampa, Seattle, dust and lint. . . . Smokeless and fond of children. . . . Detector so keen that it discovered Santa Claus was Lon Chaney. . . . Dandy set to give away. . . . Can do parlor tricks. . . . You can hook it onto a table, a radiator, or a fire wagon. . . . Hooray!"

The world is full of live prospects for sales, besides radio announcers. Only the other day I compiled a list of hot "leads."

AACHEN
Window ShadeWks 62 W Wash.CEN tri-3449
AADNESEEN
L S r 4318 Drummond pl.....ALD any-8413
AAFLEI J Pr 2206 MKenneth.ALD-any-8043
Oscar T r 5218 Barry av..PAL isade-4801
AAGAARD
Arthur A r 5414 Ridgewd ct..DOR chstr-7074
Beauty Salon 35 E Washingtn.DEA rbo-4224
Chester S cut glass
3042 Lincoln av.....WEL ington-4157
r 5144 W Albany.....JUN iper-0696
Howard J r 1356 N Leavitt av..MAR inc-7550
Julius r 6647 Perry av.....NOR mal-3192
Kai r 716 E. 70th.....VIN cna-7875
Laundry Co 600 Root.....*YAR de-1800
Martin G confty 4206 Hirsch..ALD-any-5450
Otto W r 5144 Albany av....IRV ng-5431
P r. 6826 Dante av.....HYD e Pk-3046
*P W r 1334 Birchwd av....ROG ri Pk-1775
W B & Co invst bonds
906 S La S .....*STA te-0770
Walter S Jr atty 906 S. La S...STA te-0770
r 20 Cedar .....WHI tehal-4924
AAGARD
Carl r 4015 N. Albany av..KEY stone-4031
AAGE Richard L r
8253 Sheridan rd.....ROG ri Pk-1444
AAGER
Tailoring Co 443 S State.....WAB ash-0655
AAGESEN Carl r
5121 Henderson .....PAL isade-0280

There they are—and remember who gave them to you, boys.

But leave me out.

Come and show me roller skates!
Or anything you sell,
But please don't talk of radios—
Or I might run Ipkelle!

RADIO PROGRAMS FOR TODAY

Sunday, Jan. 1, 1928. Central Standard Time.

A SPORTS review—a radio moving picture—with flashbacks to the most thrilling sports events of the year will be the New Year's day headliner from W-G-N, THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE station on the Drake hotel. It will go on the air between 3 and 5 o'clock today. Quin Ryan, W-G-N's famous sports announcer, will revive all the thrills attendant on the Kentucky Derby, the Indianapolis auto race, the Dempsey-Tunney fight in Chicago, big league baseball, and one of the year's best football games. And to while away the moments between these athletic dramas, there'll be band music by a brass band.

Mary Lewis, famed soprano of the Metropolitan Opera company, will be the star of a model radio program to be presented tonight on W-G-N during the Atwater Kent hour of music, 8:15 to 9:15 o'clock. She will be assisted by a male chorus of sixteen voices and an orchestra. The program is designed to meet the tastes of thousands of radio listeners as expressed in a census taken recently, one out of five signifying a liking for fine music with a 44 per cent preference for male quartets. The double octet is to sing the Pilgrim's chorus from "Tannhauser," "A Winter Song," and other selections.

Compositions by the Swedish composer, Grieg, will be featured in "Our Music Room," to be heard from W-G-N between 8:15 and 9:15 o'clock tonight. Instrumental selections from Grieg's works include the incidental music to "Peer Gynt," his "Lyric Pieces," and "A Wedding Day in Tolhaugen." These will be offered by the Drake concert ensemble under the direction of Henry Selinger. Leon Benditzky is to play the first movement of the composer's "Concerto in A." There will also be a group of Grieg's songs by Edwin Kemp, tenor.

Tommy Coates, the popular young baritone of W-G-N, will be heard in a twenty minute group of songs tonight between 10:40 and 11 o'clock.

Those popular Italian boys, Lawrence and Frank Salerno, will be heard in another of their programs of songs and accordion melodies between 5 and 5:50 o'clock this afternoon on W-G-N. Old Italian folk songs, modern Italian ballads, and a group of popular tunes and accordion solos make up their afternoon's broadcast. The W-G-N studio ensemble is on the same program.

Between 7:30 and 8 o'clock tonight, W-G-N will present a half hour of harmony singing by Correll and Gosden. Eight o'clock will see Auld Sandy, the station's likable Scotch character, beginning his program of Scotch songs and stories.

DETAILS OF TODAY'S W-G-N PROGRAM.
[416.4 Meters—720 Kilocycles.]

12 to 1 p. m.—Uncle Quin reads The Tribune comics to the children.
1 to 3 p. m.—Studio program.
3 to 5 p. m.—1927 sports review by Quin Ryan.
5 to 5:50 p. m.—The Salernos, assisted by the W-G-N ensemble.
6 to 6:10 p. m.—The Million Sing.
6:20 to 6:50 p. m.—Uncle Quin's Punch and Judy.
6:50 to 7:30 p. m.—Old-Fashioned Almanack and Bible reading; incidental music by the Drake concert ensemble and Blackstone string quintet.
7:30 to 8 p. m.—Correll and Gosden.
8 to 8:15 p. m.—Auld Sandy.
8:15 to 9:15 p. m.—Program from New York.
9:15 to 10 p. m.—Our Music Room.
10 to 10:10 p. m.—Tomorrow's Tribune.
10:10 to 10:40 p. m.—The Music Box.
10:40 to 11 p. m.—Songs by Tommy Coates, baritone.

WLIB PROGRAM

The laughable days of the nickelodeons, with their blood 'n' thunder "mellerdramas" and the "can can" piano, will be brought back to radio listeners tonight on WLIB, the Liberty Weekly station on the Drake hotel, during the jazz jamboree which starts at 11 o'clock. Listeners will hear the announcer reading the movies subtitles, while the piano bangs out gunshots, the war whoops of the attacking redskins, and the cowboy's romance when "came the dawn." Other features of the evening include snappy dance tunes by a studio orchestra, songs and instrumental solos.

LOCAL PROGRAMS

6:30 a. m.—WMAQ [448]. Y. M. C. A. exercises. 7:30—Morning worship. 8—Music. 7:45—WJJD [345]. Catholic and Protestant Protestant services.
10—WMAQ [448]. Organ recital from People's church.
10:30—WGES [242]. Services of Austin Methodist Episcopal church, James L. Gardiner.
10:30—WEBH [365]. Church services. Seventh Church of Christ, Scientist.
10:45—WMAQ [448]. Services from People's church of Chicago; the Rev. Preston Bradley, pastor.
10:45—KYW [536]. Central church services, Orchestra hall; Frederick F. Shannon, minister; music under direction of Dr. Daniel Protheroe. Christmas program.
11:30—WGES [242]. High mass from Our Lady of Sorrows church.
12:15—WLS [345]. Concert: WLS players.
1:30—Cross Roads Sunday school.
12:30—WMAQ [448]. Musical program; vocal.
2 p. m.—KYW [536]. Chain program from New York. 2—Concert. 4:30—Radio vesper services.
3—WMAQ [448]. Columbia chain program. 4—Sextet; vocal.
2:15—WGES [242]. Theater program. 3—Request program.
4—WLS [345]. Little Brown Church in the Vale.
7—WMAQ [448]. Chicago Sunday Evening club. Informal Bible talk, "Tales of Friendship," by Clifford W. Barnes. Soloist, Mark Love. 8—Address, "Words," by Bishop Edwin H. Hughes, Methodist Episcopal church, Chicago. Choir of 100. Guest artist, Doris Doe, New York.
7:15—KYW [526]. Chain program from New York. 8:17—20 minutes of good reading. 9:15—New York program.
7:20—WGES [242]. Music. 8:15—Travel talk.
8—WGES [242]. Feature; studio program.
9:15—WMAQ [448]. Columbia chain program. 10—Program.
11:30—WGES [242]. Orchestra. Studio program.

W-G-N QUIZ BOX

Here are the answers to three questions broadcast last night over W-G-N, The Tribune radio station. Three questions are asked and answered in the following morning's Tribune:

What is the capital of Russia and what was it called before the European war? Answer—Petrograd, formerly called St. Petersburg.

Where is Trafalgar square? Answer—In London.

In what state does the poinsettia grow abundantly? Answer—California.

JOE COOK, ONE MAN VAUDEVILLE, ON W-G-N TUESDAY

With Joe Cook as its principal attraction and virtual master of ceremonies, the atmosphere of pink lemonade and flying rings, of sawdust arenas and tumbling clowns will hover about the major portion of the program to be broadcast Tuesday evening from W-G-N, THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE station on the Drake hotel at 8 o'clock. A circus episode written especially for the entertainment will offer Cook, who is known as "the one man vaudeville show," plenty of latitude for his expansive comic sense.

Joe will offer, among other numbers, an explanation of why he cannot imitate four Hawaiians, his famous "baseball story," and a rendition of that celebrated folk song, "Frankie and Johnny," as rewritten by himself and "Bugs" Baer.

In addition to the foregoing, and just to show that he can present as diversified a program on the air as on the stage, Joe plans to take his radio audience into his confidence regarding a secret radio set, with television attachments, that he has invented. In Broadway parlance, this set, or at any rate Joe's explanation of it, is said to be a "wow."

BISHOP HUGHES TALKS TONIGHT AT SUNDAY CLUB

The Chicago Sunday Evening club's New Year's message will be given this year by Bishop Edwin H. Hughes of the Methodist Episcopal church, and broadcast from Orchestra hall by WMAQ together with a musical program consisting of favorite anthems appropriate for this season of the year.

"Ring Out Wild Bells," and "The New Year" are among the selections which the choir of 100 will sing. Doris Doe, New York, contralto, will be guest artist. Miss Doe will sing with the choir, and will also give the solo, "God Is Our Refuge," by MacDermid.

Stanley Martin, organist, will play Handel's "Suite from Water Music" during the recital beginning at 7:40.

CHURCH NEWS

Pulpits Send Out New Year's Message

By The Rev. W. B. Norton.

GOOD morning, January first, 1928! Christmas is not only a holiday but the long period preceding Christmas is full of preparation, anticipation, and the spirit of giving and entertainment. January first brings the churches face to face with the future. January is the month for board meetings, educational conventions, teacher training in the Sunday school, and all kinds of serious programs. Read the religious editorial in today's issue by Dr. John A. Earl, editor of The Baptist, and after you have studied his one fundamental resolve make resolves of your own.

This evening at the Sunday Evening club at Orchestra hall Bishop Edwin H. Hughes of the Chicago area of the Methodist Episcopal church will give a New Year's message. From the pulpits of all the churches pastors will be giving messages like the one announced by the Rev. James O'May of the Sheridan Road Methodist Episcopal church, "Facing the East."

A Happy New Year to all readers of THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE!

A college in the loop under the joint auspices of University college and the Chicago Council of Religious Education, a department of the Chicago Church federation, will be held, the first course beginning tomorrow evening at University college, 116 South Michigan boulevard. The teacher will be Prof. Norman E. Richardson of Northwestern university and the subject will be, "How to Understand Youth." The course continues twelve weeks, Mondays and Thursdays, from 7 to 9 p. m.

The next course will be taught by Prof. Ernest J. Chave of the University of Chicago, and the subject will be "How to Organize Religious Education." It will begin next Saturday, 11 a. m. to 1 p. m., and will continue Saturdays for twenty-four weeks. One major college credit will be given for each course.

A third course taught by Prof. W. C. Bower of the University of Chicago will have for its subject, "How to Teach Religion" and will begin April 2, continuing for twelve weeks.

There will be eleven leadership training schools at the following centers: Englewood, Morgan Park, South Chicago, Oak Park, Chicago Lawn, Cicero, Irving Park, Wilmette, Evanston, Edgewater and West Central district. For cost, leaders of the centers and other details consult the Chicago Council of Religious Education, 77 West Washington street, telephone Central 0681.

Dr. Robert Clements, pastor of the Austin Presbyterian church, who has just led in a $25,000 improvement on the church building, has been elected associate superintendent of the Chicago church extension board. A reorganization of the board was made necessary by the leaving of Dr. W. Clyde Smith, who has gone to San Francisco to assume the duties of extension secretary there. Dr. Clements has not accepted his new election and said he could not without further considering the question. If he accepts he will become associate superintendent with Dr. Henry Seymour Brown.

Dr. Roy E. Vale, who has been ill for many months, has been granted an extension of absence from the pulpit of the First Presbyterian church, Oak Park, until April 1. He has so far recovered that he had decided to renew his pastoral duties today, but the church thought it wiser for him to remain in Florida, where he now is, during the winter months.

A lecture will be broadcast by Prof. Harris F. Rall of Garrett Biblical institute, Evanston, tomorrow at 1 o'clock by station WCFL from Grace Methodist Episcopal church, Chicago. The subject will be "Christian Unity and the Early Church." The institute, which has an enrollment of more than 400 students, has voted to raise the standard of work required for the granting of the bachelor of divinity degree by discontinuing the present system, generally followed by seminaries, of accepting toward the divinity degree any undergraduate work in theological or semi-theological subjects done in college. This move is pioneer work among the seminaries of the Methodist Episcopal church.

The new arrangement will make the time required for graduation from college and seminary a little longer, but permits of more thorough training. Another advance step is that every student must take a general examination at the end of his three years' course.

Bishop Edwin H. Hughes of the Chicago area of the Methodist Episcopal church will give the New Year's message at 5 o'clock this evening at the Sunday Evening club at Orchestra hall. President Clifford W. Barnes will speak at 7. Doris Doe, New York City, will be the guest soloist with the choir of 100.

The national educational program of the Anti-Saloon league will be launched throughout the United States on Sunday and Monday, Jan. 15 and 16. Sermons by pastors will explain the American creed on prohibition and on Monday, the eighth anniversary of the passing of the eighteenth amendment, the subject will be, "Christian and American Foundation of the Eighteenth Amendment and Responsibility of the Christian Church and American Citizens for Its Maintenance and Enforcement."

The Rt. Rev. Seldon M. Griswold, suffragan bishop of the Chicago Episcopal diocese, recently recovered from a long illness, will be honored next Sunday on the occasion of the twenty-fifth anniversary of his consecration. The date is also the 67th anniversary of his birth, and the 11th anniversary of his installation as suffragan bishop of Chicago.

He will be the guest at St. Mark's church, Evanston, in the morning and at 4:30 p. m. lay readers of Chicago will conduct a celebration at the Church of the Messiah, 82d street and Dante avenue. On Monday morning, Jan. 9, there will be a gathering at St. Mark's church, Evanston, at 11 o'clock, followed by a luncheon in Bishop Griswold's honor.

The Rev. William A. Sunday, D. D., better known as Billy Sunday, the evangelist, will begin today a series of meetings for six days at the Methodist Episcopal church, 34th street, west of Oak Park avenue, Berwyn, Ill. Dr. Sunday will preach today at 10:45 a. m., 2:30 p. m., and 8 p. m.; tomorrow until Friday night he will speak daily at 2 p. m. and 8 p. m.

While the meetings are held in the Methodist church, all the churches of Berwyn have promised to cooperate and the church has arranged for an audience of 2,000 people. From Berwyn Billy Sunday will go to St. Louis, where he will begin next week an extensive revival campaign.

Special revival services to continue every evening except Saturday will begin today at the Immanuel Baptist church, 23d street and South Michigan avenue. The pastor, the Rev. Robert V. Meigs, will preach and conduct the services, assisted by various committees, composed of the deacons, other church officers and the young people's society.

The regular choir committee will have charge of the music. This is the first special revival campaign conducted by the church since the one led by the girl evangelist, Uldine Utley, last March.

SERMONS AND SERVICES IN CHICAGO CHURCHES TODAY



THE VERY REV. JAMES W. DONAHUE, C. S. C.
[McDonald Studio Photo.]

The feast day of the Holy Name will be observed this evening at 8 o'clock at Holy Name Cathedral, North State and East Superior streets. It is the most important day on the calendar of the Holy Name society of the archdiocese union of Chicago. It has come to be known as Holy Name day.

The special speaker on this occasion is the Very Rev. James W. Donahue, C. S. C., superior general of the Congregation of Holy Cross, Notre Dame, Ind. His eminence Cardinal Mundelein will be present and it is expected he will make a brief address to the members of the society. The Rt. Rev. E. F. Hoban, D. D., is the general spiritual director of the society and will be in general charge.

Father Donahue was born in St. Columbkille's parish, Chicago, the same parish in which Bishop Hoban was born. As superior general of the Congregation of Holy Cross, his jurisdiction extends over all the works of the congregation, which now has establishments in the United States, France, Italy, India, and Canada. The University of Notre Dame, which is the mother house, is the best known establishment in the United States.

NOTICE.

Announcements for this column must reach THE TRIBUNE by Thursday morning. Address Religious Editor, THE TRIBUNE, Chicago.

ADVENT CHRISTIAN.

Blessed Hope, Grenshaw-st. and Karlov-av. The Rev. A. F. Bloom. 11 a. m.: "The Days That Are Past." 7:30 p. m.: Miss Hannah Stocks.

ADVENTIST.

First German, Roscoe-st. and Claremont-av. Pastor Patzonaki. 8 p. m.: "New Year Resolutions."

Greek, 619 S. Ashland-blvd. Pastor N. S. Papas. 8 p. m.: "Destiny of Man."

Shiloh, St. Lawrence-av. at 46th-st. Pastor G. Peters. 8 p. m. [colored].

West Central, Waller-av. and Midway-pk. Pastor A. D. Bohn. 8 p. m.: "In One Hundred Forty-Four Thousand of Revelation."

AMERICAN CATHOLIC.

St. Cecelia's Oratory, Garrick hall, 64 W. Randolph-st. Mass and sermon, 10:30 a. m.

St. Joseph's, 2219 N. Mansfield-av. Mass, 10:30 a. m.

St. Mary of Nazareth, 4417 N. Mulligan-av. Mass, 10:30 a. m.

BAPTIST.

Belden Avenue, 2309 N. Halsted-st. The Rev. J. W. Hoyt. 11 a. m.: "A New Year's Resolution—the Responsibility of Leadership." 7:45 p. m.: "How to Make a Success in 1928."

First, 935 E. 50th-st. The Rev. Perry J. Blackhouse. 11 a. m.: "Christ in the Common Things of Life." 8 p. m.: "A New Year's Sermon."

Garfield Park, 4100 Jackson-blvd. The Rev. E. A. Shulls. 11 a. m.: "The Question of Stewardship." 7:45 p. m.: "What the New Year Should Mean for Us."

Hyde Park, 5600 Woodlawn-av. The Rev. Charles W. Gilkey. 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

Immanuel, 2300 S. Michigan-av. The Rev. Johnston Myers. 11 a. m. The Rev. Robert Van Meigs. "The New Year's Work." 7:45 p. m.: "Eternal Reasons for a Revival."

Irving Park, 4401 Irving Park-blvd. The Rev. G. C. Crippen. 11 a. m.

Judson, Austin-blvd. and Potomac-av. The Rev. Joseph Croft Dent. 11 a. m.: "A New Year's Motto." 7:45 p. m.: "How to Be Successful."

Lorimer Memorial, 73d-st. and St. Lawrence-av. The Rev. Charles B. Althoff. 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. ("The Sovereign Cure for Worry," Dr. A. B. E. Wyant).

North Shore, Berwyn-av. at Lakewood. The Rev. H. W. Virgin. 11 a. m.: "I Am Resolved." 8 p. m.: "Has Protestantism Failed?"

Normal Park, 70th-st. and Stewart-av. The Rev. M. M. McGorrill. 11 a. m.: "Practical Suggestions for the New Year."

Second, Jackson-blvd. at Lincoln-st. The Rev. Ralph A. Ransom. 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.: "Thinking One's Way."

Tabernacle, Monroe and Spaulding. The Rev. A. J. Reid. 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Temple Baptist, Humboldt-blvd. The Rev. Henry G. Smith. 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

Western Avenue, Western and Warren-avs. The Rev. Alfred C. Drummond. 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Woodlawn, 62d-st. and University-av. The Rev. M. P. Boynton. 10:30 a. m.: "The Last Days." 7:30 p. m.: "The New Way."

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.

Subject in all churches: "God."

First, 4017 Drexel-blvd. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Second, Wrightwood-av. at Pine Grove. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Third, Washington-blvd. and Leavitt-st. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Fourth, Harvard-st. and Marquette-rd. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Fifth, 4840 Dorchester-av. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Sixth, 11321 Prairie-av. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Seventh, 5318 Kenmore-av. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Eighth, 4359 S. Michigan-av. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Ninth, 6154 Woodlawn-av. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Tenth, 5940 Blackstone-av. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Eleventh, 2840 Logan-blvd. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Twelfth, 635 Grace-st. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Thirteenth, 10317 Longwood-dr. 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Fourteenth, Sunnyside-av. and Paulina-st. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Fifteenth, 301 N. Central-av., Austin. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Sixteenth, 7201 N. Ashland-av. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Seventeenth, the Masonic Hall temple, 32 W. Randolph-st. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Eighteenth, corner E. 72d-st. and Cole-av. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

CONGREGATIONAL.

Argyle Community, 5018 Kenmore-av. The Rev. J. S. Ainslie. 11 a. m.: "Another Year. What Shall It Be?"

First, Oak Park. The Rev. Albert W. Palmer. 10:45 a. m.: "Ideals for the New Year." 7:30 p. m.: Apollo Musical club. "The Messiah."

First, East Chicago, Ind. The Rev. Walter H. Moore. 10:45 a. m.: The Rev. John X. Miller, Pasumali school, India.

Irving Park Immanuel, Berteau-av. at N. Troy-st. The Rev. Clarence B. Gould. 11 a. m.: "The Price of a Happy New Year." 8 p. m.: "Religion and Music."

New England, 809 N. Dearborn-st. The Rev. John Rushton Heyworth. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

New First, Washington and Ashland-blvds. The Rev. Walter Amos Morgan. 10:30 a. m.: "Christianity and Great Vocations; Law and Human Life." 7:30 p. m.: Pageant.

South Drexel-blvd. at 40th-st. The Rev. W. F. Shde. 10:45 a. m.: "A Beautiful Life." and 7:30 p. m.: "Pressing Onward."

Warren Avenue, Warren and Albany-avs. The Rev. W. H. North. 10:45 a. m.: "A New Year's Affirmation."

Wellington Avenue, Wellington-av. near Broadway. The Rev. George S. Mills. 11 a. m.: "Holding Fast."

DISCIPLES OF CHRIST.

Evanston, Maple-av. and Greenleaf-st. The Rev. Clark W. Cummings. 11 a. m.: "Christ the Finality." and 7:30 p. m.

Irving Park, Kildare-av. at Cullom. The Rev. Robert C. Lemon. 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Jackson Boulevard, 2421 W. Jackson-blvd. The Rev. Charles E. Oakley. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

North Shore, Magnolia at Ainslie. The Rev. C. W. Longman. 11 a. m.: "Christian Resolutions."

Ravenswood, Greenview-av. at Sunnyside. The Rev. D. A. Wickizer. 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

University, 5655 University-av. The Rev. Edward Scribner Ames. 11 a. m.: "This New Year."

EPISCOPAL.

All Saints, Wilson and Hermitage-avs. The Rev. Floyd F. Bernard. 7:30, 9:30, and 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Atonement, 5749 Kenmore-av. The Rev. Alfred Newberry. 7:30, 8:30 and 10:30 a. m.

Advent, 2900 Logan-blvd. The Rev. Gerald G. Moore. 7:30 and 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Calvary, 3160 Monroe-st. The Rev. H. B. Neely. 7:30, 9:30, and 11 a. m. and 4:30 p. m.: "Near East Relief."

Cathedral Shelter, Washington-blvd. and Peoria-st. The Rev. David E. Gibson. Masses at 7:30, and 11 a. m.

Christ, 6500 Woodlawn. The Rev. Francis Nitchie. 6:30, 7:30 and 11 a. m., and 7:45 p. m.

Church of the Ascension, 1133 N. La Salle-st. The Rev. William B. Stoskopf. Masses 8, 9:15, and 11 a. m. Evensong and benediction, 7:30 p. m.

Church of the Epiphany, Ashland-blvd., at Adams-st. The Rev. John F. Plummer. 7:30, 9:45, and 11 a. m.

Church of the Holy Apostles, Leland and Drake-ava. The Rev. J.

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Busy Year Predicted for Uncle Sam, the Builder, During '28

HUGE PRODUCE CENTER SLATED FOR SOUTH SIDE

To Occupy 10 Acres; Cost $5,000,000.

BY PHILIP HAMPSON.

Provided our country's farmers keep on the job, Father Dearborn's south side offspring need never take up the popular old army refrain, "When do we eat?" For there were announced yesterday plans for a $5,000,000 south central wholesale produce market which for many years to come should be able to keep south siders' pantries stocked with fresh foods.



FRANK J. O'BRIEN

This market is to occupy ten acres of ground extending three blocks along the south side of 89th street between State street and Indiana avenue. It will be bounded on the south by 89th place.

Here's the idea. The market will consist of two long one story buildings facing on 89th street and 89th place. Each will be divided into 46 stalls, with a total of 92 for 92 merchants. These merchants will receive their foodstuffs —vegetables, fruits, chickens, ducks, geese, butter, eggs, and so on—direct by rail from the farmers, and they in turn will wholesale to the south side retailers. The method of operation will be similar to that of the South Water street and other markets.

Will Be Vermin Proof.

William L. Hoffman is architect for the project. The buildings are to be of steel and concrete, with fireproof and vermin proof materials used throughout. The entire outside is to be of white enamel brick, with green enamel brick courses employed to bring forth a bit of color. According to promoters of the project, all the buildings are to be kept spotless and if a speck of dirt shows itself doubtless the entire police and fire departments will be called out to chase it.

Each stall is to have its own refrigerator room and will be equipped with labor saving devices that will enable one man to handle from two to four carloads of produce a day. Foundations will be laid to carry an additional story if the occupant of any stall requires additional space.

Speed Is Emphasized.

A study has been made of the leading produce markets of the country and the new development has been designed so as to permit merchants to shop around amongst the various wholesalers with as little delay as possible. Each stall will have a minimum storage capacity of ten cars and they are arranged to permit retailers to load and get away quickly. There will be a private street 75 feet wide between the two buildings. Service platforms along the buildings will be protected by a currugated asbestos and cement tile canopy which will allow full delivery during inclement weather. It is said merchants will be able to get to and back from the market in an hour and a half.

The market is based on a nine mile radius, with its territory going as far north as 39th street and including such suburbs as Gary, Hammond, etc. It will serve some 2,000,000 consumers. The Hammond junction yard of the Chicago Belt Line railway, with a capacity of 1,500 cars daily, is adjacent and it will be connected with the market by switch tracks.

It is also planned to include in the project a separate bank building at the corner of State and 89th, which structure will also contain club rooms and offices, and a 200 truck garage at Indiana and 89th.

To Be Sold Like "Co-ops."

The stalls are to be sold on a co-operative basis. Frank J. O'Brien, vice president of McKey & Poague, is to have charge of their sale and has organized a special department under the charge of Harry Hoffman. The method of sale will be similar to that employed in the sale of coöperative apartments.

Details of financing are to be announced later. Work is scheduled to start shortly. It is stated the investment in land, buildings and equipment will total $5,000,000.

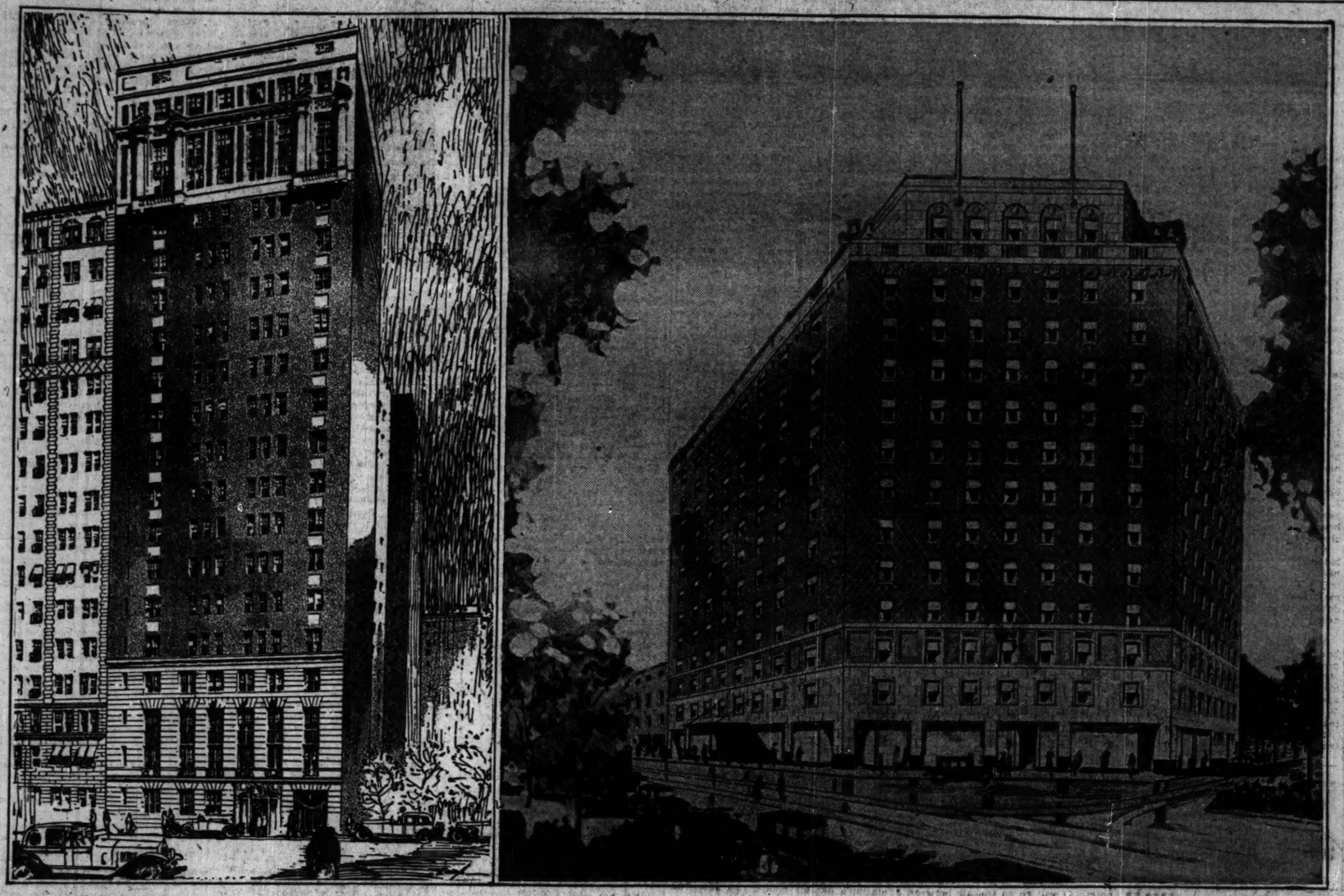
Frank H. T. Potter is handling all the legal details for the South Central Realty and Development company. Chandler & Montague represented the owners of the site, the Healy White Realty Trust. McKey & Poague, Inc., are exclusive sales agents.

REALTORS PLAN ANNUAL DINNER SANS SPEECHES

An almost speechless banquet is the revelry promised realtors who attend the anual festivities of the Oak Park Real Estate board on Monday, Jan. 9th, at the Golden Pumpkin cafe at Madison and Hamlin. President Ted R. Leth will sing his "Swan Song" and there'll be greetings by the new president. "No other speakers" reads the anouncement. There'll be special entertainment, dancing and cards after the nine course dinner, until 1:30 a. m.

According to Mrs. W. H. Wright, member of the banquet committee, national and state executives and also the entire active membership of various suburban real estate boards have been invited.

TWO GOOD SIZED NORTH SIDE PROJECTS OF THE WEEK



On the left is the nineteen story coöperative apartment building to be erected at 222 East Chestnut street, just east of and adjoining the Seneca hotel, by the Chestnut Street Building corporation, from plans by Rissman & Hirschfeld, as told in The Tribune of Dec. 16. Charles Kemp made the sketch shown. H. O. Stone & Co. have underwritten an $800,000 bond issue. Work is to start this week. There'll be thirty-six suites of six and seven rooms.

The building on your right is the new Lincoln hotel, work on which has started at the intersection of Clark street, Lincoln avenue, and Wells street. The hotel will face north, so that in the picture above Clark street is on your left and Wells on your right. Loewenberg & Loewenberg are the architects. The total cost of land, building, and furnishings is placed at over a million dollars. The hotel will have 300 rooms.

CONSTRUCTION IN CHICAGO AREA MAY BEAT 1927

Forum Predictions Are Cheerful.

BY AL CHASE.
[Real Estate Editor.]

Uncle Sam, the builder, is not going to slow up any in his wielding of hammer, saw and other tools he's been using at high speed throughout the nation for several years, according to a prediction just made in the annual building forecast of the Architectural Forum. Instead, the old gentleman's activity during the year 1928 is expected to be approximately equal to that of 1927 and in addition it is predicted that over the next few years there'll be no general collapse of the situation but rather a gradual return to a new normal much higher than that established in any previous decade.

Of course, in various geographical districts of the country there are changes indicated. In some districts there is to be more building and in others less. The Chicago area, in fact the entire middle states district, promises continued building activity perhaps surpassing that of the year 1927.

More Apartment Hotels.

The notable changes in public demand for the Chicago area, according to the forecast, includes a doubling of the demand for apartment hotels and a falling off in the requirements for churches, industrial, office buildings and theaters.

There is evidently to be more construction of public buildings and of hospitals, apartment and automotive buildings. In the residential field of this district still greater construction activity is indicated.

"In attempting to establish this forecast of building activity for the year 1928, we face an unusual and paradoxical condition," says C. Stanley Taylor of the Architectural Forum. "On one hand we hear many casually or even thoughtfully expressed opinions indicating that there will be less building activity in 1928 than in several past years.

Get Data from Architects.

"On the other hand, the Forum's survey, on which this forecast is based, has been carried out in exactly the same manner used for the last seven years. Here we have actual evidence of work on architects' boards, or seriously contemplated for the year 1928, a volume of work which is testified to by 1,793 individual confidential reports from architects.

"These reports indicate that building will continue in 1928 at least in the same volume if not reaching even greater totals than 1927.

"If we seek further to analyze the apparently paradoxical situation (wherein many are predicting a sharp falling off of building in 1928, although most forecasts are to the contrary), we seem to discover controlling factors of an unusual nature, which, after all, may offer a simple explanation.

"It is to be noted that those who are making casual predictions anticipating a considerable decrease in the building volume are located in larger centers where there is perhaps an overbuilt situation which colors opinions.

Real Prosperity—Not a Boom.

"Probably, too, the idea of decreased activity in the building fields is a natural reaction of the human mind which refuses to believe that good conditions can last so long. This conjecture is substantiated by the fact that most of those who are pessimistic about building activity are also pessimistic about national prosperity. Of course, if general business conditions become adversely affected and the confidence of the public is shaken, building activity will be materially influenced.

"With these thoughts in mind, is it not reasonable to believe that there may be a basic explanation for the evident paradox of contrary opinions as to building activity? Perhaps we have not been passing through a real boom—perhaps the continued building activity which has been carrying on in increasing volume since 1922, is primarily based on greatly increased building requirements coupled with prosperous conditions which have provided the means for this great investment.

Living Standards Higher.

"After all, the population of this country during the last ten years has increased by many millions, for which shelter of all kinds must be provided.

"The fire losses grow greater each year in spite of efforts to curb them. Naturally, replacements to meet fire losses must grow larger as the requirements become greater.

"We also have to consider seriously the greatly increased standards of living. The average family requires better shelter with a greater degree of attractiveness, comfort, and utility. Similarly in business buildings of all kinds, builders must meet a demand which has grown amazingly in respect to the factors of equality and efficiency.

Predicts New and Higher Normal.

"We predict, therefore, that the building activity of the year 1928 will approximately equal that of 1927 and that over the next few years there will be no general collapse of the situation but rather a gradual return to a new normal much higher than that established in any previous decade."

The forecast points out that construction activity during 1927 continued at a pace almost equal to that of the record breaking year of 1926. Including engineering projects and construction in the rural districts, it is evident that the total annual build-

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Urges O. O. of Loop Buildings Twice Yearly

Calling attention to the fact that loop pedestrians recently have had narrow escapes from falling pieces of building material, loosened by weather conditions, Leon E. Stanhope, president of the Illinois Society of Architects, urges at least two annual inspections made of loop buildings by the property owners. These should be done by a skilled inspector or under the direction of the architect of the building, he suggests.



LEON E. STANHOPE.
[Moffett Photo.]

"In a recent issue of THE TRIBUNE," writes Mr. Stanhope, "I noted the following: 'Several persons on their way home from motion picture theaters in the vicinity had narrow escapes last night when a piece of ornamental stone work, weighing about 100 pounds, fell from above a window on the eighteenth floor of the Union Trust Company building, Madison and Dearborn streets, to the sidewalk. Several men were walking on the sidewalk at the time but none was hurt.

Blames Climate.

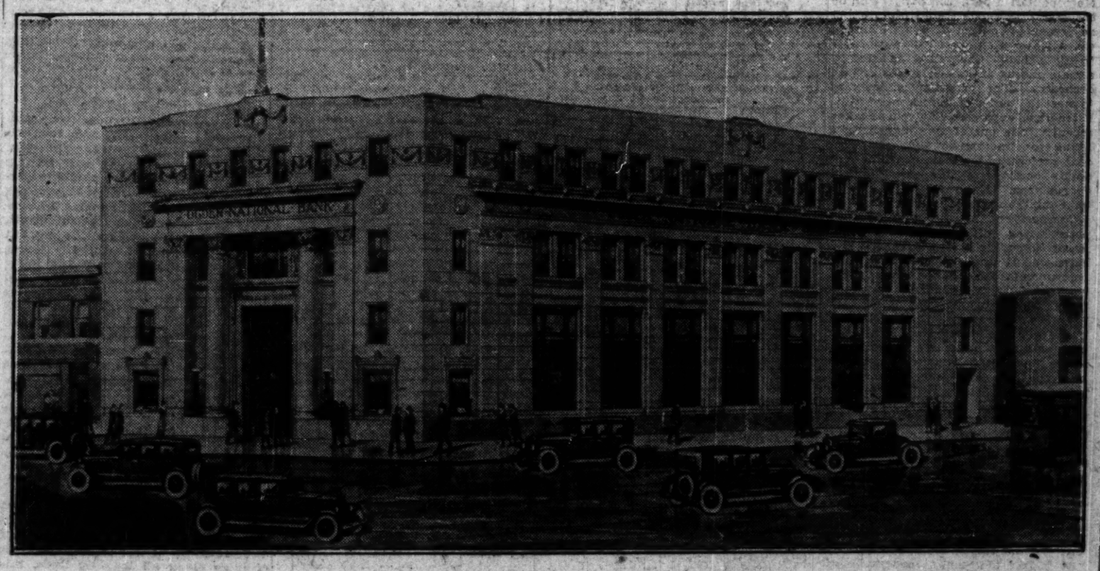
"This falling stone is not a rare occurrence in the loop district. In a climate similar to ours, where we have great extremes in temperature as well as in dry and moist conditions, this alternate freezing and thawing, becoming wet and then again drying out of the joints between the individual places, causing projecting moldings and members, whether of brick, stone, terra cotta, and even cast iron, to loosen and, unless checked by wedging, anchoring, and repointing, to finally fall away from the building.

"I cannot urge too strongly upon the owners of property to have at least two annual inspections made of all cornices, parapet walls and projections. These inspections should be made annually, preferable about April 1 and Oct. 1, by a skilled inspector under the direction of the architect of the building.

Calls It Only Remedy.

"Under our municipal code, the commissioner of buildings, is intrusted with the duty of inspection of buildings annually, but it is a physical impossibility for the personnel of the department of buildings to cover an area as large as the city of Chicago with the force of inspectors allowed them, and the only remedy that can safeguard the public is the inspection of buildings semi-annually by a competent inspector employed by the owner of the building.

WHERE PENNIES GROW TO DOLLARS



Above is the new home which the Ogden National bank will erect at the southeast corner of Ogden and Crawford avenues. K. M. Vitzthum & Co. designed the structure. Work is to start this month, and the building is to represent an investment of $225,000, it is stated.

HENRY HARRELL HEADS DU PAGE CO. REALTORS

Henry L. Harrell, of Harrell & Allmart, Wheaton and Glen Ellyn realtors, was elected president of the Du Page County Real Estate board at its annual meeting at the Dutch grill in Glen Ellyn on Wednesday. B. C. Downs was named first vice president. Other vice presidents are: Otto Balgemann of Elmhurst, O. J. Roath of Lombard, John J. Wozencraft of Glen Ellyn, Alfred C. Hoy of Wheaton, Monroe Crist of Naperville, William Blodgett of Downers Grove, and George Beaton of Hinsdale. Howard P. Jones of Downers Grove was reelected secretary and treasurer.



HENRY L. HARRELL

The Du Page County Real Estate Board is composed of realtors living in the principal communities in the county.

Ogden National Bank Will Erect a $225,000 Building

The Ogden National bank announces that it will build a new home at the southeast corner of Ogden and Crawford avenues, and leave its present quarters at 3716-18 Ogden, where it has been since its organization in 1912.

K. M. Vitsthum & Co. have drawn the plans for the new structure which is to be of the architecture favored by bankers, namely, classic. The building is to be three stories high and will be faced with Bedford stone on a granite base.

The banking room is to extend through two floors. It, too, will follow the decorative styles approved by bankers, so bronze and marble will be found in abundance in the room where the clinking and rustling of money provide such pleasant music. There will be mezzanine floors at the front and rear of the banking floor.

Officers of the bank like the safety deposit vault equipment in the basement of the present building so well that they will move it to their new home.

The second and third floors of the structure are to be rented out for offices, mainly to doctors and dentists.

Work is to start on the new structure some time this month. It is estimated that the cost of the building will be $225,000. The lot is 50x133 feet.

Frank Ramsford is president of the bank. Barnet L. Rosset is chairman of the board; Max Wollenberg is vice chairman, and Charles R. Corbett is vice president.

Crown Point Man Buys Building at 5618 Drexel

Cleon Burner has sold to Simon McGinley of Crown Point, Ind., the building at 5618 Drexel avenue, containing two stores and fourteen flats. The price was not disclosed, but the sale was made subject to $15,000. A farm near Crown Point was given in part payment at $43,000. Joseph C. Ficklin was broker and D. W. Murphy of McKay & Poague acted for the buyer.

FORMER HEAD OF LOOP BANK TO SELL REALTY

William M. Richards, until recently president of the Lake State bank [now the Old Dearborn State bank] has become associated with the firm of George S. Ballard & Co., realtors, in the First National bank building, and will devote his time to the sale, leasing and financing of business property. Mr. Richards has been identified with the banking business in Chicago for more than twenty-five years, having been with the American Trust and Savings bank for several years, later going to the Chicago Savings Bank and Trust company, from which institution he resigned as cashier in 1919 and organized the Lake State bank.



WILLIAM M. RICHARDS.
[National Art Bureau Photo.]

Tall Inn for Clark Facing Lincoln Park

The Lincoln is the name of a new twelve story hotel which is being erected on North Clark street across from Lincoln park. The site measures 90 feet on Clark, 81 feet on Lincoln, and 83 feet on Wells, and is at the northern extremity of the small block which is bounded on the south by Menominee.

There will be 300 rooms, each with private bath, in the new hostelry, which, it is stated, will represent an investment of $1,050,000 in land, building and furnishings.

Loewenberg & Loewenberg are the architects for the structure which will be of Georgian design. The first three stories will be of stone, while those above will be of face brick laid in English cross bond. Brick laid in this manner permits pleasing contrasts in color in the façade. Along the roof line will be a number of balusters and carved rosettes typical of Georgian architecture.

A Turkish Bath.

There will be an elaborate lobby and a lounge on the ground floor, while stories will face on the street fronts. In the basement will be found a Turkish bath establishment which will be run in conjunction with the hotel.

The structure will be surmounted by an apartment bungalow. One part of the roof will be made into an Italian garden which will be open for use by the guests of the hotel.

Street Is Changing.

It is interesting to note that the Lincoln is the third major improvement on Clark street between North avenue and Center street, completed in the last few years, of a type that is changing the appearance of that thoroughfare. The others are the Moody church, near North avenue, and the Odgen Plaza hotel at Center. The Lincoln replaces an old hotel which has just been wrecked.

Thomas Hennessey, who operates the Wacker hotel and the Norwell Apartment hotel, has leased the new structure for a term of years and will run it. The owners are the Clark-Lincoln Building corporation. Rosenberg & Lurie represented all parties in the purchase of the site, while Epstein & Fetwell were attorneys for the building corporation. Albert Pick & Co. have been given the contract for the furnishings.

Ready to Tell Realtors About North Side Market

John J. Ready Jr. of Ready & Cormack will give the first lecture of the year, Tuesday evening, Jan. 3, before the class in real estate fundamentals of the Y. M. C. A. college of commerce. He will talk on "Chicago's North Side Real Estate Market." This course is given in conjunction with the Chicago Real Estate board.

HOME BUILDERS' DEPARTMENT

HOUSE DESIGNED FOR ITS BEAUTY; STYLE IS HAZY

Nonessentials Left Out; Cost Reduced.

(A Tribune Competition house of six rooms, designed by Bernard Heatherley, architect, Hiram Sibley building, Rochester, N. Y.)

BY LOUISE BARGELT.

[Home Builders' Editor.]



LOUISE BARGELT. (Chambers Photo.)

In this instance, the architect, Mr. Heatherley, was reluctant to name any particular style or period to which the house conformed.

As Mr. Heatherly expressed it, he believed that the finest examples from the golden age of architecture are those which were designed to fill the needs of life as then lived, regardless of attempts at style. For this style, although designed for beauty in the last analysis, was evolved logically from the sources of material at hand and available labor.

However, admitting that one must own, in elevational treatment, a legacy from the past, he describes his home as English; an adaptation of the style that developed in the days of the late Tudors.

Here we find the pleasingly rendered exterior walls of cement plaster on 8 inch hollow tile. The color is dark cream, with finish a smooth sand float. Latitude of choice is suggested in the roof covering; tile, slate, or asbestos shingles in dark shades.

Steel Casement Windows.

The windows are steel casement with leaded glass. The lot may be defined by trellis, the pergola piers may be built of broken brick and tile slushed solid with cement.

From the entry one reaches an inner reception hall, with long living room and sun porch on the right and dining room with two generous window exposures on the left. Between the rear entrance and the garage there is a covered way—a big comfort—giving to the completely detached garage many of the distinct advantages of the attached garage.

The following treatment of the interior is made with a view to keeping the cost moderate.

The wall surfaces and ceilings are to be left in a perfectly plain sand float cement plaster finish so far as all the living quarters are concerned. The kitchen and bathroom, if not tiled, can have a hard, smooth plaster finish for painting.

Favoring Plain Walls.

It has been said that plain walls are the refuge of the artistically destitute. But this statement, like many similarly sweeping ones, is unguarded. It denies much of the beauty of Spain, particularly, and much early architecture wherein the value of plain walls was appreciated.

Ruskin indeed was eloquent in his plea for plain wall surfaces, and there are those who go so far as to say that an insistence upon the elaboration and patterning of all walls is a mark of the unimaginative. For plain walls admit of much variety in room treatment, furniture grouping, and window hangings.

As for the interior trim, one might indulge in colors denied to wallpapers or to other wall coverings. Unless one used a fine grade of oak, stained, one could use white wood, gumwood, or birch for painting. Blue greens, dull oranges, reds, or rich grays all would be effective, provided they were used cautiously. Even a touch of gilt is not inconceivable.

Eliminate Nonessentials.

The elimination of nonessentials might be the keynote in building this house. Cornices and ceiling ornaments are not obligatory, and the woodwork can be unmolded. In the fireplace the plaster can be brought into the jamb of the opening as far as the brick lining and the lintel can be simply a solid heavy wood beam. If circumstances permit, there might be carving on its face.

The second floor contains three well lighted rooms, together with a large bath, windows on two sides, shower, and linen closet. If preferred, the shower could be placed over the bath tub and the space indicated for the shower occupied by a linen closet with door opening on to the landing.

The basement is well planned, with complete laundry equipment, incinerator, laundry chute, hot water heater, washing machine, laundry tray, ironing machine, and drying cupboard. The architect emphasizes the possibilities of added interest by the skillful use of rain water heads and conductors.

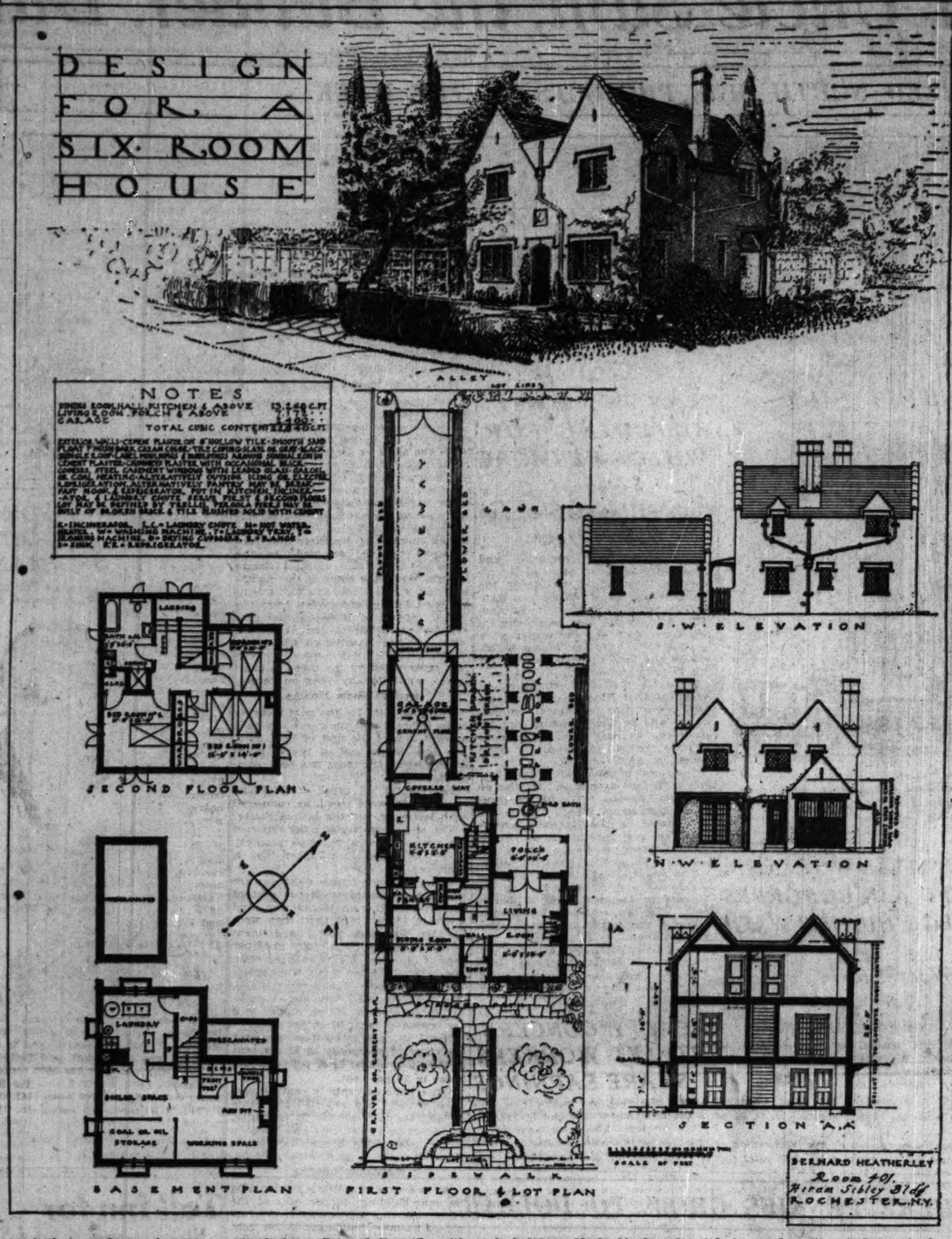
The cost of this house should range between $12,000 and $14,000.

JANUARY IS TIME TO THINK ABOUT LANDSCAPING

January is an excellent month to think about the landscaping problems to be met in the spring.

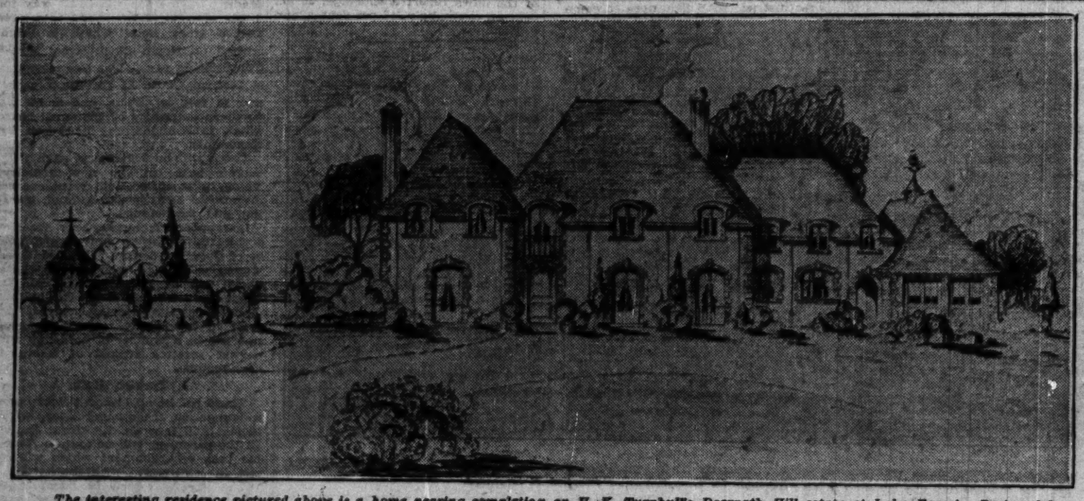
If one makes out a list of what is going to be necessary, and most of these necessities will come under these classifications: lawns, food, flowers, and shrubbery, one will read with added interest all that appears in magazines and papers on landscaping hints. And incidentally one may perhaps save here and there from the family budget so that when spring arrives, one has both the ideas and the money for the landscaping end of home owning.

REMINISCENT OF LATE TUDOR DAYS



A six room house of cream cement plaster walls on hollow tile, with roof of slate or black shingles. Its style is an adaptation of that evolved in the days of the late Tudors. Designed by Bernard Heatherley, 400 Hiram Sibley building, Rochester, N. Y. A Tribune Competition house.

FRENCH HOME AT LAKE FOREST



The interesting residence pictured above is a home nearing completion on H. K. Turnbull's Deerpath Hill estate at Lake Forest. Designed by Anderson & Tichnor, the architecture is French. The building is of hollow tile construction, surfaced with a smooth white cement finish. It has a heavy slate roof. The trim is of red and henna colored brick. Jerome Robert Cerny prepared this rendering.

Answers to Questions on Home Owning

Consult a Bank.

Dear Mrs. Bargelt: I have just purchased plans for a new house, but have been told that they are too exaggerated in style and that I will have a hard time getting a mortgage on it. What shall I do? S. W.

Answer: Submit your plans to your local bank to see if you can secure a mortgage.

Stripping Saves Loss.

Dear Mrs. Bargelt: Is it true that there is any perceptible air leakage around the sash of an unstripped wood window? What is the actual difference between this window and the stripped window? G. S.

Answer—It has been estimated by some authorities that for every running foot around the sash of an unstripped wood window there is an air leakage of 49 cubic feet an hour against the loss with a well weather stripped window of less than 4 cubic feet. The heat loss therefore is about 12 times as great at this estimate for the plain window as for the window protected by stripping. I cannot guarantee the accuracy of this estimate. Authorities differ somewhat but the main fact—that there is a big difference, remains obvious.

Answers to Quiz

1. English, French, Italian, Spanish and Gothic.
2. Not according to reports from prominent foresters.
3. At the present time more than 4,500.
4. Apt to prove ineffective because they are too weak and pale to form a background for deeper colors.
5. The use of strong contrast; light, semi-transparent shades produce a gentle contrast.
6. Adjustable glove drier.
7. From Elizabethan England.
8. Soil which is easily cultivated and soil which is worked with difficulty.
9. Riders pasted to bids made by heating contractors, insuring that the purchaser will get precisely what he pays for; an adequate heating plant in every way, installed up to definite standards.
10. This idea is national in its intention to make widespread good heating plants.

Concerning Provencal Home.

Dear Mrs. Bargelt: We are having a Provençal home built. While we are not going to carry out the interior very faithfully in the French spirit, I would like a suggestion for the walls and floor of entrance hall and for living room ceiling and floor. We have decided on woodwork and dado paneling of jade green for living room walls.—D. F.

Answer: Your entrance hall floor can be of large squares of cork laid in colored cement stained and waxed, or slate slabs, or rubber tiling; the walls of rough plaster with sand finish. The living room ceiling can be of rough floated sand plaster and floor of wide squares of oak and chestnut wood stained with walnut dye and linseed oil. Brick, sandpapered and waxed and oiled, might also be used. These are but a few suggestions. The Provençal house permits many treatment possibilities.

MANY TYPES OF WOOD SUITED FOR INTERIOR TRIM

Under the term "interior trim" comes a variety of items. These are door casings, window casings, baseboards, molding, wainscoting, etc.

The woods to be preferred for interior trim should be hard enough to allow a smooth finish after they have been dressed, yet soft enough to be easily machined.

Among the hard woods used for interior trim are oak, chestnut, red gum, birches, black walnut, maples, yellow poplar, beech, basswood, and cottonwood.

Pine, fir, cypress, hemlock and redwood are among the soft woods. Hemlock takes a polish well, redwood is known for its rich color. White and yellow pine and eastern spruce take paint well and hold it.

If the finish is to be treated with an oil or varnish and the natural color of the wood will show, a high quality of wood is necessary. But if the trim is to be painted, a less expensive material is satisfactory—providing that material is capable of holding paint.

CONCRETE FLOOR IN HOME REDUCES PERIL FROM FIRE

Also Cuts Repair Bills and Keeps Out Dirt.

BY HOMER GRANT.

Jeremiah spoke words of cheer in comparison to those uttered by some home owners when the use of concrete flooring in their home is mentioned. They may have heard of many of its practical features; they may want a house as nearly fireproof as they can afford but—

"I don't want a floor to look like a sidewalk." Or "I don't want my basement floors brought upstairs" or "concrete floors are damp—don't tell me."

And the average home owner has to be "shown" before he will be convinced of the beauty and sanitation possible in concrete floorings as they are now offered to the public. Certainly there is much interested discussion current today on the future possibilities of concrete floors in the homes of tomorrow.

The practical features of the concrete floor are those which naturally appeal to any practical home owner, and most home owners are by nature practical in their attitude towards what affects the stability and longevity of the houses they own.

Fire Safety Main Point.

But in the last analysis the extent of the future popularity of the concrete floor will depend largely on the understanding of the public regarding the attractiveness of its different surfacings.

Fire safety is one of its most outstanding points, for the concrete first floor slab prevents the passage of flames up from coal pile, furnace or basement garage—if one has a built-in basement garage.

Then again concrete flooring eliminates many troubles which often develop after a house has stood for several years, causing the home owner repair bills or interfering with the resale value of the house.

For instance water does not penetrate a concrete floor easily. Broken water pipes, overflowing water pipes do not work such damage on the ceiling below. Vibration is eliminated, as are squeaking and sagging floors.

Keeps Out Dirt.

Another virtue claimed for this type of floor by a home owner of fourteen years experience is that it prevents coal dust and other dirt from seeping through into the upper stories from the basement. He says that the concrete floor especially proves its worth during the delivery of coal.

Another construction point is the fact that concrete floor slabs afford greater strength and stability to the walls. Ordinary floor joints, moving slightly, can crack a wall or ceiling plaster. Concrete floor slabs, not moving appreciably if built correctly, eliminate this danger.

Hardwood flooring, oak, maple, etc., can be nailed directly to the wooden sleepers embedded in the concrete. The firm concrete support does away with any cracking or warping of the wood and the home owner who prefers the floor surfacing of lovely hardwood can still have it, even with the fire safe concrete underflooring.

Many Popular Surfacings.

Or other popular surfacings, such as linoleum, rubber tile, cork tile, can be well cemented to concrete slab. There is no danger of any pulling loose here, or warping, as these surfacings become an integral part of the concrete. Then, lastly, comes the concrete floor, standing on its own merits, uncovered by any other surfacing, but so treated as to afford really lovely effects. A concrete floor may be made to look like a tile flooring, or it can be stained and waxed in handsome dark shades without any pattern attempt.

There are many pigment preparations for concrete, various reds, yellows and soft browns which combine well with the neutral gray of the concrete and result in effective dark tones. Designs in contrasting colors can be worked out if desired, interesting appearances created by the different stains, charming effects produced by waterproof enamels.

Deserves Consideration.

In the light of all the advancement made in the fields of fireproof construction, weatherproof and age proof construction, in residence work as well as along all building lines, this feature of concrete flooring is well deserving of consideration.

The man who is building his own home is not only investing his money at the time of building, but his future moneys and his future comforts. And whatever contributes to the stability and fire safety of his home adds to his sum total investment in "pieces of silver and peace of mind."



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1. What are some of the interesting textures stucco can be given?
2. Is it true that there is a shortage of lumber in this country?
3. Approximately how many commercial and industrial uses are there for wood at the present time?
4. Why is it that light blue or pink walls are sometimes disappointing?
5. What should be avoided in the choice of a window shade?
6. What modern device permits gloves to be washed at home and come out smooth and shapely?
7. From what period and country were the early New England houses with overhanging second stories, steeply pointed roofs, and leaded casements derived?
8. In gardening parlance, what is meant by "light" soil and "heavy" soil?
9. What is meant by "certified heating"?
10. How widespread is this idea?

(Answers to these questions will be found on another part of this page.)

SEES AMERICA AS LEADING WORLD IN HOME DESIGN



BERNARD HEATHERLEY.

Bernard Heatherley, architect, Rochester, New York, is designer of the six room house shown in the Home Builders' page today.

"I cannot help but regard my student days among the glorious architectural heritage the old world possesses as invaluable," Mr. Heatherley writes. "No less valuable are my years of experience in America, now my home, and to which, particularly in house planning, the world owes an enormous debt.

"Nowhere as in America has house planning reached so nearly the ideal. I believe that the house plans evolved by pioneer architects have had as much to do with molding the high standard of life lived here, as the high standard of life has had to do, by its demands, with the evolution of the perfect plan.

"My experience has been gained in many varied fields—as an architect's should be. Besides my training in architectural schools and offices in London and Liverpool, I have spent periods specializing in the workshops of various craftsmen. Working in ship decoration, furniture, iron work, etc., have all proved extremely valuable in the practice of domestic and public architecture upon which I am now engaged."

LIGHT IN BED ROOM SHOWS IF DOOR IS LOCKED

Electricity will now inform you whether or not your house is locked up. An interesting automatic door switch of the battery type is placed beneath the strike plate of the inside door lock opposite the bolt and operated by the bolt. When the bolt is thrown and the door locked the switch opens a low voltage circuit operating on the bell ringing transformer and controls a pilot light in the main bedroom which indicate whether the house is locked or not.

The illuminated house number is a well known modern device which is invaluable for the passing stranger or friend seeking to find his way after dark.

In connection with this there is a momentary contact switch operating an overhead domelight. A touch of the switch illuminates the door and enables one to find the key hole. Releasing the switch extinguishes the light and there is no danger that one will forget to turn the light off because it won't remain lighted unless one holds the switch button.

Then, too, in connection with this modern entrance lighting one should not forget the front door bell push button which has luminous center.

FEW GUIDEPOSTS TOWARD SAVING IN HOME BUILDING

Eliminate Frills, but Use Best of Materials.

Here are a few practical pointers in house building economics which may save you more than a few hundred dollars when it comes to building the future home.

There are two kinds of economies. One, economy through substitution of cheap materials for expensive ones. This decidedly is not wise economy for it spells extravagance too often when quick depreciation sets in.

The other economy is the economy of house shape and also of elimination. This is common sense economy. The elimination of nonessentials of fussiness of detail, of elaboration in trim, of expensive porch work, high priced gables, grilles, fancy roof lines and ornate dormers.

Square House Economical.

First, from point of view of economy, the square house is the economical house. It does not have to be a homely, boxlike structure, for it can be designed to present desirable features of dignity and architectural charm.

There is little lost space in a square house; moreover it is easy to work in, easy to heat, and because its rooms are located at each corner of the dwelling, it can easily be given abundant ventilation. And because it is a perfect cube, it contains the most space to its wall area which is another building economy point.

As for the roof, a simple hip roof usually saves money, over against the steeply pitched roof. Gables over the windows, dormers, wide eaves all cost money.

Porches with heavy columns are far from cheap and lighter porch columns can be used as well.

Saving in Cellar and Attic.

Then, too, a part of the cellar can be left unexcavated and the attic eliminated. Every foot of attic and cellar space costs money. If an attic is included in the house plan, let it be finished for actual use. It will then prove an investment in house space and not be an extravagance because of costly, wasted floor area.

The cellar is being left out entirely in some homes, even in this Chicago territory. Needless to say where this is done there must be a well built first floor of concrete, well waterproofed with foundations beneath. On this concrete slab a finished wood floor may be laid and the furnace placed in a room a little below the floor level.

The modern cellar is certainly diminishing in size. If it does not in time do a complete fade out, it will be because it has been made such a useful member of the house family that it cannot possibly be eliminated.

HOW TO TELL IF YOUR HOUSE IS IN NEED OF PAINT

The true economy in keeping a house well painted cannot be overestimated.

If one is in doubt whether a repainting job is necessary, as a deterioration preventive, there is a simple test which will tell the tale.

If in passing the fingers over a piece of the painted exterior, a powdery substance comes off, this is an indication that the house should probably be repainted. For it means that the oil has dried and that only the pigments are left. In paint the ingredient which is protective is the oil; ergo, deterioration is in sight and should be stopped.

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BUILDING IN THE CHICAGO AREA MAY EXCEED '27

Forum Predictions Are Optimistic.

(Continued from first page.)

ing volume of this country during 1927 has been well over seven billion dollars.

Former Forecast Conservative.

"In January of 1927 the Architectural Forum issued a forecast that building activity for the year would be 10 or 12 per cent less than in 1926," the forecast continues. "Events have proven this forecast to have been more than safely conservative, because the actual building construction, not including public works and utilities, was evidently only about 6 per cent less than 1926.

"The difference between forecast and fact was therefore on the safe side and this fact is pointed out in view of the peculiar difficulties of establishing our forecast for the year 1928."

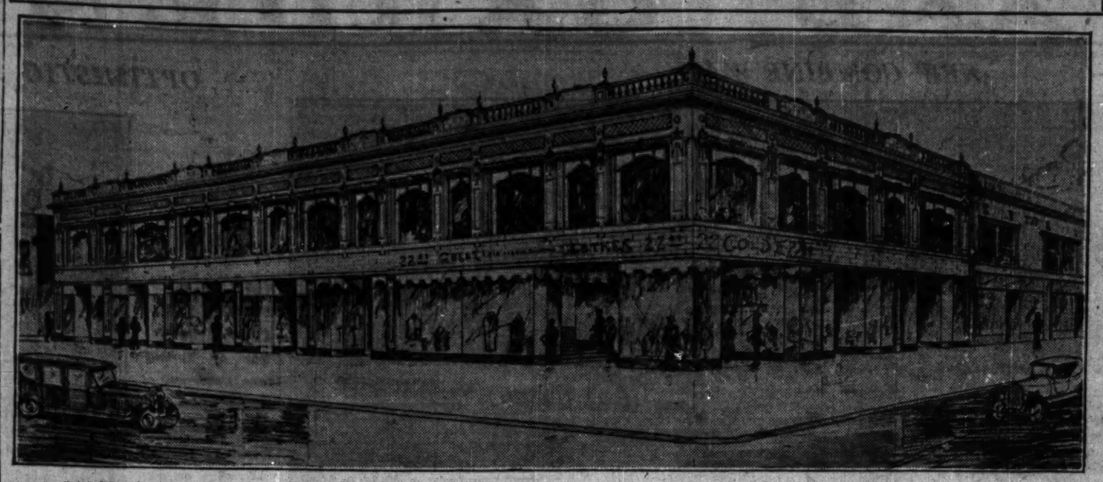
One of the Best of Its Kind.

THE TRIBUNE has found the Architectural Forum's annual forecast to be one of the most accurate and comprehensive of any made. For several years the Forum has carried out a national survey among architects, obtaining confidential reports of work actually on the boards or seriously contemplated to reach the contract stage in the following year.

"Having these figures in hand it has been found possible to apply a series of ratios which have resulted each year in a fairly close approximation of actual figures ultimately recorded," said Mr. Taylor.

"Primarily, of course, this forecast deals with work carried out through architects' offices, but with the exception of small residential work [houses under $10,000] and factory buildings, the bulk of the building in this country is controlled by architects."

NEW BUILDING FOR THE WILSON AVENUE DISTRICT



This two story structure, designed by Carl Hauber, is to be built at the southwest corner of Wilson and Kenmore by John C. Krietenstein, who has leased the entire second floor and the corner store to the Golde Clothes Shops, Inc., through Cerf & Ehrenhalt. It'll have foundations for two more stories.

CLEANING PLANT FOR NORTHWEST SIDE



New plant being erected by the Northwest Cleaners and Dyers at Western, Station, and Manitou, from plans drawn by M. Louis Kroman. It is stated the project will represent an investment of $175,000, in which connection Lackner, Butz & Co. have made a $60,000 loan. Completion is scheduled for March 15, 1928. The Callner Construction company has the contract. Herbert Joseph prepared this rendering.

KANKAKEE OFFICE BUILDING



Kankakee might be said to be a Chicago suburb, so we'll show a picture of how that town's latest office building will look on completion. It will be located at the northwest corner of Merchant and Schuyler. One unit is already completed, and work is to start shortly on the other. Edward A. Nitsche is architect. Harry L. Topping is owner.

LOCAL CHARITIES TO BENEFIT BY 50 YEAR LEASE

The F. & W. Brand company, which operates a 5-10-25 cent store chain, has leased the property at 7314-18 South Halsted street, 50x117, from the Peoples' Stock Yards State bank and Mitchell D. Follansbee, executors and trustees of the estate of Albert W. Klingbell, for fifty years.

On May 1, 1928, the lessees will wreck the present one story structure and erect a modern two story and basement building. They will occupy the entire main floor and basement. The second floor will have offices.

Mark Levy & Brother, only brokers in the deal, state that the total net rental for the entire term will be $505,000, or an average annual net rental of $10,100. On a 6 per cent basis, this gives the property a value of $168,333, or $3,366 a front foot.

Albert W. Klingbell died in 1926, leaving an estate of approximately $425,000, the income of which was divided between a brother and a sister and the Chicago chapter of the American Red Cross, the Alexian Brothers' hospital and the German Old Peoples' home. The brother survived Mr. Klingbell only fourteen months and on the death of the sister, Ida Korte, the whole income of the estate is to be paid annually to the Chicago Community trust.

PARAMOUNT TO MARKET 11 ACRES AT NILES CENTER

Eleven acres at the southeast corner of Simpson street and Keeler avenue, Niles Center, have been purchased by the Paramount Realty corporation from a syndicate headed by Otto Otterstrom of Nelson Brothers and the Flossy Dental laboratories of Evanston. The price was not disclosed. Frank R. Mason, vice president of the Paramount company, states that the property will be marketed at once. It is adjacent to the firm's Orchard and Crawford and Ridge Terminal subdivisions. McNab, Holmes & Long were attorneys for the buyer and Pickett & Holt acted as brokers for both parties.

$320,000 FLATS XMAS PRESENT OF DOCTOR TO WIFE

The Madison and Kedzie Trust and Savings bank, trustee, has sold to Coriane C. Rust the Hinman Manor apartments, 547-55 Hinman avenue, Evanston, for a reported $320,000, subject to $236,000. As part payment the purchaser gave twelve flats at Early and Magnolia, subject to $47,500. Dr. Austin Rust, the real purchaser, had the property conveyed to his wife as a Christmas present. H. J. Goldberg of K. A. Hastings & Co. represented the buyer and Mr. Juelson of Rutherford & Harding acted for the seller.

PLAN 12 STORY SHERIDAN ROAD FLAT BUILDING

Tentative plans are under way for a twelve story apartment building on the east side of Sheridan road, between Albion and Loyola. The 350x165 site was acquired by Marks Bros. in 1921 and recently sold to undisclosed parties.

Figures for the Week

TRANSFERS.

	No.	Amount.
Last week	1,422	$3,352,251
Same wk. last yr.	1,307	3,034,501

TRUST DEEDS, MORTGAGES.

	No.	Amount.
Last week	1,438	$20,978,901
Same wk. last yr.	1,639	15,939,819

BUILDING PERMITS.

	No.	Cost.
Last week	79	$1,832,000
Same wk. last yr.	95	3,269,600

ERECT 30 HOMES IN VICINITY OF ROSCOE-AUSTIN

3 Units Slated to Cost $825,000.

Construction has started on the first unit of a group of three bungalow developments in the Roscoe-Austin district which it is stated will represent a total investment of $825,000. Serrin & Hildebrand are the builders and owners.

The first unit will consist of thirty brick residences of five and six rooms each, to sell for $9,000 or $10,000. They are being erected on both sides of Roscoe and Newport, just east of Austin avenue. Designed by E. Brauchen, the architecture will be of the conventional type adopted for bungalows in the city, with only slight variations in the fronts.

James B. Serrin calls the bungalows "certified homes," which means that they are erected in accordance with the code of ethics as set forth by the National Better Home Builders' association. He reports that 1927 was his firm's best year, it having done twice the business of 1926.

The bungalows now under construction have sites 30x125 feet. They are to be ready for spring occupancy. The Irving National Mortgage company is underwriting first mortgage loans on the entire program, the second two units of which will get under way later in the year. Robert E. Schreiber is exclusive sales agent.

PLAN TWO STORY BUILDING FOR WILSON-KENMORE

Golde Clothes Shops in Upper Floor.

Plans have been completed and work is to start at once on a two story building to be erected at the southwest corner of Wilson and Kenmore avenues by John C. Krietenstein, who already has leased the entire upper floor and the corner store to the Golde Clothes Shops. This will be the fifth Chicago location for this clothing concern.

Plans for the new structure, by Architect Carl Hauber, call for foundations for two additional stories, which will be added when uptown conditions warrant it. It is planned to have the building ready for occupancy by April 1, 1928.

The new building will front fifty feet on Wilson avenue and 125 feet on Kenmore avenue. There'll be three stores opening on Wilson avenue and four stores on the Kenmore avenue side. The cost is estimated at $75,000. This site was once occupied by the old Sheridan moving picture house.

The length of the Golde term and the rental were not disclosed by the brokers in the deal, Cerf & Ehrenhalt. This firm states its intention to establish this corner as a men's shopping building.

Joseph Grossman was attorney representing F. M. Hahn of the Golde Clothes Shops and George Steinbrecher was attorney for Mr. Krietenstein.

POSTAL WORKERS TO ASK CONGRESS FOR HIGHER WAGE

Want Shorter Hours for Night Men.

BY THOMAS WREN.

This session of congress will be asked to raise the wages of postal workers and also to improve their working conditions, according to Thomas F. Flaherty, the secretary-treasurer of the National Federation of Post Office Clerks.



SOL COHEN. [Moffett Photo.]

Mr. Flaherty said one of the leading issues that will be brought before congress is the time differential bill for the night workers in postal service.

"This legislation would give night workers a work shift of six hours and the pay of eight hours," said Flaherty.

"Any time between 6 o'clock in the evening and 6 o'clock in the morning would be classed as night work." A wage increase of $300 a year will be sought."

Sol Cohen, head of the Chicago Post Office Clerk's union, pointed to the necessity of legislation improving conditions during the seventieth congress.

"A large percentage of the employés in the Chicago post office," he said, "are night workers who must submit to an exacting task that requires memory, accuracy and speed.

"Most of them can become proficient only after years of study. It is only fair to the night workers to reduce their work shifts from eight to six hours.

"Pay of post office clerks is by no means adequate. It has not kept step with the wages of millions of workers in the competitive industrial field."

Complaint will be registered against the speed-up practice.

REALTY CONCERN TO LET WORKERS SHARE EARNINGS

The Metropolitan Realty company announces that at the end of 1928 all office employés and sales members of the organization will be paid a bonus equivalent to ten per sent of their earnings in the form of stock in the company. This bonus system is to continue over ten years at the completion of which time it is hoped to have the firm the first cooperative selling organization in the country.

An advisory board, composed of officers, directors and heads of departments, will direct the firm. Twenty-one people constitute this board. Future plans of the concern contemplate building and bond and mortgage departments. The firm is now marketing its tenth subdivision in the Niles Center district, with five more to come.

1928 YEAR BOOK OF REALTORS IS JUST OFF PRESS

The Chicago Real Estate board's year book for 1928 is just off the press. This volume contains laws, ordinances, city regulations, commission charges and similar information of interest to real estate dealers, property owners, lawyers, etc. It also contains a list of all Chicago realtors and contains blank pages in the form of a calendar, one for each day of the year, which may be used as a daily memorandum note book.

TO BUILD AT LAKE AND KILPATRICK.

Franklin M. and Harry J. Miller have bought the southeast corner of Lake and Kilpatrick, 184x135, from the Western Fuel company, and contemplate erecting an automobile service station and storage plant.

REALTY MARKET THROUGHOUT U. S. STABLE IN 1927

Residential Rents Show Some Decline.

Real estate activity throughout the United States and Canada during 1927 generally found itself in a stabilized condition, according to a survey of the real estate market which has just been completed by the National Association of Real Estate Boards.

Of the 310 cities covered by the survey 40 per cent report the market to be somewhat less active than last year, 25 per cent report it at the same level as last year, and 35 per cent report a greater activity than last year. Selling prices are reported higher in 14 per cent of the cities, the same as those of last year in 57 per cent of the cities and lower in 29 per cent.

All the cities having a population of 500,000 or more reported prices to be the same as last year.

The total number of real estate transfers recorded for the country as a whole, as indicated in 41 typical cities, has been substantially equal to the number recorded in 1926, according to the tabulation of official reports of the number of transfers and conveyances recorded as made by the National Association of Real Estate Boards. While the trend of the monthly index of real estate market activity compiled by the association from the official reports of transfers and conveyances recorded in the 41 typical cities has been downward since February, 1927, the total number of transfers represented by the index is practically equal to any year on record.

Rentals Show Decline.

Incoming data for the next monthly index indicate that the curve will turn upward toward the first of 1928, as it has done in ten out of twelve years during which the index has been compiled.

Rentals for all types of dwellings show a downward trend, as compared with last year, for the United States.

The large majority of cities reported the rents of central business property to be the same as or higher than a year ago.

Rents in single family dwellings are reported stationary in 66 per cent of the cities, higher in 10 per cent, and lower in 24 per cent than they were at this time last year. Apartment rents are reported stationary in 68 per cent of the cities, higher in 9 per cent, and lower in 23 per cent. Kitchenette apartments show a still more stabilized condition, with rents stationary in 73 per cent of the cities, higher in 9 per cent, and lower in 18 per cent.

Rents in central business property are reported stationary in 57 per cent of the cities, higher in 30 per cent, and lower in 13 per cent.

Office building rents in central business districts are reported the same as last year in 78 per cent of the cities, as higher in 11 per cent and lower in 11 per cent, a highly stabilized condition.

Residence Building.

As to degree of existing overbuilding or underbuilding, 30 per cent of the cities reporting indicate some oversupply of business buildings, 13 per cent a shortage of this type of structure, and 57 per cent a normal supply. In single family residences 28 per cent of the cities report a shortage, 48 per cent a normal supply, and 24 per cent an oversupply.

In apartment buildings 32 per cent of the cities report a shortage, 25 per cent an oversupply, 43 per cent a normal supply.

The survey shows that the principal decline in real estate activity this year took place in the subdivision market, where 40 per cent of the replies report the same activity as last year, 44 per cent less activity and 16 per cent report more activity.

Percy Wilson Distributes Cash Prizes to Employes

A belated announcement from Percy Wilson & Co., states that Christmas presents and cash prizes totaling $5,000 were distributed to their salespeople. Service pins were awarded the executives and sales managers.

The firm lists as its year's achievements the subdividing of Arterial hill, Broadgate, Southgate, Parkside addition to Arterial hill and Shilling highlands. A turkey dinner was served at the Wilson field office on Dec. 25th.

BROCKMAN'S REPORT TO REAL ESTATORS TELLS OF GOOD YEAR

President Albert J. Brockman's report for the year 1927 to be presented at the annual meeting of the Cook County Real Estate board next Tuesday evening, to be held in the board rooms in the Conway building, will indicate a successful year in all of the organization's activities, according to an advance statement issued.

"The invested reserve of the board has been increased about 30 per cent during the last year and for the first time in the history of the board the general fund has a considerable balance to carry forward, thus enabling increased expenditures for the benefit of the members at the beginning of the year instead of awaiting the receipts of dues for that purpose," the statement reads.

"The Real Property Institute has been very successful. The board's service to its members has been greatly increased during the last year through the medium of furnishing real estate ownership information, the protection of members, insurance interests and brokers' operations in the real estate market of Chicago which in conducted every Tuesday afternoon in the board rooms.

"The public service of the board has likewise received increased attention during the last year. President Brockman as a member of the joint commission for real estate valuation has represented the members of the board in that capacity in the effort to bring about improved administration in the offices of the board of assessors and the board of review."

PLAN DINNER FOR ALD. O'TOOLE AT HOTEL SHERMAN

Incidental to the celebration of the fifth anniversary of the adoption of the Chicago zoning ordinance, a testimonial dinner is to be given to Alderman William R. O'Toole, chairman of the committee on buildings and zoning, on Saturday, Jan. 14, 1928, at at Hotel Sherman, at 6 p. m. The following committee is in charge of the dinner: Alderman E. J. Kaindl, John P. Boyle, John J. Sullivan, Charles Bostrom, Joseph Brittain, H. W. Elmore, George O. Fairweather, Paul Gerhardt, William Artingstall, Thomas J. Courtney, Charles H. Wacker and Patrick Sullivan.



WM. R. O'TOOLE.

PLAN FACTORY AT MAPLEWOOD AND MONTROSE

Kurt Rosenthal has bought the northeast corner of Montrose and Maplewood avenues, 84x125, and is to erect a three story store and factory building which already has been rented to Carson, Pirie, Scott & Co., for fifteen years at a term rental of $142,500. It will be used by the lessees for the manufacture of ladies' house dresses.

The architects are Olsen & Urbain and the builders will be Rosenthal, Mayer & Lewis, Inc. The total investment it is reported, will be in the neighborhood of $110,000.

ARCHIBALD TO BUILD AT WELLS AND MADISON

H. Teller Archibald, head of the Fannie May Candy company, will start work at once on wrecking the old buildings at the northwest corner of Madison and Wells, to make way for a one story building. Contracts have been let to the Solomon-Waterton company. This corner eventually is to be improved with a tall building.

BUYS WINNETKA RESIDENCE.

Mrs. Mary Wells has bought the brick residence at the northwest corner of Hill and Chestnut, Winnetka, from George R. Roehm for a reported $65,000, through McGuire & Orr.

SEES PLENTY OF 1928 FUNDS FOR SOUND BUILDING

Cody Trust Company Is Optimistic.

Although 1927 construction may not equal the figures of the year just closed, according to the Cody Trust company's month end review, just issued, a high volume of building activity is predicted with a building permit volume in the neighborhood of $325,000,000. The 1927 total for the city approximated $350,000,000.

"The post-war building shortage has been ended definitely for all classes of structures except schools and institutions," the review states. "Nevertheless, there are several factors which insure a good if not a record year for the city in 1928.

"The first is the money outlook, which may function, nevertheless, in something of a dual role. There will ben an ample supply for the financing of all sound construction projects. There has been some talk in the financial world of a firming of money rates as the year progresses. This may have the effect of forcing into the open much earlier than was originally intended many large building projects whose backers seek to take advantage of the lowest possible financing terms.

"Such a development may make for new high monthly records in permits taken out during the first two quarters, but it should be followed by a tapering off process later.

Sees Air Right Activity.

"The second factor making for a high rate of activity is the recent approval by the Illinois commerce commission of the use of railroad 'air rights' for two large building projects. Several well located tracts are made available for skyscrapers and warehouses by the precedent thus established and it is probable that this new opportunity for development will be made use of.

"Factor number three is the small house situation. The marked improvement in the heating, lighting, and plumbing facilities available for the average family is rapidly placing the house built fifteen years and more ago in the same class with the used car as regards market value. The demand is for the modern and it is being satisfied through the sale of these sharply depreciated older dwellings and the construction of new ones.

"There is also a large number of subdivision lots whose final payments mature during the winter of 1927-28. Their owners acquired these lots in most instances for home building purposes. The paradox is in prospect of a high rate of small house construction in this field, while bungalows built by small speculators are proving difficult to sell.

Flat Vacancies Increase.

"These favorable factors might make for a record year in building, were it not for the presence of several which are adverse.

"Apartment vacancies are on the increase. They are not unduly high at present, but they will serve to put a damper on the speculative enthusiasm in this class of construction.

"It is this mixture of conditions which suggests a moderate decline in Chicago building next year. We doubt if the value of the permits will drop as low as those of the last presidential election—$295,000,000. Probably it will be in the neighborhood of $325,000,000.

"With this level of activity, building labor should be well employed in Cook county during 1928. Material jobbers and manufacturers should continue moderately active. There will, however, be a healthy atmosphere of competition and both jobs and profits will go to the alert and the efficient."

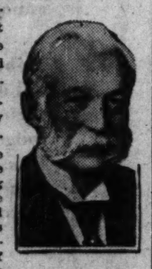
LEASES CORNER FOR CAFE.

J. Bonski has leased the corner store at the southwest corner of Bryn Mawr and Winthrop to Kitos & Co. for a restaurant for ten years at a term rental of approximately $68,000, according to Fribers & Co., brokers for the lessees. J. Shapiro represented the owner.

LOOKING BACKWARD

To Jan. 1, 1918; 10 Years Ago Today

Evidences of improved conditions with respect to office buildings is found in the annual reports of the First National and the Continental and Commercial National banks. They both show gains as compared with the previous year, the statement being made that the Continental and Commercial has at present ninety-nine per cent of its available space rented and also has a considerable waiting list.



JAMES B. FORGAN.

James B. Forgan says in his statement to the shareholders that the rent roll of the First National Bank building shows an increase of more than six per cent.

Fred Johnson has acquired from John J. Johnson the apartment property in Kimball avenue, 271 feet north of Lawrence avenue, 60x125 feet, east front, for an indicated price of $30,000, subject to an incumbrance of $15,000.

To Jan. 1, 1908; 20 Years Ago Today

Burt J. Fitzgerald, for $215,000, conveyed to Fielding L. Marshall and William Waller the property known as the new Lincoln park subdivision, at the southwest corner of North Park avenue and Belden avenue, fronting also on Webster and North Clark and Sedgwick streets, except 427 feet on Belden and 177 feet on Webster. The property was acquired from the University of Chicago in connection with the purchase by the latter of the Lees building, at 147-53 5th avenue. It was conveyed to the university by Mrs. Emmons Blaine. Mr. Fitzgerald sold frontage on Belden avenue for about $40,000, and also expended about $10,000 in putting through and improving Anita terrace, running from North Clark street to North Park avenue. It is said that Mr. Marshall and Mr. Waller contemplate improving the Anita terrace front with apartment buildings.



MRS. EMMONS BLAINE.

To Jan. 1, 1898; 30 Years Ago Today

J. F. and J. P. Doerr have designed for C. A. Londelius a three story apartment house to be built at 518-26 56th street. It will be constructed of pressed brick and stone, the interior being finished in hardwood, and it will be heated by steam. It will cost $50,000.



J. F. DOERR. [TRIBUNE Photo.]

Collins & Morris bought from John A. Cudahy the lot 133x160 feet at the northwest corner of Prairie avenue and 60th street for $15,800. The purchasers will build a fine apartment house on the site to cost $75,000. The building will be three stories high, constructed of light pressed brick and cut stone. It will be finished in hardwood.

Frank Knapp has transferred to C. J. Hambleton the property at the northwest corner of Wrightwood avenue and Dayton street, 120x125 feet, for $34,000.

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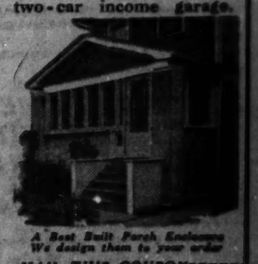
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FARM AND GARDEN

Greater Efficiency Is Farmers' Motto for the Coming Year

Operating Costs Must Be Cut Down to Gain Profits.

BY FRANK RIDGWAY.

IN 1928 much of the agricultural relief must come by farmers turning to the task of organizing their farms so that they can be operated more efficiently. No one seems to doubt that farm earnings are so low that this nation cannot maintain a stable agriculture. Farmers have the country apparently convinced that they should get more for their work, but there is much debate over the plan of adding to the producer's income.

There is no one to kick where the farmer whittles down his production costs and thereby adds to his net profits. Differences of as much as $5,000 a year may occur between the net earnings of farmers in the same community, all because of the way the farms are organized and operated, according to H. C. M. Case, head of the farm organization and management department, University of Illinois. But the earnings on the better farms are the result of years of definite effort to establish a profitable system of farming, Mr. Case finds in reviewing the records of farms in the heart of the corn belt.

Based on Facts.

His views are not based on guesses, but on five year records of fifty-one Woodford county farms in central Illinois, where he found that usually the difference in earnings vary more than 10 per cent on the investment between the high farmer and the low farmer in any one year.

"As an average for the five year period, the best farm made 8 1-3 per cent more on the investment than the farm with the lowest earnings, a farm that lost money. The average investment on these farms was $59,225. Hence the difference in the earnings between the high and low farms computed on the average investment would amount to approximately $5,000 a year. For the five year period the difference would amount to approximately $25,000," said this farm management expert.

This difference in five years would be enough to pay cash for half the cost of a 250 acre farm at $200 an acre.

Why Profits Accrued.

The successful farmers followed certain principles in farming while those less successful failed to observe them. In outlining these principles of factors influencing earnings on Illinois farms, Mr. Case finds that good yields help reduce costs; the higher profit crops should be selected; productive live stock reduce costs; good live stock well handled add to the farm income; available man labor must be used advantageously; the supply of horse and mechanical power should fit the farm needs; buildings, machinery and other equipment costs must be under control; production should be planned in accordance with market demands; a good farm layout makes for economical operation; a large volume of business is necessary for profitable farming, and diversity of production is desirable.

One of the important steps in reducing production costs and thereby adding to the farmer's income has come about through the use of improved machinery which is helping to eliminate man labor and save crops that have previously gone to waste, making it possible to do work at the proper time. The greatest improvement has come about in the harvesting of grains.

Reducing the Bills.

E. W. Lehmann, head of the farm mechanics department at the University of Illinois, shows that possibilities of reducing the farmers' yearly bill for the harvesting of small grains with the combined harvester-thrasher, formerly used only in the far west. The use of the combine for four seasons in Illinois has shown that this new outfit in the middle west has striking advantages in the saving of grain and in reducing power and labor required in thrashing.

There are more than 300 combined harvester-thrashers being used in Illinois in the harvesting and thrashing of soy beans, wheat, oats, sweet clover, red clover, timothy, alsike, buckwheat, rye, and barley, according to Mr. Lehmann. He says that tests of the old mower and thrasher method of harvesting soy beans and of the binder and thrasher method show an average loss of about 30 per cent of the crop.

In contrast, the total loss in harvesting beans with the combine has been less than 10 per cent. Reports from individual farmers indicate that the cost of the combine method of harvesting wheat is about one-half the cost where it is handled by the old binder-thrasher method.

Tested Since 1925.

Mr. Lehmann has been testing the efficiency of the combined harvester-thrasher since 1925. A coöperative project is now under way in which agronomists of the university are studying the characteristics of different varieties of crops, planting, and other factors in relation to the combine. Farm management specialists are making a detailed study of costs, too, he said.

In records kept on Charles Johnson's farm in Ellis county, Oklahoma, by Hyer, county agent, it was found that it cost $3 an acre to handle sweet clover with a combined harvester-thrasher, while with the old binder-thrasher method the cost was $12 an acre, or $9 an acre more. Further saving was brought about by catching more of the seed with the combine in a sweet clover field, where the yield was seven bushels to the acre.

Great strides have been made recently in the development of attachments for the combine which will widen the use of this revolutionary machine. Reports from the grain fields of the Pacific coast and the northwest on the use of the combine in handling bound grain and seed crops either loose in windrows or in bundles and stooks or shocks show that it is now practical.

The new attachments for the combine make it possible to overcome the handicap of harvesting grain heavily infested with weeds or where a field is ripening unevenly. The season for using the combines also has been greatly lengthened. Where weedy grain fields are harvested with the combine, which cuts and immediately thrashes the grain all in one operation, there is danger of the grain coming out with a relatively high percentage of moisture.

Handicaps Overcome.

F. H. Higgins of San Leandro, Cal., says that there are three attachments to the regular combine harvester-thrasher. There is the windrow header, which heads the grain, as done in the old days, but drops it alongside the machine in a neat windrow on top of the stubble, where air can pass all around it and quickly dry it out. The second attachment is a windrow pick-up which gently lifts the dried windrow of cut grain when it is ready for the combine. It feeds it into the combine in an endless carpet and functions as a regular combine. The third attachment is a pickup feeder, which handles the bundles or shocks of grain where it has been cut by the binder, the knives cutting the bands and the feeder mechanism holding back the material to feed it evenly into the thrashing part of the combine.

C. D. Kinsman, formerly of Purdue university and later with the federal department of agriculture, has done much of the experimental work with these new attachments. He has seen the pickups successfully handle beans, rice, sweet clover, weedy wheat, barley, oats, Egyptian corn, kaffir, dwarf Milo maize, and most of the field seed crops.

Many of the pickup attachments were used in the Dakotas, California, and western Canada last season.

Shortage of Funds Halts Michigan Tuberculosis Work

GOV. F. W. GREEN officially stopped all tuberculosis eradication work in Michigan this morning because state funds have become exhausted. Health authorities of Chicago, Detroit, and other cities and towns that require the tuberculin testing of cattle are deeply concerned over the governor's action and the effect it will have on future pure milk supplies.

Detroit's new milk ordinance, quite similar to the one now rigidly enforced in Chicago, requiring that all milk come from tuberculin tested cattle under state and federal supervision, went into effect this morning. This has added to the seriousness of the situation in Michigan, where both the retesting and initial testing work has been stopped, making it impossible for many of the dairymen with qualified herds to repeat the test and keep their cows on the approved list of such cities as Chicago and Detroit, according to authorities.

At a Standstill.

Live stock interests at the terminal markets are taking an interest in the Michigan governor's action. H. R. Smith, live stock commissioner of the National Live Stock exchange, Chicago, said yesterday that all tuberculosis eradication work in Michigan must be discontinued immediately unless Gov. Green authorizes the use of an emergency fund or calls a special session of the legislature to bring relief, as was done in Wisconsin. Unless money is made available Michigan's testing work will be kept at a standstill for six months, until the next fiscal year's appropriation becomes available July 1, 1928.

"It is a regrettable situation," said Mr. Smith, "Michigan up to this time has been a leader in the eradication of tuberculosis from its cattle. All of the cattle in forty-nine out of the eighty-three counties in the state have been tuberculin tested, the reactors slaughtered, and the premises disinfected. These counties are now practically free from tuberculosis and are designated by the state and federal government as modified accredited areas. Only one other state, North Carolina, has more accredited counties and there is very little tuberculosis in North Carolina, some counties showing no reactors whatever.

State Funds Exhausted.

"Only four counties in the entire state of Michigan have failed, as yet, to provide funds with which to cooperate with the federal government and the state in the cleaning up of tuberculosis. The federal fund and county funds are ample, but neither can be used without state funds, which are exhausted. If adequate funds had been provided by the last Michigan legislature, the entire state would be practically free from this disease by 1930.

"During the last few years Michigan has been spending $250,000 a year out of the state funds on this project. Legislative hearings attended by farmers and others from all parts of the state were held in Lansing last winter to show how $100,000 per year additional would be needed this biennium because of the demands from Detroit and other cities for pure milk from herds tested for tuberculosis and known to be free. Gov. Green not only refused the additional $100,000 per year, but he cut the regular appropriation $37,500, allowing only $212,000.

"Heretofore when the regular appropriation was used up in the payment of indemnities and other necessary expenses incident to the application of the tuberculin test in the various counties, the predecessors of Gov. Green have authorized the use of a limited amount of money from so-called emergency funds to carry the work along until the regular appropriations would be available. Apparently Gov. Green refused to do this. Unless the situation is met, all the federal and state men engaged in tuberculosis eradication will be withdrawn from the state of Michigan. This is a calamitous situation to the live stock owners of the state, because up to this time Michigan has been in a position to supply the eastern states with clean cattle at very satisfactory prices to the farmers of the state. This stopping of the work is not only a blow to the farmers, but it is a misfortune to every consumer of milk in the state.

"Last April a year ago Gov. Blaine of Wisconsin called a special session of the legislature at the time when the tuberculosis eradication fund became exhausted. The Wisconsin legislature was in session just one day and it was called for no other purpose but to appropriate an emergency fund of $450,000 to carry the work in that state until the next appropriation became available. There was not a single dissenting vote in either house. This is a matter of just as much importance to the people of Michigan as to the people of Wisconsin, and action of some kind is greatly to be desired," Mr. Smith said.

When Dr. Arnold H. Kegel, health commissioner of Chicago, learned that the testing work was to be stopped in Michigan he immediately reviewed the records in the dairy division to see how much of the city's milk supply coming from that state would be affected by Gov. Green's orders.

The new health commissioner declared that during his administration the strict supervision of all milk coming into Chicago will be continued. He explained that Chicago receives 2,000 gallons of cream daily from Michigan, which amounts to about 5 per cent of the total cream supply of the city. This is shipped from five plants located at Charlotte, Galien, Hopkins, Otsego, and Zeeland. These plants hold permits issued by the health department to ship milk or cream to Chicago. The milk supply for these plants is produced on 1,863 farms in Allegan, Barry, Berrien, Eaton, Ingham, Jackson, Ottawa, and Van Buren counties. All of these counties, except Jackson [in which only six herds delivering to these plants are located], have been declared modified accredited areas, in which the percentage of reactors was below one-half of one per cent.

In Chicago.

"The Chicago department of health," said Dr. Kegel, "has expended approximately $9,000 during the last four years on the inspection and grading of the farms and plants in Michigan. This represents an investment which would be wiped out should it be necessary to shut off these five plants, due to failure to maintain the herds supplying them under state and federal supervision. There would probably be no immediate danger of this, due to the fact that these plants, shipping to Chicago, are all located in modified accredited counties.

"However, the retests on individual herds must be kept up to date, or it is necessary to bar this product from the Chicago market," warned the commissioner.

"The five states from which Chicago draws her milk and cream supply have made splendid progress under the state-federal coöperative tuberculosis eradication plan, and the Chicago department of health would regret very much to see the program in any state crippled, or even suspended for a several months' period," he said.

Fine Record to Date.

It is claimed that no other state has a better record than Michigan in its eradication work. If the testing is stopped for six months it would cost many times the amount of money needed to keep the work going until July 1, when the new appropriation will become available, according to Mr. Smith.

At the present time there are fourteen federal inspectors in Michigan. If the work stops these men will be transferred to other fields and men who are in a position to know say that there will not be the slightest hope of ever having as many return if the work is again taken up. There are also fifteen county veterinarians in the eradication work in Michigan who will have to look for other positions and many of them are not expected to return if they are taken away.

NEW COMBINE WAY



[Photo Courtesy F. H. Higgins.]

WINDROW PICK-UP—Pacific coast grain growers are demonstrating how easily oats are picked up with a combined harvester-thrasher attachment. The grain as shown here is first cut with the windrow header, which heads the grain and drops it alongside the combine in a neat windrow on top of the stubble, where air passes all around it and quickly dries it out.

With this attachment the grain farmer can start harvesting small grain a day or two earlier than he can even with the old binder method. This attachment aids in the harvesting of weedy wheat and other small grain.

FEEDER PICK-UP ATTACHMENT



[Photo Courtesy F. H. Higgins.]

WHERE PITCHFORKS ARE NOT NEEDED—With the combined harvester-thrasher attachment oats (shown in this picture) and other small grain in the shock can be picked up and elevated into the thrasher. This machine cuts the bands and evenly feeds the straw into the thrashing mechanism.

With this attachment, unevenly ripened fields may be cut and shocked and later thrashed with the combine. Under this plan all the labor of loading the bundles from the shock, hauling to a thrashing machine and unloading them is done away with and the cost of harvesting and thrashing is greatly lessened.

More Motor Trucks Bring Live Stock to Markets

THE INCREASED USE of motor trucks in the hauling of live stock direct from the farm to the terminal markets is indicated in a recent report of the Minnesota highway department. Analysis of one day's shipments to the Union Stock yards at South St. Paul, Minn., shows that on Nov. 29, shipments were received from 162 towns by truck. There were 473 loads, representing 648 separate consignments. Sixty-three per cent came distances of fifty miles or less, but 177 loads, or 37 per cent, came 51 to 110 miles.

The total number of cattle, hogs, calves and sheep received by truck during the first eleven months of 1927 was 550,772, compared to 519,443 in twelve months in 1927. Receipts so far this year are more than eight times as great as in 1920, the year before the trunk highway system was put into effect, says the report.

"Bringing live stock direct over the highways reduces the number of loading and unloading operations, shortens the time from farm to market, and usually brings the stock to the packing houses in better condition," says T. E. Good, president of the South St. Paul yards.

OPTIMISTIC ABOUT FARM



DEAN HERBERT W. MUMFORD of the College of Agriculture, University of Illinois, issues New Year's statement, focusing nation's attention on five bright spots in agriculture's outlook for 1928.

H. W. Mumford Finds Bright Spots in Farm Outlook

IN contrast to the gloom that comes along with many farm relief discussions, there is obvious optimism in the new year's statement dealing with agriculture's outlook issued this morning by Herbert W. Mumford, dean of the college of agriculture, University of Illinois, Urbana, Ill.

Dean Mumford says that while prosperity for the corn belt farmer is not just 'around the corner waiting to be ushered in, there are at least five bright spots to keep the outlook from being all black as the new season opens.

Bright Spots.

Here are his bright spots:

"Intelligent interest by other industries in the agricultural depression; increased efficiency on the part of the individual farmer; a shift of surplus labor from the farm to the city; broader opportunities for improved standards of living on the farm, and better farm organization."

"Social and economic equality for farming and farmers is a challenge to every citizen, be he farmer, banker or business man, to make such contributions in thought and action as may add something to the desired result. The prize of a readjusted agriculture with restored opportunity to young farmers is so great that I have faith in the forces at work in its accomplishment," Dean Mumford said.

Four different reports on the agricultural situation made within the last few years by different interests are cited by Dean Mumford as evidence that "it is doubtful if other industries have ever taken as intelligent interest in an agricultural depression as they have and are taking in this one."

Opinions of Expert.

Commenting on the increased efficiency of the individual farmer, he said, "It cannot be successfully maintained that the present agricultural distress of farmers in general is due to their inefficiency."

Dean Mumford believes that the shift of population from the farm to the city is to be a good thing for agriculture, because "agriculture needs fewer rather than more workers. Farming is not benefited by having it act as the haven for the unemployed."

Turning to the question of farm organization, he continued: "I believe it true that there were never as many farmers organized who had an intelligent reason for being organized as at the present time. In spite of the criticism that farmers cannot agree on what they want, the facts are that they agree about as well, probably better, than any other six million people that could be assembled and they are making encouraging progress in their ability to coöperate and work together."

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NEWS OF CHICAGO SOCIETY

Social Calendar Lists Gala Affairs

By Mildred Jaklon.

In a day or two the social city will have returned to normalcy, with only memories remaining of the mad, glad holidays that have just passed. The polite conventionality of New Year's calls, one of the few remnants of formality long dead, helps to establish the even tenor of smart ways after the hectic régime of collegiate youth. Mr. and Mrs. William Stanton Monroe, Mr. and Mrs. Kellogg Fairbank, and Mrs. Joseph B. Long are among those who will have informal New Year's parties, and John Robert Leonard, Daniel Leonard, and the Hibbard Casselberrys will give their annual New Year's affair, a tea dance, from 4 to 7 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at Mr. Leonard's residence, "Wildacre," in Winnetka.

The social calendar includes for the week, also, the Twelfth Night ball at the Stevens hotel on Friday evening, and the unique party ten of the season's most promising buds are to give on Saturday evening at the Casino. The Junior league announces the premiere of its second play of the winter, "The Land of Oz," at the Harris theater on Saturday morning.

A number of affairs are being planned for Prince and Princess A. Obolensky of Paris who are expected to arrive tomorrow, but they have not been made definite yet, pending the inclinations and plans of the visitors.

WEDDINGS

No wedding or engagement announcement will be published in The Tribune unless it bears the signature, address, and telephone number of a parent of either the bride or bridegroom. Announcements should reach the society editor not later than the Wednesday morning preceding the Sunday they are to be published.

Miss Thelma Fowler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Parkes Fowler of Evanston, was married on Dec. 22 to Albert Ruggles Mathias, son of Lee Dowling Mathias and of Mrs. John H. Harries of Chicago. Mr. and Mrs. Mathias are at home at 244 East Pearson street.

Announcement has been made by Mr. and Mrs. Herbert R. Bell of Hammond, Ind., of the marriage of their daughter, Grace Woodhull, to Donald Cutler Blanke, son of Mrs. Everett N. Blanke of Greenwich, Conn., which took place on Dec. 13 in New York City.

Mrs. D. D. Culver of Aurora, Ill., announces the marriage of her daughter, Mildred, to Lloyd W. McDowell of Fort Madison, Ia., which took place on Christmas day.

The marriage is announced of Miss Dorothy Ruckelshausen, daughter of Mrs. Henry Ruckelshausen of Oak Park, to Lloyd W. Jacobs of Norwood, O., which took place on Christmas eve.

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Rose Askenos, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Askenos of Benton Harbor, Mich., to Hyman Cohn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cohn of 1923 Humboldt boulevard.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry M. Rosenblum of Waukegan, Ill., announce the marriage of their daughter, Berdice, to Robert B. Deal of Chicago on Dec. 22.

Mrs. Jennie Moshinsky of 1406 South Albany avenue announces the marriage of her daughter, Ione, to Benjamin Goldfarb, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Goldfarb.

The marriage of Miss Lillian Chavkin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Chavkin of 2701 Haddon avenue, to Leonard Louis Sutker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harris Sutker of 1517 South Spaulding avenue, takes place today.

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Sylvia B. Jacobson of Stoughton, Wis., to Howard W. Dexter of 1525 East 67th place.

ENGAGEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Arlan W. Converse of Winnetka announce the engagement of their daughter, Marcia Burnham, to Donald Olin Cady of Meriden, Conn., son of Mrs. H. Olin Cady of Evanston.

Announcement is made by Mr. and Mrs. John J. Lassahn of 2416 Winona street of the engagement of their daughter, Adele, to Franklin Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell D. Miller of Helena, Mont.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Campbell of 5459 Dorchester avenue announce the engagement of their niece, Lucile Elsie Lyman, to Courtland D. Banks, son of Mrs. Ralph P. Higgins of 4451 Greenwood avenue.

Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Jeannette Moldauer, niece of Mr. and Mrs. William Roller of 2129 Eastwood avenue, to George Kaufman of Chicago.

The engagement is announced of Miss Hazel Wexberg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Wexberg of 3027 Logan boulevard, to Ernest E. Strauss, son of Mrs. David Strauss of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Mooney of Niles Center announce the engagement of their daughter, Marjorie North, to Julian W. Jackson of 5553 South Park way.

Announcement is made by Mr. and Mrs. Bernard F. Knauer of 1315 Norwood street of the engagement of their daughter, Margaret Helen, to Paul Belden Zaring, son of Mrs. Irene B. Zaring of Chicago.

The engagement is announced of Miss Ellen Le Count, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. E. R. Le Count of 5757 Kenwood avenue, to Miller Koeper, son of Mrs. Paul Koeper.

Henry J. Lehmann of Beverly Hills announces the engagement of his daughter, Lorraine Dixon, to William E. Sullivan, son of Michael Sullivan of Bridgeport, Conn.

Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Lydia Joan Bylow of Chicago, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Bylow of Neenah, Wis., to D. Hale Darnold of Kansas City, Mo.

The engagement is announced of Miss Margaret Bowmer Atkinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Latcher Atkinson of Berwyn, to Frank Osgood Giles Williams of Oak Park, son of Mrs. Frank Henry Williams of New Haven, Conn.

The engagement is announced of Miss Cerna Weinstein, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Weinstein of 3844 Congress street, to Milton Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Johnson of 1614 Columbia avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mautner of 1253 Glenlake avenue announce the engagement of their daughter, Louise, to David Paul Greenwald, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Greenwald of Hammond, Ind.

Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Evelyn Ehrenberg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Morris H. Ehrenberg of 2224 Roscoe street, to Manning L. Ware, son of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Ware of 3509 Medill avenue.

The engagement is announced of Miss Virginia Rose Mary Fruin, daughter of Mrs. Lillian M. Fruin of 2506 West Marquette road, to Joseph Francis Naughton, son of Mrs. Mary Naughton of 8141 Luella avenue.

S. A. Grimblot of 6259 Winthrop avenue announces the engagement of his daughter, Isabell, to Harry Lewis, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Lewis of 1618 North Shore avenue.

Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Rosalind E. Chaim, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Chaim of 1521 East 60th street, to Harold Newman, son of Mrs. Jack Newman of 2356 East 70th street.

The engagement is announced of Miss Jeanne Kosvick, daughter of Mr and Mrs. Harris Kosvick of 5728 South Park avenue, to Irving E. Keer, son of Mr. and Mrs. I. Keer of 6845 Ridgeland avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Brotine of 1318 South Harding avenue announce the engagement of their daughter, Anne, to Julius Sloan, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Sloan of 1458 Roosevelt road.

Announcement is made by Mrs. Bertha Davidson of 2236 East 70th street of the engagement of her daughter, Sylvia, to Sidney Newman of Chicago.

The engagement is announced of Miss Edythe Violet Nelson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nelson, to Leonard Allan Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Henry Williams of 2632 Hampden court.

Mr. and Mrs. David Novak of 907 Winona street announce the engagement of their sister, Emily Ginsburgh, to Charles Rubin of 2 South Mayfield avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolpe Armer of 840 Ainslie street announce the engagement of their daughter, Dorothy, to Jules J. Zohler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Zohler of 5838 South Park avenue.

The engagement is announced of Miss Shirley Sheila Zimbler, daughter of Mrs. R. Zimbler of 1529 South Clifton Park avenue, to Dave Bernstein, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bernstein of 4110 Jackson boulevard.

Announcement is made by Mr. and Mrs. David Berman of 1240 South St. Louis avenue of the engagement of their daughter, Evelyn Helen, to George Friedman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Friedman of Chicago.

Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Gertrude Rubin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Rubin of 5405 Ingleside avenue, to Oscar Rifkind.

The engagement is announced of Miss Fannie J. Deutelbaum of 851 Drexel square to Edward I. Friedman.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Laskey of 1401 Olive avenue announce the engagement of their daughter, Martha Jeanne, to Leo Sussland, son of Mrs. Jennie Sussland of 1921 Estes avenue.

The engagement is announced of Miss Rhoda Cohen, daughter of Mr and Mrs. Joseph Cohen of 1318 South Kedzie avenue, to William Levine of 3628 Lexington street.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Dorticos of Park Ridge announce the engagement of their daughter, Carmencita, to Arthur Fergus Mead of Newark, N. J. The wedding will take place in the early summer.

Announcement is made by Mr. and Mrs. George R. Schoof of 3268 Fullerton avenue of the engagement of their daughter, Marjorie, to Henry P. Birkemeier, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Birkemeier of 6114 North Campbell avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Epstein of 5452 Ellis avenue announce the engagement of their daughter, Ruth, to Samuel H. Stern, of Omaha, Neb., and Chicago.

The engagement is announced of





NANCY POOLE, JOSEPHINE ROGERS, ANN WINSTON, NANCY FORGAN, MARY GARDNER, SALLY GARDEN, [Standing in back], PRISCILLA CURTIS, AND DOROTHY YOUNG.



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MRS. THORNE DONNELLEY, MASON PHELPS, MRS. WILLIAM E. CLOW JR., MRS. FARWELL WINSTON, AND WILLIAM E. CLOW JR.

THE Winter club in Lake Forest is promoting ice sports and skating among its members and their families. A large and jolly crowd turned out on Monday for a program of fancy skating by some imported performers. Donald B. Douglas, Hempstead Washburne, Thorne Donnelley, A. B. Dick Jr., and John H. McIlvaine Jr. are among the ringleaders in the arrangements. One of the amusing features of the affair was the bull fight staged by Mr. McIlvaine and Mr. Donnelley as the bull, and A. B. Dick Jr. as the matador.

Miss Edith Mary Skinner, daughter of Mrs. Ida M. Skinner of 2432 Fargo avenue, to William Roy Turgeon, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Turgeon of 4861 North Washtenaw avenue.

Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Rose Greenberg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Greenberg of the Envoy hotel, to Richard Culbert, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Culbert of 6517 North Ashland avenue.

SOCIETY PERSONALS

Senator and Mrs. James E. MacMurray of the Hotel Windermere are to depart on Saturday for a trip around the world.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Malloch of 1532 Thome avenue have had as their guests for the holidays their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Vilas M. Swan of Rochester, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel S. Hork of 3520 Sheridan road announce the birth of a daughter on Dec. 22 at St. Luke's hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Rose have returned from their wedding trip and are residing at the Flamingo hotel. Mrs. Rose was Miss Reeva Alfremow before her marriage, which took place on Thanksgiving day.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Anderson of 6846 Euclid avenue and their niece, Miss Lucile Caroline Berggren, departed on Wednesday to motor to Miami, Fla., where they plan to be for the remainder of the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Granville Revere Lewis III. of Wilmette have returned from a sojourn in New York City, Baltimore, and Lynchburg, Va. Mrs. Lewis was formerly Miss Natalie Madeline Yonkers. Her sister, Mrs. George Albert Zabriskie, and the latter's small son have also returned from New York City, where they have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cornell Zabriskie.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar L. Goodspeed of 5706 Woodlawn avenue are sojourning at the Edgewater Golf hotel, between Gulfport and Biloxi, Miss.

Miss Grace Sollitt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sumner Sollitt of 3995 Ellis avenue, has been spending the holidays from her studies at Sweet Briar college with her parents. Miss Sollitt is a senior and editor in chief of the college weekly.

Chronicler Looks Back Over the Year

By Mme. X.

GOOD-BY, 1927! Hail, 1928! And a Happy New Year to all my readers!

One more tap of what the late Charles Frohman, victim of the sinking of the Lusitania, called "the great adventure" has ended. It is the moment to pause and take a look, both back over the past and forward into the future. What changes have come in that social outfit which is supposed to be the especial concern of this pillar of polite pith? How are our customs, manners, fashions, and outlook altered? Along what route are we going? Who of those with whom we have been traveling have solved the great riddle? Whither is this mighty experiment tending and what is our part in its direction?

These are many questions and this is the moment for asking them. As to our customs, manners, fashions, and outlook—to the unbiased observer it seems that a custom, one more honored in the breach than in the observance, that of drinking too much, which certainly prevailed not so many years ago, in the period immediately following the passing of the eighteenth amendment, is, in social circles, slowly diminishing and passing away. Not that we do not see our good friends occasionally under the influence of liquor, but it is not nearly so universal as it was, and especially among women and young girls is it becoming much rarer.

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A Practical Reason.

It must be confessed that, perhaps, the chief motive for this change among the fair sex lies not so much in the horror of putting that in the mouth that doth steal the soul away as because it has proved destructive of health and good looks. It is a curious fact that women who become addicts to this habit lose whatever they may have in the way of beauty much more completely and permanently than do men. A reformed man drunkard can become again attractive in appearance. A woman who has once been marked by the habit is never henceforth fair to look upon.

Our manners, too, have improved in the last few years, even in the year just gone. You see fewer young men in the casual attire of dinner coat and black tie at formal parties. The youth of the day is also much more punctilious in its attitude toward the elders of the tribe. That bumptiousness which became so evident directly after the war, that tendency to assert freedom and independence among this contingent is not nearly so obvious as formerly.

The fashions for women which govern our outward appearance and our backgrounds have developed along some interesting lines. While the skirts may be as short as they were last year, there are appearing at the sides or in the back draperies that fly out and sweep about the shorter under skirt in a way to suggest an approaching return to longer dresses. The slinking outline and utter annihilation of any evidence of hips is giving way to a bouffant treatment at the waist line that looks ominous to those females who are inclined to be both short and plump.

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Designed for the Slim.

These newer frocks are so evidently designed for the tall and slim that the rest of womankind can only beseech that their squatter outlines also will be considered. Are the walking bird cages of the Spanish Infantas returning to make life a burden? It is to be hoped not. Also, we pray the powers that govern modes not to withdraw entirely those healthgiving short skirts and loose blouses. And we beg them to leave us the small, close fitting hats that shade the eyes and make us independent of strong breezes.

As to the immediate outlook of the social world, it is both interesting and cheerful. While there are many of our social leaders who are already beginning to pack up their trunks in order to flit to warmer climes, there will be enough of this hospitable contingent left to fill our days with entertainment and our evenings with gayety. It is hardly probable that January, however, will see as many big balls as did departed December, whose lists were full of these festive affairs. The two principal events of this kind that are ahead on our calendars are the Twelfth Night ball, which will take place Jan. 6, and second Assembly ball, dated for Jan. 9.

Never were there more sumptuous invitations sent out by any ball committee than those lustrous silver and gilt bids issued by the Twelve Knights in charge of these historic and brilliant Twelfth Night balls. These affairs have far outgrown their origin, that was the jolly and informal dances the late Billy Gamble invented, got up and managed practically alone and unaided, and to which he first gave the name Butchers and Bakers, later changing it to Twelfth Night ball.

This year this gay contingent has selected one of the most poetic, imaginative, exquisite stories in history as the episode to be illustrated by the guests and the ball room. Nothing in all literature and ancient records is quite so fascinating as this legend of Atlantis, the lost island in the ocean off the northwest coast of Africa, which with its inhabitants and civilization is said to have disappeared beneath the waves. There are many who believe that these strange tales, handed down by word of mouth for countless generations, were founded on fact; that once there existed such an island peopled by a race far ahead of the rest of their contemporaries in civilization and accomplishments. By some it was believed to be a sort of matriarchy, a forerunner of today when women are supposed to be coming to the fore as custodians of culture and ideals.

In the surging mists of the unfathomable past the vision of Atlantis rises in prismatic splendor. Those seeking to express it in costume can indulge all their fervid and brilliant imaginings. The ball ought to be one of the most colorful and exquisite of the long line of these fancy dress dances. If, like some, you thought the ornamental invitation was a Christmas card or advertisement, hasten to retrieve it and

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prepare to accept it, or you will miss one of the gayest parties of 1928.

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The Second Assembly.

While some of those who attended the first Assembly ball of this season at the Congress hotel on Nov. 9 have departed for the west or the south or even further afield, there are enough of the well known folk, the very fabric of our social life, to provide a representative and brilliant gathering at the second of these annual fêtes. There is there a friendly atmosphere together with an elegance which makes these balls one of the loftiest of the winter's high spots.

To the young they may lack that element of final gayety which they think that they alone can impart, but to their elders who delight in these reunions there is a really chic and cosmopolitan air which is not to be attained without a certain knowledge of life and the world unattainable by mere youth.

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A Gay Month.

In the annals of our social doings, December, 1927, will go down as having been one of the gayest in Chicago's history. There were over twenty balls and dinner dances in those thirty-one days given by and for Chicago's "pretty world." This does not include the many large dinners, the beautiful musicals, and other evening entertainments which enlivened the month.

On Dec. 2 the James Weber Linns gave a dinner dance at the Blackstone for their debutante daughter, Miss Elizabeth Linn. On the following evening Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Richardson were hosts at a dinner dance at the Casino to introduce their daughter, Miss Frances Richardson. That same evening Mr. and Mrs. Philip Hosmer introduced their daughter, Miss Jessie Hosmer, at a dinner dance given in the Fortnightly's rooms.

Dec. 9 saw the first of the two Assembly balls at the Congress hotel. Dec. 16 was the date of the Actors' Equity ball at the Aragon, one of the season's gayest affairs. That same evening Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Borland and Mr. and Mrs. James C. Hutchins gave a dinner dance at the Casino.

On the twentieth of the month Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rumsey were hosts at a ball at the Blackstone for their debutante daughter, Miss Elizabeth Rumsey, and for another debutante, Miss Barbara Neff. The night after at the same place another debutante, Miss Roberta Harvey, made her bow at a ball given by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Harvey.

Dec. 22 Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Munroe presented their daughter, Miss Josephine Munroe, also at a ball at the Blackstone. The same ballroom was selected by Robert Carr for the ball he gave the night after in honor of his debutante daughter, Miss Louise Carr.

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On Christmas Eve.

On Dec. 24 Mr. and Mrs. John Blair were hosts at a dinner dance in the French foyer of the Palmer house, the occasion being the debut of their daughter, Miss Elizabeth Blair.

In the Red Lacquer room of the same hostelry Miss Virginia Vilas and her brother, Royal C. Vilas Jr., invited their young friends to a dinner dance that night. On Dec. 26 Mr. and Mrs. James W. Morrisson were hosts at a dinner in honor of their daughter, Miss Rosemary Morrisson, in the Red Lacquer room of the Palmer house. Later that same evening Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Dennehy gave a ball at the Blackstone for their daughter, Miss Eleanor Dennehy.

The night after Mr. and Mrs. John D. C. Towne gave a ball at the Blackstone for Mrs. Towne's debutante daughter, Miss Dorothy Vilas. Mrs. Jacob Baur was hostess at a dinner dance that same evening for her subdeb daughter, Miss Rosemary Baur, at the Casino. Henry H. Porter gave a ball the succeeding evening at the Blackstone for one of the season's debutantes, Miss Louise Brewer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Harris Brewer. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brewster gave a dinner dance preceding the ball for Miss Brewer and the younger set at their residence, 2710 Lake View avenue.

That same evening Mr. and Mrs. Gustavus Swift and Mr. and Mrs. Huntington Henry gave a dance at the Casino for their young people. Mrs. Howard Shaw was hostess before this event at a dinner for her young daughter, Miss Frances Theodora Shaw.

On Dec. 30 Mr. and Mrs. Frank Logan gave a Russian ball at the Palmer house in honor of their granddaughter, Miss Josephine Munroe. The last night, the final effort of the year, the only large entertainment even smacking of society was the dance given at the Bal Tabarin by the members of the new Tavern club, so completely has Mr. Volstead undermined old established custom and destroyed that long accepted method of drinking out the old and drinking in the new year. Probably there are not nearly so many headaches this morning as used to be the case.

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New Year's Functions.

Today's most conspicuous social function is the buffet luncheon which Mr. and Mrs. Kellogg Fairbank are giving at their residence, 1244 North State street. This has become an institution and to have the first day of the year come and go without this opportunity to have a gay rendezvous with the various interesting folk who compose our society would seem a real hardship to most of us. The Fairbanks know and cherish many different kinds of people, including the literary, artistic, musical, fashionable, the young, and not so young, members of our older families and newcomers, so that one is sure there of ushering in the young year in as excellent company as can be gathered together in Chicago. The afternoon always ends in singing in which, one after another, the entire company joins.

Another annual event in the social world to usher in the new year is the reception which Mr. and Mrs. William Stanton Monroe and Miss Harriet Monroe are in the habit of giving on this day. This year, as 1928 is born on a Sunday, they are asking their friends in on the official New Year's day, which is tomorrow, when they will be received from four to seven o'clock at the Monroe apartment, 64 East Elm street.

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Empty Pieces.

Looking back once more on the year that has just passed into history, your chronicler notes many vacancies in the ranks of those who made up our social and civic life. Men and women of high standing among us, fellow citizens who meant much to Chicago, who were delightful companions, some of them childhood playmates to many of us, have passed out and on into that great silence that hems all of us in, from which we come and into which we go.

It seems as if more deaths came in the late winter or early spring than at any other period of the year. Between January 1 and May Ernest Hamill, Ambrose Cramer, George F. Porter, Benjamin Carpenter, Dexter Fairbank, Howard Shaw, Mrs. James Keeley (dear Gertrude Keeley!), all answered the great summons.

In the summer Ogden Armour, whose name was known around the globe, also left the warm and cheerful precincts of this life, while in the autumn came the shocking disaster which ended the lives of that devoted couple, Mr. and Mrs. John J. Mitchell. This necrological list is, I know, incomplete and inadequate. These all were friends and neighbors who, in their departure, left vacancies that never can be filled in the rest of the march. We must just close up ranks and go on our strange and mysterious road. Do you remember this ancient toast?

"Here's to Life!
Our entrance to it is naked and bare;
Our progress through it is heavy with care;
Our exit from it is to God knows where;
But if you're all right here you're all right there."

And these friends above cited were all right here, so we may be sure they're all right there.

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A Fine Performance.

The talent Chicago's society folk develop as they go along their chosen ways is always a matter of keen interest to the provider of this social pabulum. There is that exquisite, incredibly young, unbelievably determined, and perfectly plucky Eliner Patterson who is now in the delightful company presenting that whimsical and charming satire, "Behold This Dreamer," at the Blackstone theater. She seems more like an ethereal, mystical maiden when she first comes on the stage than a flesh and blood Miss. She plays her rôle from first to last consistently and efficiently, though preserving the same nunlike quality that gained her renown when she alternated with Lady Diana Manners and Iris Tree in "The Miracle" last year.

The piece itself is a delicious and very delicate satire, and the company is excellent. Young Glenn Hunter and that veteran of theaterdom, Thomas A. Wise, are irresistible, and are ably supported by the other actors, Patricia O'Hearn (utterly amusing), William Lorens, Mary Jane Herring, J. J. Hyland, Edward Donnelly, and James Seeley. Each of those in the cast was so good in his or her rôle that the company was able to put over a subtle comedy which needed the best kind of acting to reach the average theatergoing public. Nor am I talking in this laudatory fashion because I am on the W. G. N. staff and Elinor Patterson is a great-granddaughter of the founder of THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE. I'm not supposed to be a dramatic critic and could stay off the subject with great propriety if I did not want to testify to the real pleasure I enjoyed at the Blackstone last Tuesday evening.

It was an unexpected enjoyment, I must confess. It is so seldom that one really likes those of our friends and social acquaintances who take to the stage. Even when they write very clever books the consciousness of their personalities stands between us and genuine pleasure in their work. As for giving a fair judgment on the merits or demerits of the achievements of our close kin, our blood relations, whether in literature, or art, or music, or the stage—well, it's not possible. In writing of Elinor Patterson I am dilating on one whom I don't know now, though I did when she was a little girl. Then to an outsider there was little indication of the present very unusual and purposeful personality.

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Irene Castle Takes Up Pen.

The other unexpected development of talent in a socially prominent young woman is the case of Mrs. Frederic McLaughlin, who is blossoming out into a writer of no mean order. In a series of articles she is now contributing to Liberty she is proving herself as adept with the pen as she was as a dancer when she set a new fashion in this oldest of human modes of expression.

She writes under the name she made so famous when, as Irene Castle, she delighted the gay world on both sides of the Atlantic with her grace and charm. In a serial called, "Things We Remember," now appearing, she gives an account both thrilling and humorous of her life from the time she married Vernon Castle, a man in his life as famous as she as a creator of a new mode of dancing. The latest chapter in this series is one of the most entertaining of recent contributions to current periodicals.

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Whither Are We Tending?

Whither, to return to my opening paragraph, is this age tending? Is it towards the greater happiness and satisfaction of the majority? I think that in this country it is. We are nowhere near the goal of our desires, but we are on the road toward it. We are in a transition era out of which promises to grow a better, higher civilization. We are casting off old superstitions, old customs, old ideas of what constitutes right and wrong. We are giving a greater value to truth as far as we can see it, and also to candor. The prudishness that prevailed during what we call the Victorian age is falling from us like a worn out garment. It covered a lot of nastiness. We are outgrowing traditions that bound our ancestors in chains. We are much farther along the path towards ultimate spiritual sanity and freedom than many of us realize, with a better sense of relative values.

It seems old fashioned, these days, to look up to people because of some fancied inherited superiority or caste. Kings and queens, princes and nobles and such like are becoming quaint relics of the past. Even wealth does not confer that exalted state it once did. Can a rich man get a high office, one in the gift of the people? He cannot. Have we ever elected a financial magnate to the presidency of the United States of America—the most powerful position today existing? We have not.

In our social life there is an increasing regard for the essentials in human companionship. Social leaders are also leaders in the philanthropies in a community. More and more are women beginning to understand their responsibilities to the state. The nineteenth amendment will in time be a reality to them, something which they will use to the advantage of the country.

Social usages, too, are becoming saner. Overeating is not nearly so prevalent as it was a generation or two ago. Work as an accompaniment to daily life is becoming the mode among the young women of the time. Few of them are contented with the former state of domestic inertia which tied them to the parental apron strings, waiting for marriage. In fact, if they don't get out of the home of their own accord their parents are apt to do so for them, turning them out to find their calling in the strenuous battle for existence.

Could our grandparents return they would find a very different state of things in daily life from that which they left behind them. The automobile, the radio, electricity in its many forms, have all changed the face of existence and released women from much former drudgery. Freedom and sanity, those are today's passwords.



MISS PRISCILLA HELENA ZAHN.
[De Haven Photo.]

Mr. and Mrs. Albert H. Zahn of the Sutherland hotel, 4659 Drexel boulevard, announce the engagement of their daughter, Priscilla Helena, to Burton Victor Baruszak, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Baruszak of 5421 Dorchester avenue.



MISS EVELYN WYNNE OLSON.
[Bloom Photo.]

Mr. and Mrs. Olof Olson of 537 Hinman avenue, Evanston, announce the engagement of their daughter, Evelyn Wynne, to E. Walter Erickson.



MRS. ROBERT SIM REINACH.
[Toloff Photo.]

Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Ginsburg of Muskogee, Okla., announce the marriage of their daughter, Eleanor, to Robert Sim Reinach. Mr. and Mrs. Reinach are to reside at 7657 Sheridan road.



MISS RUTH MARGUERITE KRAFTHEFER.
[Holbrook Photo.]

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Krafthefer of Wilmette announce the engagement of their daughter, Ruth Marguerite, to Edward B. Casey of 1515 Pratt boulevard.



MISS HAZEL STROUBE ANDERSON.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Anderson of 5429 West 62d place announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Hazel Stroube, to Walter E. Marks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Marks of 1475 West 72d street, which will take place Jan. 7. Mr. Marks was 1926 captain of the University of Chicago football team, and is now football coach at Indiana State Normal college at Terre Haute, Ind., where he and his bride will reside.



MISS OLINE ELIZABETH TAYLOR.
[Roehik Photo.]

Mr. and Mrs. Tracy J. Taylor of 5436 Harper avenue announce the engagement of their daughter, Oline Elizabeth, to Jacob Brandt Olwin, son of Mr. and Mrs. William G. Olwin of Peoria, Ill. Miss Taylor is a graduate of the National Kindergarten and Elementary college, and Mr. Olwin attended the University of Chicago, and is a member of Phi Kappa Sigma fraternity.

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WOMEN'S CLUB · PAGE

Federation to Hold Midwinter Meeting

By Kate Webber.

HAPPY NEW YEAR!

Starting in with a whirl of activity — social, cultural, and civic—the women's clubs of the first ten districts, comprising Chicago and vicinity, are in a fair way to make the last half of the club season a red letter period.

The seventh congressional district of the Illinois Federation of Women's clubs is setting the pace for other districts by its midwinter meeting to be held on Thursday at the Albany Park Methodist church, Wilson and Albany avenues. A full program will take up both morning and afternoon sessions, with Mrs. Walter W. Seymour, state president, as guest and principal speaker after luncheon. Reports of district chairmen and plans of work for the remainder of the year will fill the morning.

The seventh district covers the northwest side of the city, embracing in addition the towns of Edison Park, Park Ridge, Norwood Park, Forest Glen, Mont Clare, Arlington Heights, Mount Prospect, Des Plaines, and Barrington. There are thirty-five clubs in the membership, with a total of 3,200 women, and the district is, of course, affiliated with the state federation and has been since 1898. The district has coöperated with the state in each of its sixteen departments of work, and has paid to the endowment in excess of $3,000.

Study Classes Featured.

During the last season the district has attempted a unique bit of work by organizing and financing study classes, which have become so popular that they promise to become regular features of the district activity. Since October Dr. Franklin Bliss Snyder has conducted literature classes each week and, beginning in late February, Miss Caroline McIlvaine will give a course of illustrated lectures on the history of the state.

Another group of women in the community have completed a ten hour course in parliamentary law under Mrs. Maurice H. Lieber, and this month will take up a course in public speaking.

All departments of the district are active. The philanthropic department concentrates its work on the four settlement houses in the district. One large affair is given each year to finance the department's activities. The affair this year is to be a card party on Feb. 29 at the Edgewater Beach hotel.

District Park Created.

The conservation department has been instrumental in having a strip of land in the Edgebrook forest preserve set aside as a district park. Bird baths, rustic seats, a monumental arch, and a flagpole will be placed there as testimonials to the district work.

Mrs. Ole Jensen is chairman of the friendly coöperation with ex-service men committee, which has just completed a splendid bit of Christmas cheer work for former soldiers. The week before Christmas members went to Elgin laden with 1,500 packages for the 430 world war veterans at the hospital there. This is typical of the work carried on constantly by this department. Similar parties have been given at the Municipal Tuberculosis sanitarium, Great Lakes hospital, and North Chicago hospital.

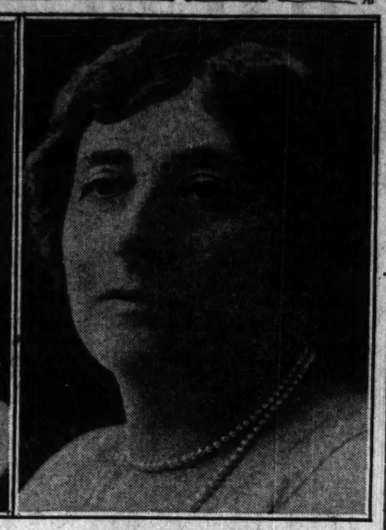
The district has had fourteen presidents, most of whom are still interested in, and many of them active in club work, one having died. Officers for the current year are Mrs. J. M. Laventhal, president; Mrs. W. E. Adams and Mrs. F. J. Fielding, vice presidents; Mrs. T. A. Jordan, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Charles Peters, recording secretary; Mrs. John E. Eipper, treasurer.



MRS. DUDLEY J. STEVISON.



MRS. EDWIN O. GRIFFENHAGEN. [Rayhuff-Richter Photo.]



MRS. J. M. LAVENTHAL. [Montfort Photo.]

THE Woodlawn Woman's club, with a membership of more than 300 women, is beginning the last half of one of the most interesting seasons in its career, under the leadership of the president, Mrs. Dudley J. Stevison. New departments recently added to the club are the junior members, the information bureau, and the committee which keeps account of members who are ill or incapacitated for active work.

The Chicago College club will keep open house tomorrow afternoon at its attractive quarters at 196 East Delaware place. Mrs. Edwin O. Griffenhagen, president, the officers and a large committee will receive the guests.

Mrs. J. M. Laventhal is president of the seventh congressional district, Illinois Federation of Women's Clubs, which will have its midwinter meeting on Thursday at the Albany Park Methodist church. An account of the district activities may be found in today's club news.



MRS. FRANK M. FULTON.

The Chicago Woman's Ideal club, of which Mrs. Frank M. Fulton is president, will give a program of music and theatricals next Saturday evening at the Blackstone for the husbands of members. Mrs. Serai Goldman is chairman of the program for the evening, which will have stars in theatrical productions now appearing as headliners. Sidney Smith of The Tribune also will speak.

DOWNTOWN CLUBS

The board of directors of the first district, I. F. W. C., will meet tomorrow morning at headquarters. There will be a meeting of the public welfare department at 2 o'clock. On Tuesday morning the literature department will meet, and the committee on coöperation with war veterans will meet on Wednesday morning, as will the legislative committee. There will be a meeting of the education department on Friday morning.

Two dramas, "Ropes" and "The Flattering Word," will be presented at the Chicago Woman's club next Wednesday at 2 o'clock by the Chicago Art theater.

Tomorrow will be a holiday, the rooms to be closed all day. On Tuesday there will be a special meeting of the board of managers at 10 o'clock, and at the same hour the house committee will meet. At 11 o'clock the book review group will meet. The two classes in Italian will meet at the usual hours.

On Wednesday there will be an executive committee meeting of the education and philosophy department at 10 o'clock, followed by a business meeting of the department at 10:30 o'clock. At 10:30 the art class will meet to continue the study of monuments and mural decorations in Illinois. The three classes in French will meet at the usual hours.

On Thursday the English study class will meet at 10:30 to study character sketches. On Friday the class in current events will meet. On Saturday the American speech committee will meet at 11 o'clock, and at 12:30 o'clock the education and philosophy department will give a luncheon, when Hughes Mearns of New York university will speak on "The Conservation of Youth Power."

Events of the week at the Woman's City club include the meeting of the education of the adult foreigner committee on Wednesday at 11:45 o'clock, and at 2:30 George Utley of Newberry library will speak on "European Libraries," before the book review committee. On Thursday at noon the clean city committee will have a meeting. The recreation committee will have a self-service luncheon on Friday and at 1 o'clock the municipal citizenship committee will meet for luncheon when Shelby Singleton, secretary of the Citizens' association of Chicago, will speak on "What Is Chicago's Method of Filling the Office of Adult Probation Officer."

The midwinter business meeting of the Chicago Woman's Aid will be held on Tuesday at 2 o'clock, when reports of committees and delegates will be given by the various chairmen. On Thursday at 11 o'clock the first of a course of lectures of the civics and philanthropy department will be given by Irving St. John Tucker.

Mrs. May Wood Simons, president, and the directors of the Woman's University club have extended invitations for a housewarming on Thursday from 2 until 5 o'clock in the new club rooms, 5 North Wabash avenue.

Mrs. Allen Howes will speak on the origin and progress of French music to the 18th century on Tuesday at the meeting of Le Cercle Français. There also will be music.

Dr. Gilmore Scott of Franklin college, Franklin, Ind., will speak at the meeting of the Daughters of Indiana on Tuesday afternoon.

Dr. Frank Nugent Freeman, Dr. Herman Adler, and Dr. Julius Toren will speak at the meeting of the Central Council of Childhood Education on Saturday at 11 o'clock in the Central Eleanor club rooms.

Miss Anna Lynch will be the guest at a luncheon to be given on Saturday at 12:30 o'clock by the Chicago College club. A card party followed by tea also will be given on that day.

A luncheon will be given on Jan. 4 at Marshall Field's by the Colonial Coverlet Guild of America. G. M. Moritz will speak.

Henry Turner Bailey of the Cleveland public schools will speak at the meeting of the Catholic Woman's league on Saturday afternoon, after which there will be a social hour.

There will be a meeting of the Daughters of the Renaissance on Tuesday afternoon at the usual time and place.

The January meeting of the Osteopathic Woman's club will be held on Thursday at the Eleanor club rooms, with Dr. Fannie E. Carpenter as the speaker.

The monthly luncheon meeting of the P. E. O. sorority will be held on Wednesday at 12 o'clock at Marshall Field's.

"The Evolution of Dress" will be the subject of the meeting of the Chicago Woman's Ideal club on Thursday at the Blackstone. The club will give its annual dinner dance on Saturday evening at the Blackstone.

The executive committee of the Cook County W. C. T. U. will meet on Tuesday at 2 o'clock in room 811 Capitol building. County department directors will give reports, as will local union presidents.

Mrs. John E. Gilchrist will speak at the meeting of the Dames of the Loyal Legion tomorrow at the Morrison hotel.

NORTH SIDE CLUBS

Mrs. Arthur L. Farwell of 1301 Ritchie court is giving the use of her house for the first of a series of lectures on child study on Thursday at 3 o'clock. The lectures are being sponsored by the board of directors of the Lower North Child Guidance center, which is maintained at 1120 North Clark street under the supervision of the Institute for Juvenile Research of the University of Chicago. It serves the community by examining and treating children who manifest behavior difficulties in home, school or community. Mrs. George B. Foster is chairman of ticket sales.

Mrs. Charles W. Hubbard will speak on "The Arts and Crafts of China" at the meeting of the Rogers Park Woman's club on Tuesday afternoon.

The monthly meeting of the Uptown League of Women Voters will be held on Wednesday at the Algonquin hotel, when William F. Mulvihill will speak on "Our Waterways."

Legislation which affects the home will be the subject for discussion at the noon meeting of the Lake View Woman's club on Tuesday. Victor S. Yarros will speak at 2:30 o'clock.

The Irving Park Woman's club will give a dinner dance on Saturday evening at the Edgewater Beach hotel.

Correct table settings and decorations will be discussed at the meeting of the Sauganash Woman's club on Tuesday afternoon, and there also will be music.

Genevieve Forbes Herrick will speak at the meeting of the Temple Emanuel Sisterhood on Tuesday afternoon.

A mothers' and daughters' program will feature the meeting of the Mount Sinai Hospital Service club on Tuesday afternoon at the Edgewater Beach hotel.

There will be a business meeting of the Virginia Colony club on Wednesday at 12 o'clock at the Belden Stratford hotel, after which there will be luncheon and cards.

The Altar and Rosary society of St. Thomas of Canterbury church will give a card party tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock at 4827 Kenmore avenue.

A musical will be given at the meeting of the Joyce Kilmer league on Tuesday evening at the Rogers Park Woman's club.

SOUTH SIDE CLUBS

Prof. Davis Edwards will give an interpretation of Deems Taylor's "The King's Henchman," on Friday afternoon before the members of the Arché club. The art class will meet at 11 o'clock.

Mrs. Thomas M. Lineweaver will speak on "New Gateways to Education for Women Workers in Industry" on Tuesday afternoon at the meeting of the Windsor Park Woman's club.

Rufus W. Putnam and Prof. Jerome Kerwin will speak on "The Problems of Water Power" at a dinner to be given on Tuesday evening at 6:30 o'clock at 6207 University avenue under the auspices of the Sixth Ward League of Women Voters.

The Chrysolite club will hold its first meeting of the new year on Tuesday at the Windermere hotel. A business meeting of the executive board at 10 o'clock will be followed by a business and industrial meeting, luncheon, and a card party for members and guests.

ENGAGED



MISS ANNETTE EDITH HELLER. [Roshik Photo.]

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Heller of 4937 Woodlawn avenue have announced the engagement of their daughter, Annette Edith, to Alan J. Altheimer of 4858 Drexel boulevard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice L. Altheimer of Little Rock, Ark. Miss Heller is a student at the Sherwood School of Music, and Mr. Altheimer is a graduate of the Columbia University School of Law, '25.

CLUB ETHICS - - - *By Maude Swalm Evans*

"IT'S time for New Year's resolutions again. I suppose you have yours all down in black and white," said the secretary when she talked with the treasurer at a holiday gathering. "You're always on time with everything."

"I've been thinking about that resolution business," answered the treasurer, "and I've decided it would be lots more exciting to draw up resolutions for someone else rather than for oneself."

"I'm sure it would be, now I think of it," affirmed the secretary. "Take, for instance, the member of our club who always writes fault-finding, sarcastic letters to me when anything in the club goes contrary to her liking. I've had three from her so far this week."

"How would this do? 'Resolved, that hereafter when I write a letter that isn't happy and courteous I'll mail it to myself and find out how it sounds when it's cold.'"

"Fine!" commended the secretary. "And there's the member who is always right and is always admitting it—you know her?"

"Here's one for her," replied the treasurer. 'Resolved, that I'll admit I'm wrong once in a while, during the coming year, whether or not I think I am'."

"We're getting along famously," laughed the secretary. "How about the one who takes office and doesn't do the work. What have you for her?"

"She's probably discovered that the reward of work well done is more work. Let's see—how's this—'Resolved, that hereafter I'll do well what I promise to do, but I'll be exceedingly careful when it comes to promising'."

"So far I've provided all the material for your resolutions," declared the secretary. "It's your turn, now."

"It was meeting a woman who I thought should reform her ways that started me to thinking about an exchange of New Year's resolutions," returned the treasurer. "She's never belonged to a club, yet she blames everything that goes wrong at home and abroad on the club woman. Here's mine for her: 'Resolved, that before I believe anything more against the club woman I'll join a club and find out what it's all about'."

Question.

May we make by-laws for our club that conflict with our parliamentary authority?

Reply.

A club is a law unto itself as long as it does not conflict with the state law. Parliamentary authority governs only in matters not covered by constitution, by-laws, or standing rules.

It will be new members' day on Wednesday at the Beverly Hills Woman's club.

Mrs. John Borrowdale will be hostess for a meeting of the Martha Washington club on Friday afternoon, when Mrs. Walter W. Seymour will be a guest.

An all day program will feature the meeting of the Woodlawn Woman's club on Tuesday. A class in better speech and reports of departmental activities will take up the morning session. In the afternoon there will be a musical program and a talk by Leonard A. Barrett.

There will be a meeting of the board of the South Side Catholic Woman's club on Thursday morning, followed by a program in the afternoon in charge of the social service department. The Rev. Eugene McGuinness will speak.

Mrs. Minna Schmidt will be the speaker at the meeting of the Hamilton Park Woman's club on Tuesday afternoon. There will be a morning session in charge of the American citizenship and legislative department.

Election of officers for the woman's auxiliary of the Oakhaven Old People's home will be held on Thursday at 6401 Harvard avenue. Luncheon will be served.

Dr. Gerson B. Levi will give a book review at the meeting of the Temple Sisterhood on Wednesday afternoon.

WEST SIDE CLUBS

Open house for members and guests will be the feature of the West End Woman's club meeting on Friday afternoon. There will be a program of music.

A talk and exhibit of old china will constitute the program at the meeting of the Hull House Woman's club on Wednesday.

The music department of the Millard Avenue Woman's club will have charge of the program at the meeting on Friday afternoon at Shedd Park community house.

SUBURBAN CLUBS

A book review will be given at the meeting of the drama department of the Western Springs Woman's club on Friday afternoon.

A program of songs and music will feature the meeting of the La Grange Woman's club on Tuesday afternoon.

ISN'T IT ODD?

By William Atherton Du Pay

ISN'T it odd that man should have found it possible to make a strong, vigorous plant with roots in the ground that it has taken years to develop, adopt a spindling little seedling, and transfer all its vigor to its foster child!

Here is the way it is done. A vigorous peach tree may be growing in the orchard. It is four years old but produces very ordinary peaches. This man, however, was last year traveling in the west and, when his train stopped at some way station, he bought a basket of peaches. They were the best he had ever eaten and so he saved the seeds. He planted them and the next summer they were growing slowly as delicate little plants. This man knew it would take six or eight years before these plants would come into bearing.

So he decided to give them stepmothers to help them along. He took them up with balls of dirt about their roots. He went to the four-year-old peach tree and scraped out a bit of a trough in its bark; he also scaped the outer bark from the side of the tiny seedling. Then he bound the wounds in these two plants firmly together.

The older tree was getting abundant nourishment from its roots. The seedling was getting enough nourishment from its ball of dirt to keep it going for a while. But the trees grew together at the wound. Presently the seedling began to draw on the older tree for nourishment. In the end it got all its vitality from this source. It began to grow faster than if it had depended on its own roots. Finally the roots of the young tree and the top of the old one were cut off. This turned all the vigor of this four-year-old tree into the seedling. It grew as such a young plant had never grown before. In the second year, so full of vigor was it, that it bore fruit. The owner of the orchard got some of his choice peaches in two years, instead of six.

This use of the stepmother tree has proven a great help to scientists who have been experimenting with the development of new fruits. A scientist may cross one sort of plum with another. He is hoping that he may develop a better plum. Or he may cross an orange with a grapefruit, this being possible since these plants are closely related. He is most anxious to know what will result from the cross. At best he may have to wait through tedious years. Then, to develop a superior fruit, he may have to again select certain plants, cross them again, and wait for results.

By using the stepmother tree in such experiments the sicentist can hurry nature. He can reduce the time he will have to wait between the different stages of the experiment from six years to two. Thus is the tedium of such experiments lessened. Thus is the likelihood increased that the experiment will be carried through to final results. Thus are the chances increased that 10 or 20 years from now the public will begin to get new and superior varieties of fruit. Since this method has been in use nearly two decades it is probable that the tables of the public are already beginning to benefit from it.

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Little Norman had been out playing for some time when an angry neighbor came to complain to his mother that he was annoying his dog. When Norman appeared with his new little play gun in hand his mother said, "Norman, were you misbehaving?"

"Why, no, mother," said he, "I was just trying to see if I could hit the dog's tail." N. G.

NEW YORK SOCIETY
James Speyer Weds Soon, Rumor States

By Nancy Randolph.

NEW YORK.—[Special Correspondence.]—Just at present there's a delightful rumor running along Park avenue to the effect that James Speyer, the noted banker, is considering matrimony a second time.

Of course, Mr. Speyer has long been noted in society for the depth of his affection for his wife, the late Ellin Prince Speyer, whose love for animals has been perpetuated not only in the Bide-a-Wee home but in the Ellin Prince Speyer Memorial Home for Animals, founded and maintained by Mr. Speyer in his wife's memory.

That the personable banker should be considering entering upon matrimony is not at all remarkable, since I know he is regarded in many quarters as a most eligible party, and many the matron and elderly maid who has angled fruitlessly to ensnare the affection of the middle aged banker. In fact, the angling has bordered on downright persecution.

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Society Approves.

In this case, however, the lady whom Mr. Speyer has been considering as his second helpmeet is herself of great social importance, none other, indeed, than the erstwhile Anita Stewart, daughter of William Rhinelander Stewart and widow of the late Duc de Braganza.

Mrs. Miguel de Braganza, since she has long since dropped the use of the royal Portuguese title, is quietly active in society. She spends most of her time in Newport and New York and seems more than happy to be with her son and her daughter, Nadedja, still a sub-deb.

While nothing at all has been said in the way of an announcement, the Park avenue tea gatherings have the matter all settled and, even more, have given the match their approval.

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In the Old Manner.

Society, naturally, is not the same as it was in days gone by. That sounds bromidic, but remembering entertaining in New York even ten years ago, one is startled to find how much it has changed.

There are still circles in New York whose exclusiveness never changes. They are the members of the old guard whose homes both on 5th avenue and further downtown were the scene of ceremonious receptions, dances, and dinners. The dinners still continue, notably those given by Mrs. H. McK. Twombly, and Mrs. Francis E. Saxham Drury, the former Mabel Gerry, who has an international reputation for entertaining.

However, seldom in the last few years has the real cream of New York society been brought together on a large scale, and therefore the dinner-dance and supper that Gen. and Mrs. Charles H. Sherrill gave at the Ritz on Tuesday night in honor of their son, Gibbs Wynkoop Sherrill, brought forth a veritable gasp of surprise.

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Gathering of Notables.

In numbers the guests did not approach those who have attended many of the dinner and supper dances given this winter, when five, six, and seven hundred guests have been nothing out of the ordinary, but the Sherrill guests were of such importance that every one of them might be eligible for the leadership of New York society.

The occasion, too, was most refreshing, in that it was in celebration of Young Sherrill's attaining his majority. An undergraduate at Yale, and home for the holidays, his parents took advantage of the occasion to fête him properly in the presence of their friends. And those friends, as I have said, were of breath-taking importance.

Gen. Sherrill, Yale '89, was formerly American minister to Argentina, and the diplomatic corps turned out in force to honor his son. The French Ambassador and Mme. Claudel were present, as were the Spanish Ambassador and Mme. de Padilla, the Chilean Ambassador and Mme. Davila, the ambassador from Argentina, and the minister from Czecho-Slovakia.

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Long List of Guests.

Among the notables of New York society present were Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt the elder, Gen. and Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, Mrs. H. McK. Twombly, Dr. and Mrs. Nicholas Murray Butler, Mr. and Mrs. William Starr Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Francis E. Saxham Drury, Mr. and Mrs. Edmund L. Baylies, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Belmont, Mr. and Mrs. C. Oliver Iselin, Mr. and Mrs. George B. Post, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Larocque, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Knox Bell, Judge and Mrs. Francis Key Pendleton, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gassaway Davis III., Mr. and Mrs. George Henry Warren Jr., Mr. and Mrs. John S. Rogers, Col. and Mrs. Francis L. V. Hoppin, Bishop and Mrs. Shipman, Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Henry Sloane Coffin, Mr. and Mrs. James Blanchard Clews, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Brown of Baltimore, Mr. and Mrs. William B. Bristow and Capt. and Mrs. Charles Astor Bristed.

Also Mr. and Mrs. J. Sargeant Cram, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. Giraud Foster, Col. and Mrs. Snowden A. Fahnestock, Col. and Mrs. Edward N. House, Judge and Mrs. George L. Ingraham, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gouverneur Morris, Col. and Mrs. Newbold Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Parish, Commodore and Mrs. Robert E. Tod, Mrs. Marshall Orme Wilson, Mrs. Reginald De Koven, Mrs. Andrew Carnegie, Mrs. John R. Drexel, Mrs. Whitney Warren, Mrs. August Belmont, Mrs. Shepherd Fabbri, Donna Eugenia Ruspoli, Mrs. Frederick Pearson, Julia A. Berwind, Mrs. Horace Gallatin, Mrs. William Bayard Van Rensselaer, Madame Boas de Jouvenal, Mrs. John Turner Atterbury, Mrs. J. Stewart Barney, Bell B. Gurnee, Mrs. Henry C. Redmond and Mrs. J. Lee Taller.

Also present were Clarence H. Mackay, Albert Morris Bagby, Albert Eugene Gallatin, Rawlins L. Cottenot, Oliver Gould Jennings, Rutger Bleecker Jewitt, Shipley Jones, Frederic A. Juillard, E. Victor Loew, Vicomte Alain de Jouvenal, the Misses Claudel, Betty Taller, Katherine Tod, Rita Dolan, Elizabeth Larocque, Emily Frelinghuysen, Alice Morris, and May Swords.

Which, as you can see, is a list without a peer, and worthy of noting simply because it is so seldom, these days, that one has a chance to see quite so many notables of society together at one and the same time.

The Strange Adventures of Young Robinson Grewso

By KEMBLE

His ma called him Robin; his dad called him son.
He grew like a weed and thought it great fun—
So he called himself Robinson Grewso.

ROY puzzled day and night to think of a way to get rid of the bands that the pirates had bound around his ankles. He couldn't run with them; he couldn't swim, and as long as he wore them he was a prisoner. And the work he had to do—washing the dishes, keeping the cave clean, and, worst of all, feeding the airplane chicks while the old hen waddled around and jabbed him with her big flat bill. How he did long to choke the chick that had carried him there, for every time he went near her the miserable creature opened her big mouth, threw back her head, and laughed at him.

"Never mind," Roy would hiss at her, "I'll get you yet, and don't forget it."

Whenever the pirate chief came near Sweet Marie he made eyes at her and acted so silly that Roy wanted to kick him. One day he tried it, forgetting that his legs were bound together, and he landed flat on his back.

But what interested him most were the pirates themselves. Every morning after breakfast they marched into the woods with picks and shovels and worked until dinner time. What were they digging? They were very secretive about it and wouldn't let Roy go near the place. He was getting more curious by the minute, so one day he decided that after dinner he would go and investigate for himself, or at least he would try to.

But such a dinner it turned out to be! With a big white apron around his waist, Roy waited on the table, hopping around as best he could with a big tray loaded with plates of fish and game. He flipped a bit of food on each plate. Now and then he would miss his mark, and once he popped a fat fish right down the chief's neck. It was a hot fish, too, and how the pudgy little bandit flipflopped around, first on the table, upsetting everything, then bouncing off and, like a kernel of popcorn in a popper, popping around the table three times before one of his mates reached down his back and pulled the fish out.

Then how the whole crew pitched into poor Roy! They jabbed him with spoons and forks and knives and stuck their greasy fingers in his eyes and ears. Had it not been for Sweet Marie, who came upon the scene just then, Roy might have been seriously hurt. Jumping on the table, Sweet Marie commanded them to stop.

"If you want me to stay here, you've got to behave like gentlemen!" she screamed. "The idea of pitching on a prisoner just because he did what any one might do under the circumstances! Who ever heard of any one waiting on a table properly with his feet tied?"



Roy Waits on the Pirates



Giving Roy the Laugh

The pirates looked foolish and marched away to talk it over.

As soon as they were alone Sweet Marie walked up to Roy and placed a shining piece of metal in his hand.



A Hot Fish Down His Back.

"I got it from the hole they are digging in the woods. There is lots of it there, and, unless I am mistaken, it is gold. But, remember, you must say nothing about it."

Just then the pirates returned, and Sweet Marie stuck out her tongue at Roy and Roy scowled and shook his fist at her, and the pirates grinned because they thought they were bitter enemies.

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OUR LOLLIPOP LADS.

[Reports from Paris indicate that the latest flair is cosmetics for men.]

By W. M. Schwimmer.

They tell me that quite long ago
the men were all athletic,
The chaps were hardy, husky hods with methods energetic;
They went in for pugnacity
And trained their brawn capacity,
They would not act effeminate or feign to be aesthetic.

The papas, so I understand, used measures harsh and drastic,
So boys would practice feats of strength and learn to be gymnastic;
They emphasized virility
And physical agility;
And exercised to make their muscles lusty and elastic.

But now it cuts me to the quick when I am forced to mention
That styles have changed and yielded to the dictates of convention;
And dandies think it dutiful
To make themselves look beautiful,
For elegance and vanity now claim a man's attention.

No longer have we he-men from the great wide open spaces,
Instead we're forced to watch some dapper dudes go through their paces;
Quite openly and daringly,
They dab and daub unsparingly
Abundant rouge and lipstick on their mollycoddle faces!

It seems to me the fashion that this giddy gang expresses,
Will cause a transformation, if this policy progresses;
These simps will mock formality
And show originality
By brazenly discarding pants and wearing women's dresses!

Chicagoans Gather in Mississippi

BILOXI, Miss., Dec. 31.—[Special.]—Chicagoans are beginning to gather in large numbers along the Mississippi coast. This section has become a mecca for prominent midwesterners. Ample accommodation is afforded at the hotels constructed during the last several years at an outlay of $5,000,000. Added to the attractions this winter are the six sporty golf courses within a radius of twenty-five miles, where professional instructors from Chicago preside. Various other entertainment is afforded the visitors each season, all of which is becoming more popular with the increasing number arriving.

Among Chicagoans in Biloxi are Mrs. T. E. Blake and daughter, Miss Blanche Blake, and Samuel Insull Jr.

ACTIVITIES OF WOMEN

Miss Fridl Kutzner, Germany's leading woman agriculturist, is now in the United States to study our farming methods.

Miss Agnes M. Royden, known as England's greatest woman preacher, celebrated her 51st birthday recently.



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The Last Word in Paris Fashions

The Four Piece Ensemble Provides a Labor Saving Chic for the Busy Woman.

By Bettina Bedwell.

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

PARIS.—(Special Correspondence.)—A good many women are traveling light this season, whether they go south or do their journeying on the home boulevards. Clothes, charming as they are, mean work. It isn't alone the original cost in time, worry and weariness; it's the upkeep of expenditure of these three vital qualities which is driving many ladies to some kind of labor saving chic.

The experienced traveler allows the amateur and the thoughtless to pound the pavements in a never ending job of getting something new. She knows well how devastating are the results of this continual assembling of dresses, coats, and the multitude of details to complete them. Fewer and smarter clothes are more satisfying and far less of a strain to the nervous system, in the long run. No single garment can be chic if it is not complementary to all the other garments that are worn with it.

This is why so many of the fashionable women in Paris are choosing four piece ensembles this winter for all-day wear. These ensembles may be worn all together, or in a group of three or two. Each item is in perfect accord with all the others, in line, in material, in detail and in character, because the ensemble is the work of one creator. Hats, shoes, hosiery and other accessories chosen for the outfit are entirely suitable to any part of it when worn alone. The first cost of careful and intelligent selection covers the entire outlay that provides several costumes appropriate to a good many occasions.

It is true, of course, that the four-in-one costume hasn't the novelty which so often dazzles the amateur chic hunter. It has instead a surer cachet, and it does end a lot of worry about details. And for the traveler the four piece ensemble means much less parking space, which is also an item worthy of consideration.

Usually the four piece ensemble is composed of coat, jacquette, waist and skirt. Many women expand it by having several blouses and perhaps a slipon sweater, so that the ensemble has more variety and greater usefulness without in any way losing its priceless quality of complete harmony. According to the character of these units is the ensemble made suitable for street, sports or afternoon wear.

A four piece ensemble that is a great favorite of the Parisienne is shown on our first figure at the left. This model is from Jeanne Lanvin, who creates an exquisite balance between the flared lines of the coat and the straight lines of skirt and jacquette by the use of gray and black diagonal kasha-bure as the material. The coat has the Lanvin dropped shoulder line, with a yoke in back made by inset sun-ray bands. The front closing of this coat is trimmed on the inside by bias bands of the diagonal fabric, and the top opens to form revers that are not attached to the black marten collar.



The four piece ensemble from Jeanne Lanvin shown at the extreme left is made of gray and black kasha-bure, with a long, loose coat collared and cuffed with marten, a jacket and skirt of straight line simplicity, and a blouse and scarf of gray crepe.

Next, the four-in-one afternoon ensemble is often made of broadcloth. Redfern makes this coat, jacket and skirt of plum brown broadcloth, the jacket being banded with beige and the coat with beaver fur.

Third, the two piece frock worn beneath the Redfern coat shown on the figure immediately on its left has a straight skirt of plum brown broadcloth and a blouse of crepe de chine trimmed with tucked bands and having a collar and jabot of beige crepe de chine.

Fourth, the first three-quarters of Beer's latest four piece ensemble are cardigan jacket of navy blue broadcloth banded in lighter blue, sweater blouse of blue and white jersey, also banded in two tones of blue, and navy broadcloth skirt plaited in front with a double series of stair-step plaits.

The last quarter of the Beer ensemble is this coat of navy blue broadcloth collared with beaver, sketched last.

The skirt is a double wrap-around, giving the utmost freedom with the slenderest of lines. The straight jacquette buttons down the front from throat to hips with black bone buttons. The original ensemble has a simple jumper blouse of gray crêpe de chine, and the big scarf, which ties in a bow at the throat, is also of gray crêpe. The blouse has a yoke in back similar to that of the coat, achieved by a fan of small tucks.

Our second model is a four piece ensemble from Redfern, which may be worn for almost any daytime occasion in town. Our second figure shows the coat of this ensemble, which is made of satin-finish broadcloth in that most beautiful of the smart winter colors, plum brown. This coat is of seven-eighths length and is very straight in line. Inset pockets are placed at the hipline in front. The cuffs are of beaver, and the full length revers, which meet at the back of the neck and replace a collar, are also of beaver.

Under the coat is worn a cardigan jacquette which is banded with beaver colored crêpe, and which fastens with bone buttons. These buttons are placed only half way to the front, so that the beige crêpe de chine jabot on the waist may be draped over the jacquette.

A straight skirt of plum brown broadcloth is worn with the jacquette, and when the latter is removed or worn open, the blouse of beige crêpe de chine is visible. This effect is shown on our third figure, which represents the ensemble without the coat. The straight blouse has a square plastron effect, created by a band of tiny tucks. Another band of tucks is placed at the bottom of the blouse.

The jacquette is sleeveless, so that the straight sleeves of the blouse with their narrow flaring cuffs show when the coat is not worn. The blouse collar may be worn closed as it is shown on our second figure, or open as it is shown on the third.

Any chic that hopes to qualify in the labor saving category must be one that is extremely careful about both colors and fabrics used. Simple fabrics of fine quality and sober, or at least discreet, colors are best. An ideal shade for winter, and one which will surely be smart in the early spring, is navy blue. Among the fabrics the safest daytime material is broadcloth because it is a favorite in Paris not only for elegant afternoon clothes, but for the simple sports costume, also.

Blue is the color and broadcloth the material of our final model in the sketch today. This Beer four piece ensemble is shown on the two figures at the right of the sketch. The skirt, blouse and jacquette of this ensemble are sketched on the fourth figure. Beer makes the skirt of navy blue broadcloth and gives it fullness by a series of stair-step plaits descending at the right and left side of the front.

The sweater blouse is made of pastel blue jersey crossed by fine lines of white. The asymmetrical neck is edged with a band in navy and lighter blue, this band descending at the left side to a large monogram embroidered in navy blue on a lighter blue oval of jersey. The jacquette, which is of navy blue broadcloth, is banded also in two tones of blue and similar bands replace cuffs on the sleeves.

The coat shown in our final sketch is worn over this three piece suit to complete the ensemble out of doors in winter. It is of navy blue broadcloth, with a Norfolk cut and a belt of self material. Shaped pieces trim the sleeves. The collar, which is made of beaver, is very high in back and attached to the revers in front.

HOW TO GET RID OF EXTRA POUNDS

by Antoinette Donnelly

Cut Down on the Extras and Drink Plenty of Water Between Meals



NEW YORK.—[Special Correspondence]—How about another reducing course?

I think it about time we concentrated on figures again for a while. One thing about them is this: If they are to get into the fashion show, private or public, they've got to be concentrated on every once in a while. And every woman's figure makes her own fashion show. Or unmakes it!

The promised curves of the late lamented nineties are no more on the eve of returning than the full sleeves they helped puff out. So, figures being what they are going to be in this season's dresses and the next season's and the season after that, we had better decide to whittle them down where whittling is needed and make a nice, neat, healthy job of the remodeling.

There aren't going to be any freak measures of ridding the body of its superfluous weight. If anybody wants to get thin quicker than is consistent with health, energy and beauty, they'll have to apply at some other reducing parlor than mine, because this course we're going to start on today is going to follow the lines of sane reducing, or there isn't going to be any reducing at all.

No Victims Wanted.

We don't want any victims of passion for excessive thinness in this class of ours. We only want those whose weight is above normal. Because this has to be a health promoting course of reduction first, the beauty automatically following with the sane diets containing proper food elements and the exercises which will be neither too strenuous nor too difficult for the overweight individual.

We don't want any anemic looking girls or women with reserve energy so dissipated that they become easy prey for all manner of chronic ailments. These are the exhibits of foolish measures adopted for the price of a boyish form—common sights of a year or so ago, when the reducing craze reached the point so near insanity that the medical profession was stirred to action and protest and extremely valuable propaganda against the get-thin-quick systems of reducing.

At no time during the campaign of the esteemed medical profession was overweight viewed as anything but what it is—a detriment to health and a detriment to looks. Bear in mind, their campaign was not against reducing, but against excessive reduction and the foolish methods adopted to achieve a boyish form.

Reviewing the Follies.

Perhaps a brief review of the "follies" resorted to (unhappily still being resorted to) and warred upon by the medical profession might not be out of place here.

Thyroid extract was used in many of the reducing drugs. When too much of the toxic substance that acts on the thyroid gland is taken it will reduce weight, but it will reduce at the price of health and, in instance after instance reported by physicians, reduces at the price of life itself.

A method practiced not uncommonly, yet not so widely advertised as other wrong systems, is that of inducing evacuation after a meal, either by drugs or mechanical measures. This is a repulsive, harmful method, with the stomach an almost sure victim of disease. The high colonic irrigations come in the same class of health destroyers when indulged in with the frequency with which a reducer adopts them. And purgative drugs, another of the less advertised systems, may lead to disease of the intestines most difficult to remedy.

Starving, of course, leads in the sins against the body in the interests of the shadowline silhouette. So much of fat in the tissues is removed that there is no energy left upon which to feed. Exhaustion of this reserve tissue sent more women scuttling to the doctor or to hospitals than the records will ever be able to show. The fatalities resulting from starvation diets were covered up under the names of the diseases the loss of reserve tissue promoted.

No Standard Figure.

A sane reducing diet can neither be too monotonous nor deficient in the proper food elements.

Principally, before we begin our reducing course, I want you to realize that figures cannot be standardized. A fashion plate figure is not for every woman. By that I mean the illustrated fashion figure. But every woman may create a smart figure out of the normal weight for her own individual self. It profits her not a whit if, in excessive reduction, she achieves a willing slenderness, and her health, her efficiency, and her beauty of face are affected, which invariably happens when less than the normal weight is coveted.

To determine your normal weight there is a simple rule used in many hospitals and generally conceded to be a satisfactory method of determining it. Allow 110 pounds for five feet of height. Measure the height without shoes. Multiply the number of inches over five feet by five and one-half. This is an approximate weight. There may be a variation of from five to ten per cent over or below and still you may be classed as normal.

A bit more human test of the proper weight for the individual is that at which you feel most fit yourself, most energetic, most capable, least crowded in your clothes, and best looking in the face. Lazy folk, however, I've noticed, accept this test and pretend it fits, though their frames may be considerably overweighted.

Two Pounds a Week.

Our ambition is to take off no more than two pounds a week, as that is the healthiest rate at which to eliminate flesh. This is quick enough reduction for the most eager when you figure what that will mean at the end of five or ten weeks. When you have gotten back to your normal weight, we want you to stop reducing and keep an eye on the bathroom scales and let that be your guide at table. Once you get back to normal, you will have learned about foods that can be missed for a meal or two without any damage to your system, but with a great deal of benefit to your figure.

For the first week, the coming week, I'm not going to put you on a prescribed diet, nor am I going to give you any course of exercises.

All I ask is that you weigh yourself first thing and at breakfast, luncheon, and dinner you figure out how much bread you've been in the habit of consuming, butter, cream in your coffee, how many pieces of toast for breakfast, how many rolls at luncheon, how many helpings or spoonfuls of this thing and of that you've been eating. That done, I want you to shave every meal down exactly one-third. That leaves you more than enough to smile on, with two-thirds of your usual intake. But cut down that extra third.

If you've been having three pats of butter at a meal, make it two. Three lumps of sugar, make it two. Three pieces of toast, make it two. If two helpings of these food elements, or of any others is your usual habit, shave the third off.

And NO EATING BETWEEN MEALS. Drink water—but take no food. No afternoon nibble and no midnight bite. Absolutely, positively nothing between meals except water.

Cut Down on Liquids.

Another request I am going to make of you for this first week is to go without liquid at your meals. No alcohol, of course it is understood, is permitted in any course of reducing. By going without liquid at meals I mean coffee drinking, tea drinking, and water drinking.

The reason for this request is that the average person eats less when she takes no liquid with the meal. And another reason is that when you take water with your meals the fluid dilutes the gastric juice so that there is insufficient concentration in the secretion to digest the foods that are eaten. The result is that these foods are compelled to lie in the stomach longer than they should. Then they undergo fermentation and give off gases which cause bloating and distension of the stomach and give the appearance of overweight.

If it is humanly impossible for you to get through breakfast without a cup of coffee, let it be the only meal at which you have a liquid; but it is better if you can get along without it altogether.

You see, I don't intend to make it too easy for you, because reducing isn't one of the most amusing pastimes. Neither is it going to be hard. And this first week is going to get you in the frame of mind for what you will be asked to do next week and the week after.

Be sure to drink water between meals. Six glasses is the minimum amount.

Now, that isn't a very hard week to look forward to, is it?

K. P. N.: ENLARGED KNUCKLES may be improved by massaging the hands. Use cocoa butter or almond oil. A good cold cream will serve. Wash the hands in warm water before applying the cream, then massage from the finger tips backward toward the wrist. Use gentle forcible strokes, and with circular movement work the cream into the underlying tissues.

FRENCHIE: IF YOUR FRECKLES are of the light summer variety, lemon juice is beneficial. Rub a slice of lemon over the face, letting the juice dry on and remain for a time. For sunburn, apply equal parts of linseed oil and lime water. This may also be used as a preventive. Send a stamped addressed envelope for the neck bleach.

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YOU AND YOUR CHILDREN

by Mrs. Gladys Huntington Bevans

Adopted Children.

"OH, so this is the little fellow you took—isn't he fine!"

How often do foster parents, with their beloved adopted child standing at their side, have to listen to such thoughtless—criminally thoughtless — comments from people who have children of their own and who should, because of that, have too much sense and too much sensitiveness to say such things.

Parents who would make remarks like that would probably be equally tactless at home before their own children and discuss freely the fact that this or that child was adopted. With what result? That in a moment of quarreling among playmates, this fact is thrown up at the adopted ones—for children can be very cruel to each other.

Thoughtlessness.

Like many other things which hurt people deeply, thoughtlessness is at the bottom of this situation. If people would use their imaginations a little, much pain would be spared the world at large.

There is an increasingly large number of people who are adopting children, and I think one of the most serious aspects of doing so is this very thing—telling them about their parentage. It is one which should be given careful and courageous thought.

The most usual procedure, especially if they adopt the child when he is a baby, is for the foster parents to let him think they are his own parents, even though he may be surrounded by associates who know that he is not.

This has great perils, I think, though it is natural, since in all but the act of birth they are his father and mother. One peril lies in the fact that some one may plant in them, while they are little, the suspicion that they are adopted. The other peril lies in the moment when they are grown or nearly so, and are told the facts of their birth by their foster parents.

They Always Knew.

I have thought about this a great deal and it seems to me that it is something that might be handled in another way. At least, it has been done in a few cases I know of, and I don't see how any children could love parents who bore them any more dearly than these children loved their foster parents.

The way it was managed was that the children always knew they were adopted. In some cases they did not even call their foster parents father and mother—though it would be hard to deny one's self the music of these names, and not especially necessary, I think. These children grew up knowing that the parents they loved so dearly were their foster parents. It would be a hard thing for many people to do, but it is worth thinking about. And it has the great advantage that neither the child nor his parents can be hurt by the thoughtlessness or cruelty of grown people or children.

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MARRIAGE PROBLEMS — By Doris Blake

These Open Letters Reveal More Marital Snags Than Many Theoretical Lectures Could



IT is said that there is probably no greater test of the world's progress—or otherwise—than in a contemplation of how husbands treat their wives and how wives treat their husbands, for the relationship between them is the relationship from which all else springs.

A study in marital relationships would reveal among other specimens the husband who is afraid of his wife; the husband who despises his wife; the husband who tolerates his wife; the husband who does not know what to make of his wife; the husband who is disloyal and the husband who is true; the husband who is kind and the husband who makes life miserable, and for every husband, good, bad and indifferent you will find a wife who is neither better nor worse. There are wives who are cheats, wives who are cold, wives who are mean, wives who are cruel, wives who are affectionate, loving, kind and fair in all things.

From my mail I present a few examples of the treatment of husbands and wives as I meet them, with the plea that if they need to serve as an awakener to some thoughtless mate they be permitted so to do.

Hard on Mother.

"I am the mother of three children. They are just blossoming into young manhood and womanhood. In the earlier years of my marriage my husband was away from home a great deal and consequently I had the control of my offspring much in my own hands.

"My husband is a good enough provider. His fault is that if I correct one of the children or try to make them see the wrong of certain actions, he pounces upon me before them and berates me in a manner I cannot understand, because I am not a nagger. But I do want the children to turn out creditably.

"More than this, he makes sarcastic remarks about me to the children. The consequence is they feel they have his backing and are becoming impudent and unmanageable. The oldest girl, whom the father defends against the slightest criticism from me, is really getting out of hand entirely. Heaven knows it is no pleasure to me to hear myself correcting the girl or any of the children, but I want them to turn out right.

"Mrs. A. M."

That's a relationship from which all manner of trouble may spring and the father will be the one to blame. In matters of correction, where correction is justly due, no interference should be advanced from the other side of the house. And the father or mother who destroys the authority of the other parent or the confidence of the child by belittling remarks may well expect to live to see the day that his crime will come home to roost. With maturity the child understands which was the better guide and to that one will go the credit for having sown the seeds of helpfulness.

Not a Square Deal.

"I am a married woman of 32," writes another. "I have had four children in my fourteen years of married life. I am no picture gallery, but I am neat, clean, of lively disposition and do make a nice appearance. I keep the children in excellent condition and look after my husband in the same manner. I try to do my utmost, but it is discouraging to think I've been married these many years and the times my husband has offered to take me anywhere, even to a movie or for a walk, you could count on one hand. Christmas, birthday or wedding anniversaries are the same as every other day to him. Never a remembrance or a good wish. But he goes out when he feels like it.

"Mrs. Square Deal."

Mrs. Square Deal is not getting one. Advising her to take herself off to a theater or movie isn't the answer to her problem. It is thoughtfulness, just an occasional sign of it from her husband, that would make her happy. And the number of Mrs. Square Deals that aren't getting it are simply legion, as are the wives whose pleasant relationships with their husbands are stifled with unfairness about money settlements. This class of wife and the neglected lead in numbers the army of disgruntled wives.

I'd be willing to make a wager that happy marital relationships would be increased by 50 per cent were men more fair with their wives on the financial end of their partnerships and did they remember them more often with remembrances at holiday and anniversary seasons and occasional invitations to amusement centers. Or, with words of appreciation spoken in terms of endearment. Many a bitterness would be smoothed out of a woman's soul with just one word of kindly appreciation.

The Other Side.

As a test of her own progress in such an intimate relationship as marriage a woman has but to note the responsiveness with which an agreeable nature is met. There are few men who will quarrel without encouragement. And the quarrelsome woman is one of the banes of the perfect matrimonial state. When you have that disposition coupled with a slatternly appearance you have a creature with whom agreeable relationship cannot be carried on.

Complaints from husbands involve her more often than any other type, unless it be of the woman who refuses to take up the burdens of housework.

"She lies abed mornings and she feeds me out of a delicatessen shop." are complaints registered frequently. Which isn't even treating a husband as a meal ticket. And the relationships that spring out of delicatessen or restaurant fare are as thin as the cream that goes into the preparation of the foodstuffs.

Bright Sayings of Husbands and Wives

The snappy comeback of the better half when cornered has often been a source of wonder to husbands and wives! The husband or the wife has come across with a bright saying that will never be forgotten by the other half of the matrimonial sketch. What was that bright saying, Mr.? Mrs.? Send it to us, and we'll pay you $1 for it if we print it. Address Bright Sayings of Husbands and Wives, The Chicago Tribune, Chicago.

Foot, Not Face.

"Don't bring me any more bills, Alice, I can't face them."

"I don't want you to, John. I want you to foot them."

C. B. T.

Necessary Money.

Mr. C. [after listening to his wife complain about never being able to see a show.]—Why, I wanted to take you to a show last night, dear.

Mrs. C.—Well, that's news to me. When did you invite me?

Mr. C.—Just after dinner last night—don't you remember? I said I'd love to take you to a show if I had the money?

Mrs. C. C.

The Finder.

Wife—You always were a faultfinder.

Husband—Yes, dear, I found you.

M. W. S.

HISTORICAL AMERICA by CLIFFORD RAYMOND

Watauga and Kentucky.

WHEN the picture of the Watauga Old Fields marker shown in the illustrations was snapped it was a Monday morning in October. The term of court was opening, and the courthouse is just back of the marker in a square of green. The veniremen had come out of the Tennessee hills and the valley of the Watauga river in their cars and were grouped about the green.

The Watauga is nearby. The town is Elizabethton, eastern Tennessee.

The Watauga is a part of a region or system of mountain valleys and rivers important in the frontier movement and history and in the lives and achievements of some of the great American pioneers. It includes the French Broad, the Nolichucky, the Holston, the Powell, the Clinch, mountain head waters of the Tennessee.

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To Cumberland Gap and Kentucky.

To the north and west is the Boone trail to Cumberland Gap and thence north to the Kentucky river and the blue grass of Kentucky. A few miles out of Elizabethton on the Watauga is Sycamore Shoals, where the state of Transylvania had its inception in the treaty Richard Henderson of Carolina negotiated with the Cherokee Indians for a quitclaim on Kentucky and Tennessee land which should thus be opened peaceably and honestly to settlement organized from the Carolinas.

Watauga was a frontier post before the revolution. It was a gathering place for adventurers, land seekers, home makers, hunters, fur traders, rebels, nonconformists, and pioneers who had gone so far from established government as to feel the injustice of both its oppressions and its neglects. Therefore having felt this, having rebelled and having been punished as at the battle of the Alamance, they had moved farther on and a distinguished colony of southern pioneers from the Carolina piedmont was in or near about Watauga in 1771.

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Call for Nathan Hale.

When the sheriff or his deputy or the bailiff of the Circuit court came out on the courthouse balcony overlooking the Watauga Old Fields the October Monday this picture of lounging Tennessee mountain and valley men was taken, he came to summon the veniremen for jury selection and the first name he was heard to call was

"Nathan Hale. Nathan Hale."

It is an association with a far away Connecticut roll of hills and with British military gallows in New York, and yet it had its fitting consistency with the tradition of the Watauga valley and the background of the migration which had put these men in the lowlands and the hills of a country far away geographically, but intimate politically.

The most enthusiastic popular response to Lexington and Concord outside of New England was in North Carolina, where now the Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence of May 20, 1775, a document and action unauthenticated, to treat both most kindly, are still celebrated as valid and of enduring consequence.

Although it is a long way from Connecticut to Watauga in northeastern Tennessee, it did not seem so far a cry, considering the record of these valleys, hills and mountains to hear the call for Nathan Hale at the opening of court.

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Boone and John Finley.

The most celebrated explorer, trail blazer, and hunter who helped connect the Watauga, Nolichucky, Holston, Clinch, and Powell valley frontiers with Kentucky was not its first explorer, but popularly he has remained its best known. Daniel Boone had the advantage of an early and romantic historian to build his legend.

He was not the first to find Cumberland Gap and the trail through it is not his trail, although it bears his name, a tribute well enough deserved. He blazed the way for Henderson's Transylvania through it, even if he did not find it.

Boone, it is reliably related, first heard of Kentucky from John Finley. Both were teamsters recruited to get the exasperated Gen. Braddock's supplies across the Pennsylvania mountains for him over the way partly cut for Washington the year before. Finley had been in the blue grass. He had heard of its wonders from Indians on the Ohio, and with several companions had gone by canoes to the falls of the Ohio in 1752 and on his way back some roving Shawnees took him and carried him into the interior in central Kentucky. In the winter of the following year he escaped and in 1755 he was a driver in Braddock's baggage and supply train going over the mountains to take the French fort at the forks of the Ohio.

Boone was in the same train and it is indicated that the two had campfire talks which filled Boone with desire to get into the wonderful country which had been traveled by mastodons whose bones littered the ground at Big Bone Lick and which still was a wonderland of game.

The baggage and supply train was not involved in the defeat and destruction of Braddock's front column, but it involved itself in the rout. It started and led it, the teamsters cutting their traces when they learned that the combat part of the expedition was being butchered in the ravines.

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War Checked Pioneers.

That was Boone's introduction to the frontier wealth of Kentucky. Both the Ohio company and the Loyal Land company had been investigating the rumored possibilities before this. Dr. Thomas Walker for the Ohio company, a London and Virginia enterprise, had gone through Cumberland Gap in 1750, but his luck was poor. When he was through the gap the blue grass was on to the north, but he did not go far enough and when his party returned to Virginia it was with discouraging reports. They had been in the least promising section of the state.

Christopher Gist for the Ohio company came down the Ohio river and in March, 1751, his exploring had brought him to Big Bone Lick, where he saw the mastodon bones. He carried a five pound tooth back with him when he returned. He went through the blue grass and from heights of land saw the plain of central Kentucky. The Ohio company had a different report. Gist had seen the plains. Walker had seen the mountains and hills.

But the activities of land companies had the check of the French war. It was to require seven years of fighting to determine whether French or English should have possession of the Ohio valley and the Mississippi and the regions which they opened. When war had determined that they should be English, the crown reserved them for the Indians and the fur trade, or endeavored to do so temporarily by the proclamation of '63 restraining colonists from going into them and occupying them to the disturbance of the natives and of the production of furs.

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The Watauga Marker.

A proclamation could not have held back the tide of wishful land seekers, pushing pioneers and rough aggressors in the way of whose excursions the Indians were, but the break of the colonies with the home government came, and again the energies of the country were occupied in a struggle as the revolution was taking form in New England. He intended to extinguish Indian titles by purchase, and in the spring of 1775, just as the Massachusetts farmers were shooting at the British troops, the wagons carrying £10,000 value of goods desired by the Indians reached the Watauga river to seal the bargain with the Cherokees.

The purchase was made at Sycamore Shoals, and the Indians deeded lands in central Kentucky and Tennessee to the Henderson Land company. Boone was commissioned to blaze a trail for the settlers. The adventure established itself on and about the Kentucky river, not far from Lexington. For several reasons it was a failure, and one of these reasons involved an interesting conflict of idea as to Indian possession, the rights of a mother colony and the validity of a transfer of land by native possessors or claimants to private individuals.

One difficulty was that Kentucky, of all the regions available for purchase and settlement, had the most shadowy Indian titles. The Shawnees on the north claimed it. The Cherokees claimed it. The Iroquois claimed it because they had defeated the Shawnees and professed to hold them as vassals, and their lands as their feudal overlords. The English had claimed it by virtue of a treaty made with the Iroquois at Fort Stanwix in 1768, and Virginia claimed it by charter rights as a sea to sea colony and state.

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Laws on Title Grants.

There had been an earlier English decision with respect to East Indian land holdings that a title granted by natives to individuals was valid, that the natives had the right to transfer possession to private persons without the intervention of the state. Virginia held that only a state could make treaties with Indians and acquire possession of new territory, and that consequently no citizen could obtain title to lands in which there was a transfer of sovereignty. Indian titles could be acquired only by government act.

Henderson found sympathizers in the east, but the revolution was on, and states which did not object to Virginia losing its pretensions to so much territory and did not object to Henderson creating a new state nevertheless could not afford to add more discord to the union and confederation for the war.

The price Henderson paid for the land was huge for its day, and it was honest in the quality of goods which represented the sale price, but the region transferred was a real empire. The promoter who mixed determination with honest dealing was compensated eventually in a fashion by grants of land, but the animosities which the state of Transylvania aroused have not even now completely vanished. There are historians who slander George Rogers Clark because as a Virginian he opposed Henderson, and there are historians who still blister Henderson because he had the audacity to undertake such a venture.

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The Watauga river at Elizabethton, Tenn., Watauga Old Fields.



The Watauga Old Fields marker at Elizabethton, Tenn.



A mountain scene at Cumberland Gap.



The monument to Fort Watauga at Sycamore Shoals.

Allegheny mountains where men joined together in a written compact for civil government and the preservation of their ideals of government."

The pioneers had come beyond the reach of government. None of its functions extended to their new homes. Its claims of sovereignty reached them, but none of its machinery. For some of them it was deliberate escape from a North Carolina government which had oppressed them, against which they had rebelled, which had defeated them at the battle of the Alamance, which had executed some of their leaders, and from which they had withdrawn into the mountains.

In establishing a mode of living which would protect order and maintain their principles, they reverted to the plan of the Pilgrims in Provincetown harbor and agreed by compact to an order of conduct. The marker carries the names of the thirteen commissioners elected under this agreement: Charles Robertson, James Robertson, Zachary Tobell, John Sevier, John Carter, James Smith, Jacob Brown, William Bean, John Jones, George Russell, James Womack, Robert Lucas, and William Tatham.

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Henderson and the Indians.

These were the representatives of the men by whom or among whom were begun the aborted states of Transylvania and Franklin, and by whom Kentucky and Tennessee were settled and brought to statehood. They also guarded the left flank of the revolution, and they and other men like them stopped the western advance of Cornwallis in North Carolina by coming out of the mountains to defeat Ferguson at King's mountain on the South Carolina line.

Richardson Henderson brought his Transylvania plans to Watauga just

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HOW TO USE THE PATTERNS

THIS unusual model for the larger woman, pattern No. 3159, is a semi-sports design. The back is straight and in one piece, and is crossed at a normal waistline by three narrow belts that fasten on either side of the front panel, giving a snug fit through the hipline. The deep V in the front is completed with a vestee and helps give length to the figure. The pressed plaits at either side of the front panel flare gracefully when walking, and give the needed width to the hemline.

Crêpe satin, flat silk crêpe, velvet, crêpe Roma, angora jersey and silk twill are suitable fabric from which to choose for this attractive design.

The vest, collar and sleeve bands will look well cut from a contrasting material. Two pieces are required for each of the parts. After the vest is cut out, lay the two pieces together, with the right sides together. Run a basting thread down the exact center, and mark the small perforation that shows on the pattern.

Then stitch from the neck down to the perforation each side of this center basting, starting at the neck with a ¾ inch seam away from the basting and run the seam off to nearly nothing at the perforation. Then cut through the basting as far as you have stitched and turn to the right side. Set the vestee in place on the front panel, turning in the panel edges. Stitch close to the turned-in edges, first overcasting the raw edges.

Don't make the sleeve bands too close a measure, for they are not comfortable so, and you must remember that the sleeve fullness that is set into the band takes up a little from the size of the cuffs. After the three bands have been stitched together slip a tape needle into one end of a belt, sew through the eye of the needle to one thickness of the cloth and push the needle quickly through the belt. This is an easy way to turn each one right side out. It is an excellent idea in these belts to turn the ends in carefully, basting them down before seaming the belt.

After the belt is turned to the right side it will be an easy matter to slip or blind stitch the ends together. Use your needle to bring the stitched seam to the edge, and baste carefully before pressing into shape.

Pattern No. 871 is for a cunning one piece dress that is decidedly new and different. The lower part of the front has plaited insets, with trimming straps just above the plaits, through which the belt is slipped. The dress is so attractive yet so simple and easily made that mothers will not hesitate to attempt it.

The back is cut in one piece, and the front also. A line of perforations each side of the lower center front shows where the front is cut to allow the plaited sections to be set in, and the directions with the pattern tell exactly how to go to work.

Plaid woolen in red, green, and black, with a red silk crêpe collar, belt, cuffs, and jabot, is shown in the sketch and is very pretty. Jersey flannel and velveteen in becoming colors will also be smart. Of course the belt straps are lined, and if buttons are used they should be sewed on before setting the lining in place.

Pattern No. 3198 is one of the new, smart designs that will assure the wearer individual chic. The diagonal neckline and the low placed circular flare in the front give graceful movement when in motion. The sleeves are full length, close fitting, and quite unadorned. The neck of the dress will look well bound or faced, but if binding is used to finish the bottom of the skirt, the neck should be finished to match. The ribbon bow at the neck, and the matching ribbon sash ending in a bow, worn at a low waistline, are all the trimming this pretty frock needs.

Printed velvet, satin, sheer velvet, faille crêpe, cashmere, challis, flat silk crêpe, and novelty woolens are all fashionable materials.



3198.—Woman's and misses' dress. Sizes 16 and 18 years and 36, 38, 40 and 42 inches bust measure. Size 36 requires 3 yards of 40 inch material with ¼ yard of 40 inch material, or 4¼ yards of 1 inch wide ribbon.

3159.—Woman's dress. Sizes 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46 and 48 inches bust measure. Size 36 requires 3¾ yards of 40 inch material with ⅝ yard of 40 inch contrasting.

871.—Girl's dress. Sizes 6, 8, 10, 12 and 14 years. Size 8 requires 1¾ yards of 40 inch material with ⅝ yard of 36 inch contrasting.

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—Old Saying.

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The Lost Recovered.

I dream often therefore pay little attention to dreams, but a year ago I spent several weeks in the south. My last evening there I wore on my blouse three little diamond pins held together by tiny gold chains. They had been my mother's and I valued them highly.

The maid, who was in the room while I was changing my dress, admired them and asked me to give them to her. That night I packed hurriedly and left early the next morning. After reaching home I missed the pins. I was certain the maid had taken them. I wrote the hotel, but they had not been found.

Last spring, on my mother's birthday, I went to bed thinking of her and of the lost pins. Suddenly my mother walked through the wall at the foot of my bed and smiling said, "child, why are you troubled about those pins? They are still on your blouse."

I sat up in bed wide awake. I could not believe that it was a dream or that I had been asleep. I was so impressed that I did not wait for morning to look in the trunk of summer things that had not been disturbed since my return, but opened it at once and there were the pins still on my blouse!

H. C.

Shown the Way.

A wealthy English manufacturer from London sent to the engraving company I was employed by an original drawing of his family's coat of arms, and from this drawing we were to make an engraved die for stationery stamping.

In the process of the work the original drawing was lost. We moved heaven and earth to find it, but no trace of it could be found. The Englishman was angry over the loss. He refused compensation and finally stopped at our offices and threatened suit.

Just at this time I was leaving to get married and went south on my honeymoon. While in Pensacola I came face to face with the Englishman in a hotel lobby, and for an instant thought of the coat of arms.

That night in my sleep I dreamed that the drawing was filed away under my own name at the blue print company. I was excited. I couldn't get back fast enough. I gained permission to go through the blue print company's file room and I actually recognized the old filing cabinet I had dreamed about, and, sure enough, under my name, the drawing was filed, yet no writing appeared on it.

Everybody wondered and had to believe that dreams do come true.

K. G.

The TRIBUNE COOK BOOK

The Secure Cold of January Makes Nine Day Cookery Easy and Practical

All recipes have been scientifically tested by Miss Eddington with current market materials and are indorsed by her.

By Jane Eddington

WHEN the fathers of New England went into the woods to do their winter chopping down of trees for the year's fuel supply, one of the luncheon items they took with them, or that some of them took with them, was frozen pea soup. The soup had been frozen to a string and all that was necessary was to put it into a tin dipper and melt it to get a hearty luncheon dish. It had been well seasoned with fat in the making, was rich and palatable, and easily made boiling hot. It goes without saying that this soup was far more nourishing than a cup of coffee or tea with some flapjacks. The modern sandwich was more or less unknown in those days.

The staples, like dried peas and beans, have been an enormous resource to people living in climates where real winter weather binds the earth. They are meaty foods, for a dried bean may contain twenty-two per cent of protein, which is the main constituent of lean meat. Just as meat may be dried up and toughened by too much fire, so may beans. Beans boiled are half spoiled, because the protein in them is turned to a stick or a product that one may as well not eat, as far as nourishment is concerned. Besides that, it is a liability when eaten.

But twenty-two per cent is not all of the food in a bean. It has sixty per cent of true energy food or fuel—namely, starch, so, you see, it is bread and meat in one small package. Besides that, fat is usually added in the cooking to make it further complete, and then a yet more complete dish may be compounded by adding vegetable seasonings, which furnish the protective elements. A large number of people in cooking beans treat them as though they were all starch.

Some methods of cooking beans enough all but ruin the protein in them. Slow cooking is right for the protein, and is really best for the starch.

Water with Beans.

A newly dried bean contains about twelve per cent of water. A fresh bean contains about sixty to eighty per cent of water. A finely cooked dried bean contains about seventy per cent of water. This shows us another thing, or part of the business necessary in protecting the protein. If the protein is hardened by boiling [simmering is the thing], the bean cannot swell to the fullest and take up as much water as it might, and, because it cannot, it will take much longer to cook even the starchy part so that it will be soft. If even soaked beans are scalded at the start of cooking, one may have to allow two or three times as long to cook them as when this is not done. To scald parboiled beans as a preparatory process is to harden the outer protein, and, besides this, it leaches out some of the valuable solubles in the beans, and leaves them not only less pleasant of flavor, but less valuable as food.

By hardening the protein and dissolving the mineral elements, the beans as an edible are reduced nearly to one thing, starch. They may be further deprived of nourishing elements by adding baking soda to them. Here is the way of it: Some people boil beans, which hardens them and makes them strong of flavor. Then they add baking soda to do something that they ought not need to do, and cases have been known of people who went on bleaching the beans to dissolve even part of the starch by parboiling them in seven waters, each and all thrown away.

Soaking Beans.

Eight hours of soaking with water to cover, or with two cups of water per cup of beans in the more accurate formula, has been a universal direction for the little white or navy bean. Because of the germ in the bean they need to be kept in a cold place, or in an overnight soaking, or they will ferment. They may take up all the water in which they are soaked, but if they should not any extra should not be thrown away. It is as absurd to do so as to attempt the impossible task of throwing away what they have absorbed already.

If they have been soaked in two cups of water per one cup of beans, two cups more of water will be sufficient for the right type of cooking, which is cooking with a cover to prevent the escape of steam after they come slowly to a point where steam will be given off. But large beans, especially, can be cooked without any soaking at all if they are brought slowly enough to near a boil.

Bean Recipes.

It is difficult to give dependable recipes for cooking beans, because people will not cook them with the minimum fire. It is harder to give the necessary attention to keeping it so, and besides this there has been a lot of dead sureness and setness on how to do the work without any knowledge of the chemical composition of a bean.

Stewing Beans and Peas.

Kidney beans, Lima beans, and green split peas, sieved, make an excellent dish of themselves and a good base for other dishes, such as soups, etc. The kidney bean, not soaked, can, by the method described below, usually be cooked as soft and mellow in three hours as almost any food needs to be. The Lima bean rarely requires a longer time than that and the green split pea cooks in about the same time.

But if a kidney bean is boiled hard at the start the protein in it will become so hard that after a whole day of cooking it will not be truly soft nor truly good food. The starch in these legumes can be reduced almost to a jelly. It is easy to get that starchy effect with the right cooking with the green split peas. Cook slowly and without soaking.

Recipe for Stewing Legumes.

Pick over and wash the kidney beans, Lima beans, or green split peas. Add four cups of cold water for each cup of dried legumes. Start them to cooking over a fire so small that the water will not reach the boiling point for an hour. This is really a quick soaking process, but for large beans and perhaps for small ones it is not too quick, because the skin of the bean will not be broken by it.

As soon as the water has reached the boiling point let it simmer for three hours, the utensil closely covered. Then the beans should be tender and the liquid around them like a thickened sauce—thickened with starch—but should these be cooked too rapidly the water will evaporate. Any water added toward the last as a necessary protection of the beans or peas will not have the same savory quality as that has which has been gradually thickened with some of the starch of the product cooked. Under a close cover—we repeat this for emphasis—and with a gentle fire, very little steam escapes. It remains in the utensil as a real cooking force to swell and soften the beans.

To emphasize further, let us say that beans will swell more in an hermetically covered kettle and one of the right size than in one with a loose cover. The beans or peas may be variously seasoned to either the kidney beans or Lima beans or peas. One onion per cup and one carrot cut in slices will make an excellent seasoning. This, with the addition of salt, will be enough to flavor green split peas without the slightest addition, as will show when the whole is sieved and heated up for a vegetable. But a great many people like to add butter to make them more savory and beans are universally more palatable when buttered after they are cooked or seasoned with salt or whatever else is used. It is always possible and sometimes advisable to cook a piece of salt pork or bacon with the beans.

With peas cooked English fashion, some dried mint is usually added, especially if they are to be used for a soup. Cooked kidney beans need no special heralding because they are delicious and almost universally acceptable.

Kidney Bean Salad.

Well cooked stewed kidney beans are rather handsome and generous seeming and even beautiful in color. In many cases it seems rather a pity to mash them to make them into purées, although this can be done, and when blended with mayonnaise one may get something that looks like a chocolate sauce in a salad. When served plain on a lettuce leaf with a dressing of mayonnaise well mixed with them, they are appetising and a pretty side dish for any luncheon, or for the salad course. They are even more appetising if, in addition, they are mixed about half and half with leaf lettuce cut slaw fashion.

Some people might like chopped green peppers with them, but the lettuce seems most palatable and its crispness is desirable and encourages mastication. The stems of leaf lettuce, washed and sometimes peeled and then cut out into disks, are as good as the lettuce tops with the beans and they can be used with the mayonnaise. Next to lettuce, perhaps, chopped parsley lends the most of piquancy to a mixture of beans and mayonnaise dressing.

Lima Bean Soup.

Sieving peas and beans is perhaps not so good a thing to do as to mash them when one can. By the latter method we get a smooth purée, but green split peas can be sieved by merely stirring them through a strainer, and Lima beans, cooked sufficiently soft, may be sieved in the same way.

Then, if they are thinned with celery water, with perhaps a tablespoon of cream per person, one can get a delicious soup, and its ingredients will not easily be recognized—that is, the beans will more or less lose their identity.

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MAIDEN MEDITATIONS

by Sara Moore



THAT QUESTION OF TIME.

If it were not for dour rent collectors
Father Time, himself,
Would get confused.
He finds
A message sent across the seas
In seconds.
He learns
That symphonies as played in Gotham sound
In Maine and far Alaska.
And when he meets Mamma, my dears,
Fresh from a swim,
Doing her daily ten mile sprint
To waiting beauty parlors
Or wearing out two orchestras at a night club,
Does he feel that, after all,
His Days and Months and Years
Have gotten mixed?
If it were not for the rent collectors
Father Time, himself, might
Muff his dates.

THAT NEW LEAD.

I have wasted twelve months,
Folly made me a butt.
Opportunities snubbed,
I have lived in a rut,
But tonight I reform.
Here dull lethargy halts—
I shall strive, from now on,
For at least some new faults.

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MAMIE STANDS HER GROUND.

[Mamie Hickey is invited to New Year's dinner by the rich angel who backed the Broadway show in which Mamie made a brief appearance as a chorus girl. Sam, the friendly press agent, and Mrs. Sam, a vaudeville dancer, interfere and chaperone the date to death.]

We're dining, now, on mustard,
On Weinerwurst and kraut,
For Sam and Mrs. Sammie
Have scared my prospect out.
And as I light the gas plate,
I know that, after all—
No girls with brains are "betrayed"
If they slip down—they fall.

THE HOME HARMONIOUS

Glazed Chintz Is Both Practical and Charming and Has a Wide Variety of Uses.

By Phyllis Marsh

ONE of the most attractive and modish fabrics of the season is glazed chintz in all its crisp smartness. When one considers the numerous purposes to which it may be put, its possibilities as a decorative fabric in the home seem without limit.

Glazed chintz has an interesting history, for it is an echo, so to speak, of the past. Coming from India originally, it was introduced into England in the early part of the 17th century. It met with instant favor; in fact, so much so that the British government enacted a law (later repealed) forbidding the use of any printed chintzes which were imported from India, Persia or China, fearing that its popularity would be detrimental to the woolen industry in England.

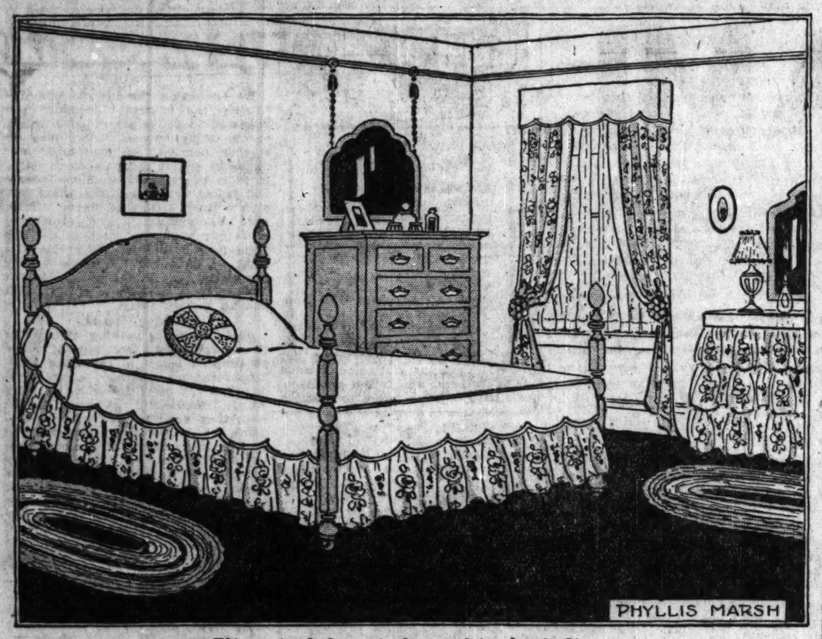
Modern science and industry are producing various kinds and qualities of glazed chintz, not the least of which is the washable variety. Though the surface of practically any glazed chintz has the excellent and redeeming feature of being impervious to dust and dirt, it is preferable to select that which is washable rather than that which is not. In washing glazed chintz, it is advisable to lay the material on an absolutely flat surface. Then take a soft cloth or sponge and dip it into a bowl of lukewarm water and wring it out almost dry. Then the next step is to apply a little neutral soap to the cloth or sponge and begin cleaning the material in the usual manner, working from the top down, taking care to remove all the soap with each application.

For the convenience of the home decorator who is interested in glazed chintz and its many uses we will discuss, how and where to apply it in the various rooms of the home.

For the small, dark apartment dinette we find a perfect panacea in glazed chintz. With its brilliant transparency of color and the reflective quality of its surface, it is an ideal drapery fabric, capable of transforming the most gloomy of rooms into brightness and cheer. For instance, in a room of Georgian colonial character, a colorful, large patterned semi-glazed chintz is most attractive when trimmed with a band of plain colored glazed chintz and hung from behind a painted wooden cornice. Painted wooden poles are equally attractive for the less formal window treatments.

It is usually unnecessary to line a glazed or semi-glazed chintz, for the filtration of light through the fabric enhances its brilliancy of color, while its particular kind of surface treatment gives it body, helping to keep perfect the folds in the drapery, thus eliminating any possible "stringiness" in appearance. Whether hanging glazed chintz from a plain brass rod or a painted wooden pole, the heading should always be pleated, never shirred.

Then, we have the smart type of little bedroom that may contain a cheerfully colored enameled suite or one of early American inspiration in its mellow tones of maple or cherry wood. Here is where glazed chintz may serve its purpose in several interesting ways. First, there are the draperies to be selected in a quaint pattern and in gay and appropriate colorings. This same pattern may cover the little unfinished kidney-shaped dressing table in a three tiered scalloped and ruffled skirt. The scallops of both the dressing table skirt and the draperies can be edged with a ready made glazed chintz corded piping in a plain and contrasting color.



This quaint bedroom is decorated in glazed chintz.

If semi-glazed chintz is being used, it is also possible to make it up into unusually attractive looking bedspreads by combining it with plain colored glazed chintz to match the trimming on the draperies and dressing table. For upholstering purposes glazed chintz is an excellent fabric and will be found to stand up admirably under hard usage. So for the "easy" bedroom chair select a different patterned glazed chintz to the draperies in either a colored or neutral background. Then, for the bedroom screen, there is no material as economical or as sanitary as washable glazed chintz.

Again, it finds a place in living rooms of quaint simplicity and in those of elegant and dignified character. A simple design, not too large in pattern and suitable in its various hues, as well as in color value, should be selected for the living room of quaint simplicity. However, a living room of the latter type may boast a larger patterned fabric of more detailed design but of colors equally as fitting to the type, size and exposure of the room. It must be borne in mind that if the room is in rather low color value, one should not make the mistake of selecting a glazed chintz of extremely high color value. The contrast will prove too great for the fabric to harmonize pleasingly with the rest of the room.

Scarcely anything more dainty and practical can be imagined for draperies in the model kitchen of today than a waterproof glazed chintz. In its many suitable patterns for this purpose and the numerous ways in which it may be made up, no kitchen window need look unattractive or colorless. If there is a little breakfast room just off the kitchen, it, too, may be adorned with glazed chintz at the windows and on the breakfast table in place of a regular cloth. Various ready made glazed chintz trimmings are to be had in plain colors and figured effects and are practically necessary in adding a touch of interest and color contrast to draperies, table covers, cushions, screens, etc.

In the bathroom, glazed chintz may hang at the sides of the window in straight style or may be draped back with loops of self-material. A still more practical window treatment is the glazed chintz roller shade, scalloped and fringed or piped at the bottom with contrastingly colored chintz and a colored glass shade pull. Dainty ruffled glass curtains in white with colored figures or dots to harmonize should be used with this type of roller shade. It is quite essential that the glazed chintz which is selected for the bathroom should be of waterproof quality.

A similar window treatment is equally as effective if used in the average rear sleeping porch, always proving practical, economical, simple and decorative.

It is also possible to carry out this same effect in a sunroom, especially if the home is of the simple bungalow type and the furniture is of wicker or reed, either enameled or in natural finish. Glazed chintz in its bright colorings lends itself admirably to the making of pillows and chair cushions for use in a sunroom or on the summer porch.

As a fabric, impervious to dust, it is ideal for making up into clothes protecting bags. They can be easily made at home and will be found superior to the usual type of cretonne bag used for the same purpose. It is also quite the fashion now to edge clothes closet shelves with plain and small patterned glazed chintzes as well as covering the inside of open cupboards with them.

Three and four paneled screens for the bedroom, the dining room and a simple type of colonial living room may be covered with both plain and figured glazed chintz in combination, covering the upper one-fourth portion of the screen with the figured chintz while the lower three-fourth portion is covered in the plain material. The same may be reversed, if desired, using the plain fabric at the top and the figured at the bottom.

Today's illustration displays the use of glazed chintz in an attractively planned bedroom of early American inspiration. A medium sized design in a glazed chintz was used for the draperies, draped dressing table, and the flounce of the bedstead, the background of which is a soft toned light green. The flounce of the bed is attached to an underslip or foundation of sateen over which is a scalloped rose-hued rayon taffeta spread, piped in a gold colored rayon.

The smart looking dressing table is of the same chintz made in three tier ruffled effect, and the draperies of the same fabric are banded with plain rose colored glazed chintz to match the spread, and valance of rayon. The walls are in a delicate tint of rose with woodwork in the ivory tone.

Activities of Women

Mrs. Frank B. Freyer, wife of a United States navy captain, has been decorated with the order of "El Sol del Peru" by the Peruvian government. She is the only American holder of the decoration.

Mrs. W. Masen of Pachena bay, near Victoria, B. C., has an eight mile trap line each winter, running from Marion lake, at the mouth of the Pachen river. Last year she trapped eighty-six fur bearing animals, most of them raccoons, minks, otter, and marten.

FRIEND IN NEED

By Sally Joy Brown.

I want to be the medium through which the friends in deed and the friends in need may be brought together. It may be you have some discarded article which has not outgrown its usefulness that will make some less fortunate one happy and you would gladly give it if you knew how to go about it. Write to me and I shall be happy to be of service to you. Please write on one side of the paper.

When information is wanted by mail, a stamped, addressed envelope should accompany the request. Please do not send article to The Tribune, but write for the address of the applicant and send direct.

THE NEW YEAR OFFERS OPPORTUNITY TO SERVE

NEW YEAR'S day with all its hopes and plans for the year to come is a time of particular happiness to this department—happiness born of what has been done, and of prospects for good deeds to come.

The close of each year brings to an end a long record of wants, troubles and hardships endured by the unfortunate of our community. But alongside this record, and the brighter in contrast with it, it is a record of helpful sympathy, of swift response to need, of human kindness as broad and as far reaching as human need, and for that kindness and this unfailing response to every request for help, this department wishes to thank all the friends in deeds who during 1927 have made its work possible.

Because of you, of what you have done and what I know you will do in the year to come, I am looking forward happily to another year of helpfulness. I know that in 1928 we shall continue to make life happier and better for thousands who have encountered it in its harsher aspects. I extend heartfelt thanks and best wishes for a happy new year.

Widow's Request.

"Last year my husband was killed. I am left with one small daughter, 13 years old. It is hard for me to earn enough to get along and this winter I have been sick in bed for three weeks and I am just able to go out to work again. I am back in my rent and my daughter needs dresses for school. I can't take care of either of these and I wonder if you could help me.

"Mrs. C. A. R."

With worries such as she is having this woman will have a difficult time regaining her health. Won't you relieve her by coming to her assistance with some of the things she and her daughter need?

Old Couple Ask for Aid.

"We are an old couple, and my husband is blind. We lost our son and because we couldn't meet the payments we had to give up the little home we were trying to buy. Now we would like to furnish two rooms and start a home again, but we can't buy the furniture. Would you ask your readers to help us with a bed, rug, chairs, stove and dresser? Mrs. K. S."

What is more pitiful than old age accompanied by poverty? This poor old couple losing the earnings of a lifetime has been left almost helpless. Most of you have an article or two of furniture not being used, I know, and here's a splendid opportunity to put them to use.

A Simple Request.

"I am writing this request for an old woman who is 75 years of age and crippled with rheumatism. She is trying to support herself by making fancy pillows and cushions but it is hard for her to get the pieces she needs. If your readers have any scraps of velvet, silk or wool, she would appreciate having them. Mrs. M. M."

Those of you who indulge in a bit of sewing now and then are sure to have bits of materials you'll not mind parting with. This old lady could make splendid use of them in the work she does.

Carrying a Heavy Burden.

"Will you kindly make an appeal for much needed furniture for a shut-in and his sister and mother? The boy has been paralyzed for 16 years and has not been out of the house for 3 years. His sister, who is 34, is not well enough to work, but is obliged to take care of her brother and 73 year old mother. They are moving and will need a three-quarter size bed, a single bed, and a comforter, blanket and heater. B. L."

These articles would add a great deal to the comfort of this family and if you have even one of them we'll be glad to hear from you.

Practical and Fancy Needlework . . . By Clotil



These Head Bands for Evening Wear Will Be a Joy to the Woman Who Is Letting Her Hair Grow

THE smart little head band shown at the right is made of small pink gardenias, and is worn by the debutante who is letting her hair grow, as so many of the smart younger set are doing. Two bunches of gardenias are used in making this band. There should be about fifteen small flowers and six or seven buds. The latter are also used placed here and there through the band. The flowers are bunched a little closer together on the right side, making it a bit more solid there and then tapering off at the left side.

Wire the flowers down the full length of the stem, with a fine uncovered wire that is used by florists. This wire comes on large spools and can be bought at any florist's supply store.

Make two loops at each end of the band of silver frame or shirring wire. Wire these loops down firmly to the flowers that are already arranged in position. Hairpins are slipped through these loops and used for fastening to the head. Wind dark green sida-floss about the uncovered wire flower stems so that the finished effect is that of solid green stems.

Have the band long enough just to fit the back of the ears, and wear it low down on the naps of the neck. Any kind of a small flower can be used in the band. Moss roses and forget-me-nots work up well together.

The other band shown is for the matron or older woman and is worn across the front of the head just over the ears. The foundation is of silver wire covered with one thickness of white maline. Small rhinestones are sewed to all the wires, and a similar design is made with the rhinestones on each side of the front.

The front wire measures 2½ inches from top to bottom; the side wires 3 inches, tapering down to 1 inch in the back. The inside of the band is finished off with a bias piece of white China silk, slip stitched all the way around. Small loops can be made on each end of this band, as in the one described, for the hairpins.

Pearls can be used in place of rhinestones, or both can be used, and the result is attractive.

Leap Year Proposals

The year 1928 spells hope for the aggressive maiden who wants to change her name. Do you know of any girl who invited a man to leap into matrimony with her? Was her proposal met with eager acceptance or graceful refusal? What was the aftermath? If you'll send us a brief account of the affair we'll be glad to pay $1 if we print it. Address Leap Year Proposals, Chicago Tribune.

Wish Came True.

While walking with my lover along a path through our orchard, I found a four leaf clover, wished and put it in my shoe. In a tone of curiosity he said, "Prithee, maid, what did you wish?"

Having kissed the Blarney stone some years ago, it did not take me long to find an answer and I said: "I wished for a new diamond ring." He was quiet and thoughtful after that, but the next day my wish was true, as a new diamond ring adorned my left hand.

A garden wedding near the spot where the four leaf clover grew was the climax of my proposal. This happened nearly thirty years ago, but we still admire the picture of Cupid and that diamond ring and the solid plain gold band have never lost their luster. M. M. B.

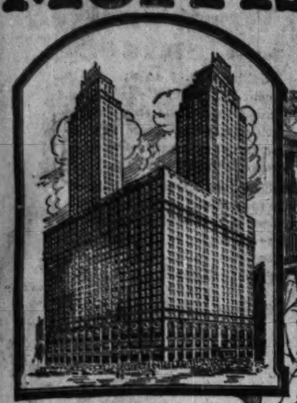
Seized the Opportunity.

My girl friend, Ellen, aged 17, thought she was going to be an old maid. She met a fellow she worked in the restaurant where she was a waitress.

She went with him only five times. He said he would like to have a girl like her for his wife, so she replied "All right, I'll be your wife."

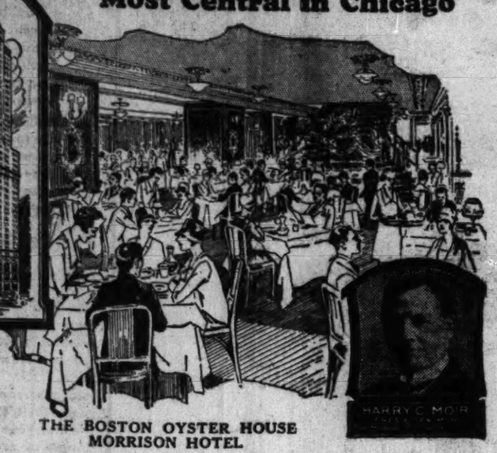
They have been married since August and are living happily together. E. S.

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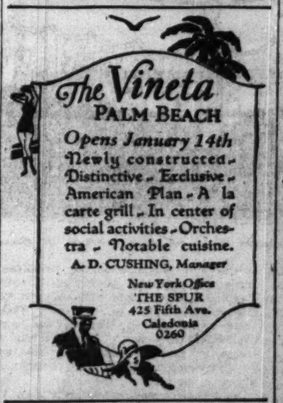
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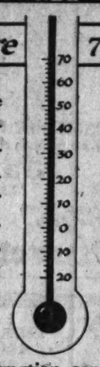
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NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTIONS OF CELEBRATED CHICAGOANS

"We Resolve"—Say a Score of Our City's Famous—and Here's What They Resolve

It Looks Like A Bigger and Better Year for Chicago

By Genevieve Forbes Herrick.

IN the "Mirror of the Months" it is written:

"Every first of January that we arrive at is an imaginary milestone on the turnpike track of human life; at once a resting place for thought and meditation, and a starting point for fresh exertion in the performance of our journey. The man who does not at least 'propose to himself' to be better this year than he was last, must be either very good or very bad indeed."

That was written, of course, in the old-fashioned days when the first of the year was considered a clearing house for the errors of the past 365 days and for the high endeavors of the next 364 days. But this custom went out of style, along with the passing of New Year's calls and the coming of the new psychology which makes of every day a starting point for new accomplishments.

BROAD AND DEEP

This new New Year, then, is much more than simply a peg on which to hang a dozen stereotyped resolutions. It is, rather, a plateau on which to pause for reflection on life and living; for a recapitulation of one's philosophy; for a new and vigorous statement of one's theories of life and living.

And that is the broad and deep way in which some of our most celebrated Chicagoans look upon this, the New Year's day of 1928.

A score or so of the city's most famous citizens, distinguished in various activities, were asked several weeks ago to let us have a glimpse of their New Year's reflections. Although it was then only mid-December, and Father Time was not yet running away at the stroke of midnight, most of these Chicagoans consented to tell us what we wanted to know. The results are of wide dimensions, and significant.

Each such New Year's reflection, as it came in, had some special merit, of wit, or philosophy, or peculiar appropriateness, which recommended it for the head of the column. Presently there was a high pile of papers, each checked for the top of the column. So the alphabet, that traditional apostle of equity among equals, was called in.

HERE'S WHAT THEY SAY

And we present these resolutions in alphabetical order.

Miss Jane Addams, internationally famous head of Hull House, says this:

"As one grows older one is more impatient with subterfuges and shams generally, and increasingly desirous that the 'last run' at least should be free from them. The world is apparently so confused that the least one can do for it is to keep one's mental integrity and to hold honestly to such poor wisdom as one has been able to garner on the way."

The public is asked to share in the resolution of Judge Mary M. Bartelme, only woman Juvenile court judge in the United States.

"My resolution for the New Year is that I shall not fail to take advantage of every opportunity to arouse public interest and a realization of responsibility on the part of the public in the kind of care, training, food and discipline given dependent, delinquent and feeble minded children committed to institutions and associations by the Juvenile court, and with particular emphasis on the deplorable lack of accommodations for such children."

And this pithy sentence, so freighted with meaning, comes from the pen of George E. Brennan, the Democratic leader:

"Resolved—Never to run for the United States senate again from Illinois. That office seems to be a total loss in this state."

FROM BUNDESEN

Dr. Herman N. Bundesen, president of the American Public Health association, resolves to make us resolve to keep well. Here's the way he puts it:

"To guard my health and the health of my fellows, that we may have the clarity of mind and the vigor of body to do our tasks and help bring cheer in the world. To seek out illness and misery in the dark places, teach the lessons of health and the virtues of kindliness and square dealing."

State's Attorney Robert E. Crowe compresses his reply into these twenty-five words:

"The only resolution I will make January first is to try to be a little bit better next year than I have been this year."

DARROW'S VIEW

And Clarence Darrow compacts his seventy years of reflections into the following paragraphs:

"When I was young I went to Sunday school and learned what was good and what was bad. I likewise learned about the will and how one could do or not do any act if only one's will was strong. As near as I can recall my crude teaching, I learned that everything I want to do was bad, and everything I didn't want to do was good. This idea was logical because it was based on the thoroughly scientific doctrine of original sin.

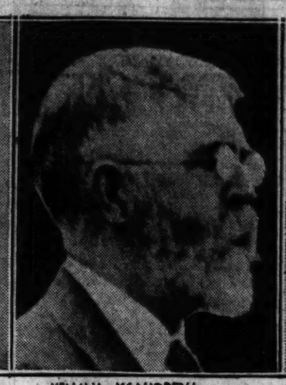
"In those days I made resolutions, as they were called, on every New Year. Some of them lasted for a day. I have known a few to last a week. Of course, I was miserable during the time, for I was restraining from doing the things I wished to do, and in their place was doing the things I did not want to do.

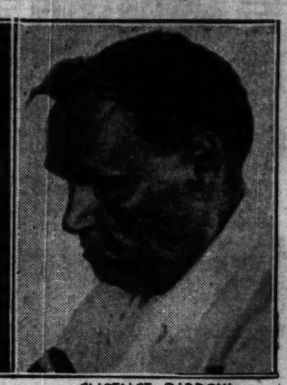
"For many years since then my will, or emotion, has been the same on New Year's as on every other day. Like all living things, I have sought more life. I have tried to find it by avoiding pain and seeking pleasure. This is my constant resolution both for Jan. 1, and all other days. I have no trouble in carrying it out."

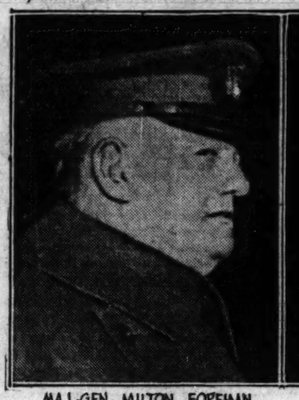

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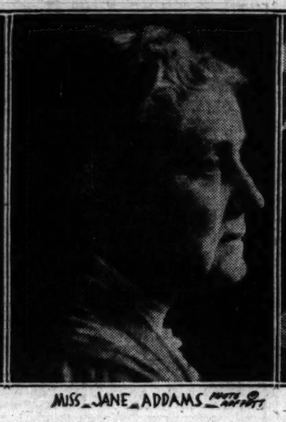

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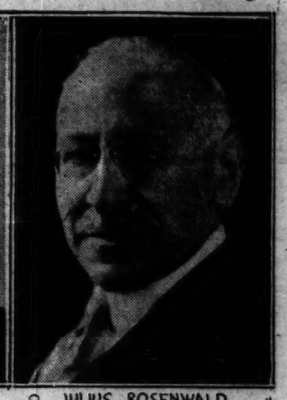

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MARY GARDEN


JULIUS ROSENWALD

MARY WOULD BREAK 'EM

Maj. Gen. Milton Foreman joins satire to philosophy in a set of resolutions which are both personal and national.

"I hereby highly and sternly resolve:

"That I will no longer try to discover why a country remains constitutionally dry which insists upon being habitually wet;

"That I will try to be tolerant and charitable and refrain from doing bodily harm to those who are so busy reforming and remaking the balance of the world that they have no time to mend their own manners and morals;

"That I will try to appreciate and be grateful for the superior physical safety we dwellers in American cities enjoy compared to our Mexican, Chinese and Abyssinian brethren;

"That I will continue to try to understand the mental processes of Americans who believe that by denuding itself of the power and means of defense the United States is helping to put an end to war and that the virtue of its cause and rectitude of its motives are all it needs for national defense and protection."

Mary Garden, born in Aberdeen, Scotland, came early to Chicago and first sang out in Rosalie hall in Kenwood. She calls herself, and is called by the city, a Chicagoan. She was very busy the day this question of a New Year's resolution was put to her.

"Surely, I'll make some resolutions. But in the mood I'm in just now, I'm positive that any I made I'd break."

CIVIC RESOLUTIONS

Edward J. Kelly, president of the south park board, has a three ply project before him.

"First, I am resolved to maintain the standards of the park service, expanding it with equal regard to central and outlying parts of our district.

"Then, there is the great museum project, Mr. Rosenwald's gift, to be housed in the restored Fine Arts building. I am determined to push the reconstruction work at once, to make available as soon as possible the inspiration of these exhibits for our workers, and for the youth of the city.

"Finally, to place Chicago first among cities, in freedom of transit, I want to see the chain of bridges finished, the new highways opened, the link of the north side under construction, and an opportunity extended our citizens to express their wishes respecting the next steps in the lake shore reclamation project, the proposed airport development, and the extension to the southward of the system of lake shore parkways to the city's southern edge."

Says James Hamilton Lewis:

"The New Year should signal the new resolution of our people to be new citizens, with new purposes of private honor and public integrity in this new era that is now being threatened with conflict and corruption. This can only be arrested by those who will resolve upon a new life—justice to his neighbor, honor to his citizenship, and patriotism to his country."

Life is an everlasting New Year's day to President Max Mason of the University of Chicago.

"I don't remember ever making a New Year's resolution—at least 'as such'—as the philosophers say. Since almost the whole of life consists in making resolutions and trying to carry them out, I do not quite see the need of concentrating on one day."

Brief, significant, alliterative are these four lines from William McAndrew:

"More hoping than hating;
More helping than hindering;
More compliment than complaint;
More work than words."

A WORTHY AMBITION

Exceedingly forthright is the pair of resolutions which Mrs. Ruth Hanna McCormick offers:

1. "Resolved—That I will be nominated for congressman-at-large on the Republican ticket in the April primary and elected in November.

2. "Resolved—That I will give up time to teach men politicians how to get the woman vote."

Mrs. Rockefeller McCormick, like President Mason, believes in making of every day a new day. Mrs. McCormick's philosophy is this:

"I do not make new resolutions for the new year for the reason that I take account of myself every day. If a tree grows on a bend for a whole year, it is much harder to correct this direction at the end of the year than it would be to perceive the tendency of the tree at the end of a day and to straighten it at once.

"If we let a whole year go by without taking note of our direction, things may have happened which it is too late to correct, and this leaves regret. Make each day your New Year and then when the sun's New Year comes around you will not find any bent trees or any broken boughs which which I know will please the banks."

Julius Rosenwald, in the following cause pain and sorrow and which are so much harder to correct."

MABEL'S DILEMMA

Mrs. Mabel Reinecke, United States collector of internal revenue, is in something of a dilemma as she, as a person, considers what would happen to her, as an official, if she made some of the resolutions which she does not make. Read what she has to say:

"Of course I don't smoke, but if I did and resolved to stop, the cigaret manufacturers might stop buying cigaret stamps.

"Of course I don't use alcohol, but if my resolution took that direction, the bootleggers might refuse to confess in their income tax returns.

"I might resolve that the next time my hostess serves more than three courses to arise and squeal like a pig, and then again the butcher and the baker and the grocer might take it out on Uncle Sam.

"We need Henry Ford's and John D's money, so certainly I can't resolve in that direction.

"Really, I guess the only thing left for me is to resolve to save my money which I know will please the banks."

fragment, reveals a clear cut theory of his philosophy:

"If I made a New Year's resolution it would be—To live my life and conduct my affairs that my every obligation as a citizen of the most blessed nation on earth be fulfilled to the best of my ability that I may deserve the respect of my fellow-men."

FOR A BETTER CHICAGO

President Walter Dill Scott of Northwestern university makes resolutions which affect the city of Chicago.

"To increase the size of the McKinlock campus.

"To do something towards making Chicago the center of higher learning in America.

"To cooperate in making Chicago a city of which we are justly proud."

Silas H. Strawn, president of the American Bar association, says:

"To strive to do one's best every day and in everything one undertakes; to live simply and temperately; to cultivate a capacity to amuse and to entertain one's self by adding a little to one's knowledge each day, and to respect and obey the constitution and laws of the land, is about the best New Year's resolution one can make."

From Lorado Taft, the widely known sculptor, comes this adroit combination of whimsy and serious reflection:

"To give up lecturing and try to be a sculptor.

"To be at my studio at 8 o'clock every morning when I am in town.

"To stay in town.

"Not to spend more than half my time answering letters about infant prodigies.

"To do all in my power to equip our high school art galleries.

"To think all of the time about the great Museum of Architecture and Sculpture which Chicago needs so much, and to talk about it to all who will listen.

"To swear off from lecturing."

BY BILL THE BOOSTER

Mayor William Hale Thompson epitomizes his zeal for the welfare of Chicago in the following poem:

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Boost the people round about you;
They can get along without you,
But success will quicker find them
If they know that you're behind them.

Boost for every forward movement,
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Boost the stronger and the neighbor.
Cease to be a chronic knocker,
Cease to be a progress blocker;
If you'd make your city better,
Boost it to the final letter.

Sincerely yours,
WILLIAM HALE THOMPSON,
Mayor.

BABIES ARE LIKE AUTOS, IT'S THE UPKEEP THAT COUNTS

Nancy Is Only Ten Weeks Old and Papa Talks of the Money She's Cost

But Ignorance Is Bliss, Just Wait Till She Grows Up

By William C. Shinnick.

A BABY, in the economic aspect, is a good deal like an automobile—while the first cost is important, it's really the upkeep that counts. I think I can prove it; I am speaking as the father of a daughter who has reached the ripe age of ten weeks.

With the help of her mother I have compiled figures showing that to date the total cost, including maintenance, of little Nancy has been $769.50. And most of it has been maintenance.

Here's a table showing where the money went:

Physicians' services	$210.00
Hospital bill	168.00
Clothing	135.50
Bed and bedding	90.00
Baby carriage and extras	76.50
Bath equipment	32.50
Traveling basket	10.00
Medicines, soap, powders, etc.	35.50
Extra help for mother	70.00
Total	$769.50

There it is. The first cost, the physicians and the hospital, set the bank account back only $318. The upkeep so far has been $451.50. The upkeep, I may add, is still keeping up.

SLIDING SCALES

It is not to be assumed that this is an average cost. It isn't necessary to spend nearly $800 to bring a baby to the age of ten weeks. Nor does that approach the amount that thousands of Chicago babies individually have expended on them as they get their start. It's largely a matter of personal preference and the ability of the parents' bank accounts to stand the strain of caring.

There is, for instance, a great variation in the amount of the physician's fee. He may charge $75, or $500, or anywhere in between. There are fashionable doctors whose bills will go—they tell it without blushing—to $1,000 under certain circumstances.

Hospitals, too, have sliding scales to fit slim and fat pocketbooks. Generally speaking, their charges are reasonable for the service given. Private rooms cost from $7 a day up to whatever the traffic will bear, and there are extras that in the case of a single baby who sticks around for two weeks will easily tear a $50 bill into small shreds.



NURSES ARE EXTRA

And if nurses are specially engaged for the event, that will mount up to a respectable total in a short time. Seven dollars a day for one nurse and $2 a day for her board makes $63 a week. If there are day and night nurses that's twice as much. So it wouldn't be difficult for a wealthy parent to get rid of $1,500 in the first cost—represented by our $318.

On the other hand, there is available machinery in Chicago, for parents who haven't any money at all, to avoid any part of this expenditure. Dr. Charles D. Parker of the county hospital staff tells me that taxicabs and flivvers arrive at the institution daily with women whose children are born within a few hours and cared for by the public funds. There are even free dispensaries in various parts of the city where mothers get pre-natal care, examinations and advice. If the parents are so inclined, a baby may be brought into the world for practically nothing.

All this is explained to show that my own figures are not averages and probably won't fit any other individual case. With that we'll get back to the personal relationship of little Nancy with her father's billfold.

PRE-NATAL CARE

The first physician we went to, some months before the birth of the youngster, had handsomely appointed offices near the loop. He wouldn't even talk about money.

"You'll have to see the girl at her desk about those details," he said.

The girl at the desk said the doctor's fee was $500 if there was no trouble. It happened that Nancy's mother didn't like him at any price. She never went back to him, but I received and paid a bill of $15 for finding out what his charges were.

Another physician, a pleasant and competent gentleman with offices in Evanston, charged me $40 for pre-natal care extending over several months, including two home visits. Fair enough. Then Nancy's mother decided she would rather go to her old home town in the south for the scheduled event. A third physician, likewise a courteous and efficient specialist, charged me a total of $155.

That couldn't be considered exorbitant, nor the hospital bill of $168. The latter item, I am informed, would have been about 50 per cent higher in a big city hospital for similar accomodations. No nurse was specially engaged, as the third physician advised against it.

WHITE SQUARES!

The baby's wardrobe is far from elaborate. There isn't much in it that could be dispensed with, and the single items don't seem to look impressive. It would be very easy to double or triple the total cost here.

To begin with, there are six dozen of those white squares that all babies use—and how. The cost was $13.50. Here's the remainder of the list:

6 pair stockings	$5.10	4 gertrudes [petticoats]	6.00
4 binders	3.40	6 flannel petticoats	18.00
4 shirts	4.00	9 dresses [inexpensive]	25.00
		4 nightgowns	4.00
		2 kimonos	7.00
		2 sweaters	6.00
		2 wrapping blankets	6.00
		6 wrapping squares	3.00
		1 baby bunting	6.50
		6 pair booties	7.00
		2 caps [plain and fancy]	5.00
		1 bathrobe	4.50
		1 pair kid shoes	2.00
		2 pair mittens	2.00



RELATIVES KICK IN

The baby's sleeping equipment is relatively of finer quality than her clothing. This is explained by the fact that practically all of it was given her by her maternal grandfather and a couple of close friends of the family. The list:

1 bed	$20.00
1 mattress	3.00
1 rubber sheet	3.00
1 asbestos sheet	2.00
8 linen sheets	15.00
1 counterpane	2.00
1 blanket	3.00
4 pillow cases	2.00
1 comforter	3.00
2 pillows	3.00
1 quilt [hand made]	10.00

As for the baby carriage, that was a gift from her grandmother on the other side of the house. It is a nice one and cost $65. One that would have been acceptable could have been had for half that. The robe, also a gift, represents $8 and the pad and pillows $3.50 more.

Giving the baby a bath doesn't look like it would be an expensive procedure. But her towels cost $6, her washcloths 50 cents, her tub $4 and her bath table, $10. Besides that, the scales were $12, and not of an expensive type.

The traveling basket was used when the infant was brought home when she was seven weeks old. It is hardly necessary to detail the accounts from drug stores or the hiring of domestic help.



JUST YOU WAIT

This $769.50, or to be more exact, that part of it that came out of our own income, is something of a deal.

But some co-workers with older children tell me with a superior air that I should wait until the baby is a little older before I feel that I am hurt.

One gentleman who has five youngsters in school informs me that he purchases thirty pairs of shoes a year for them. All I can say about that is "Gosh!" Another relates that each child eats more than a parent.

There was once a father who, it was currently reported, had the only known system to keep down his grocery bills. In the evening he would offer his children two-bits apiece not to eat any supper. They would accept. During the night he would steal the quarters and in the morning refuse to give them any breakfast as a punishment for losing their money. I hope I'll never have to adopt that system. Probably the story wasn't true, anyhow.

$3.65 AN OUNCE

So far the cost of Nancy's food has not been appreciable. Other parents tell me that their bottle fed youngsters require special protein compounds that cost around $1 a day. There's that much to be thankful for.

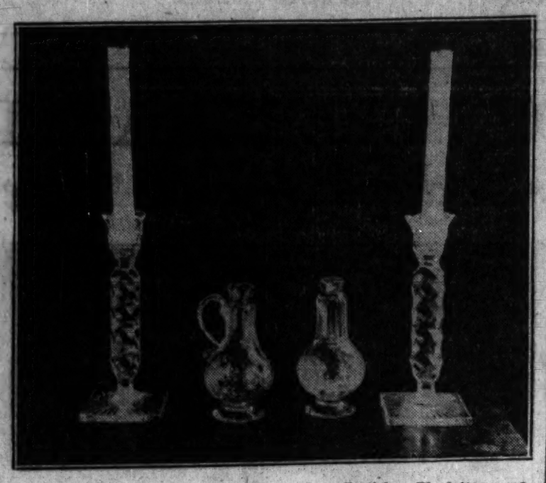
But the baby at ten weeks has reached a weight of thirteen and a half pounds. She has outgrown quite a few of her clothes and I heard today that I'll have to buy some of a new size. That's just another ouch in this adventure in parenthood.

At the weight and the cost it appears that little Nancy represents so far $3.56 an ounce. It looks high. But if you know of anything else that will sell at the same price and be half as satisfactory here's my bid for the Illinois agency.

THE OLD AND THE NEW FOR 1928



Modernistic and charming, this group of pottery. It is oyster white and is filled with amusing glass balls in celestial blue. It would be beautiful on a mantel shelf or a dining table of dark wood.



Two Waterford cruets and a pair of crystal candlesticks. The latter came from England, and might have been made in the eighteenth century, but were created in the twentieth, after an old pattern. Crystal is the last word.



A lovely jewel box for that costume jewelry Madame received for Christmas. The compartments are made with extreme ingenuity; red damask is used for padding.



Beautiful old Sheffield is more and more valuable every day. Here are two pieces of which any hostess would be proud, and which would be a good investment financially, as well as pictorially, for that Christmas money of Uncle Bob's.

RECOVERING THE $500,000 GEM LOOT

Scotland Yard Enacts a Highly Melodramatic Little Comedy

Waiters Suddenly Turn Detectives in Parisian Cafe

(When a half million dollars' worth of jewels was stolen from the Marquess of Anglesea the detectives arrested Gault, his valet. Confessing, he told how a woman had led him into it and then had left him while she disposed of the loot. Concluded from last Sunday.)

By George Dilnot.

HER calculations proved right. For days the young man waited, uncertain whether she had proved false or whether her attempt to dispose of the gems had miscarried and she had fallen into the hands of the police. At last he had made his desperate and futile attempt to escape.

Drew satisfied himself that Gault's story was true, and it did not take him long to make a guess at the identity of the woman and her companion. Gault, poor dupe, was sent to five years' penal servitude—almost as long a price for $40 as Goudie the forger paid for the box of cigars which was his share of the $500,000 embezzled from the Bank of Liverpool.

Now began the most difficult and prolonged part of the investigation. The sentence on Gault was poor satisfaction to the marquess, who wanted his jewels back. Drew was no less anxious to lay his hands on the real thieves. He knew who they were, but they had dropped out of sight.

A LADY AND HER LOVER

The months passed. Inquiries were pursued tenaciously in every quarter of the world. Drew located the lady in the case and her lover in the wilds of Brazil, but he was satisfied they had disposed of their booty before they had fled to that part of the world. More than that, he was confident he could put his finger on the receivers in Paris.

Now, at that time—the law has been altered since—it was not a crime for any one abroad to have goods stolen from persons in Great Britain in his possession, unless it could be proved that he had been concerned in the actual theft. This fact, it will be appreciated, was of great value to all sorts of gentry engaged in nefarious occupations. It really meant that receivers had a free market in Europe.

So when Drew found that the Anglesea jewels were in the hands of certain men in Paris the information looked more irritating than helpful. No one knew better that the Scotland Yard man that it would be practically a matter of impossibility to show they had had any concern with the theft.

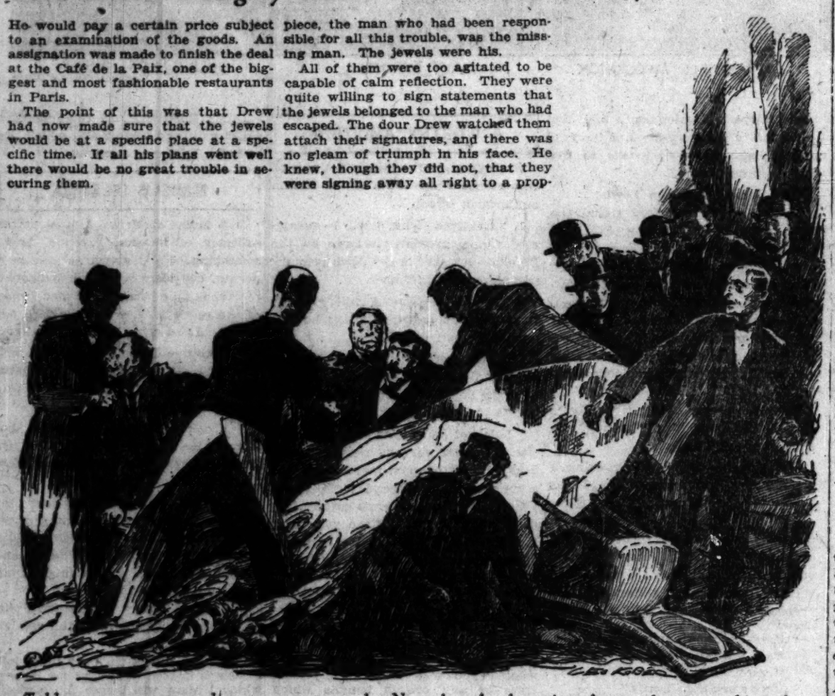
But Tricky Drew had not achieved his nickname without reason. He slipped over to Paris and had a talk with some of the men of the Service de Surete. He had a skeleton of a scheme in his mind, and the quick-witted French officers laughed as they elaborated details of the bluff.

WHEN THIEVES FALL OUT

There were four men known to be mixed up in the affair of the stolen gems. The detectives considered the temperament of each of these carefully, finally selecting one as most suitable for the purpose they had in mind. This man they got hold of quietly. The French police had their own methods of persuasion, and the individual in their clutches felt it would be wise to see reason. He was given precise instructions and promised a considerable reward if he carried them out faithfully. Also he was assured that his own part in certain matters would not be too closely scrutinized if they approved of his behavior.

Meanwhile Drew had engaged another emissary to play a different part. This gentleman, plentifully supplied with money, got into touch with the suspected four as a dealer in precious stones who was not averse from a deal under the rose. He established confidence by paying generous prices for a few stones, and an arrangement was come to in regard to the remainder. He would pay a certain price subject to an examination of the goods. An assignation was made to finish the deal at the Café de la Paix, one of the biggest and most fashionable restaurants in Paris.

The point of this was that Drew had now made sure that the jewels would be at a specific place at a specific time. If all his plans went well there would be no great trouble in securing them.



Tables were overturned! women screamed. None but the detectives knew what was taking place.

WELL OILED

The scene was staged with all the elaboration of a theatrical drama. The five sat down to dinner, all unaware that the adroit waiter at the table was a French detective, and the discussion on the bargain was oiled by the most expensive wines.

A little distance away a jovial party of which the center was a tall, scrupulously dressed Englishman, with a flower in his buttonhole, was engaged on a more modest meal.

The dinner of the first party came to its conclusion. The deft waiter handed round coffee and cigars, and one of the diners thrust a hand into his breast pocket and half drew a roll of notes.

"One moment," interrupted the man on his left. "You can go, waiter. We shall want nothing else."

The waiter bowed obsequiously. "Bien, m'sieu." He moved nonchalantly a few paces away and stood for a while collecting some empty plates.

A NICE LITTLE PARTY

Another man stretched a packet across the table toward the man with the notes. The plates crashed to the ground. The waiter, the tall Englishman, and half a dozen other men sprang to surround the receivers. Tables were overturned, women screamed, men stood on chairs. Some one yelled for the police. None but the detectives quite knew what was taking place.

Rarely does a British detective make an arrest in this melodramatic fashion. But there was method in Drew's madness. Notes and jewels were promptly seized and three of the conspirators arrested and carried off to the police station. The fourth man made an entirely plausible escape during the confusion. None of the other three dreamed they were being made the victims of a well carried through comedy.

MORE DUPES

At the police station the bewildered prisoners did exactly what the astute Drew had expected. They strenuously protested that the jewels did not belong to them. With unanimity and volubility they upheld each other. They were all perfectly honest and misunderstood men. If there had been any violation of the law they were dupes. They had been drawn into the affair quite innocently. The villain of the piece, the man who had been responsible for all this trouble, was the missing man. The jewels were his.

All of them were too agitated to be capable of calm reflection. They were quite willing to sign statements that the jewels belonged to the man who had escaped. The dour Drew watched them attach their signatures, and there was no gleam of triumph in his face. He knew, though they did not, that they were signing away all right to a property which they could have legally defied him to take from them. For the fourth man already had signed away any right he might have had. That was why he had been allowed to escape with every circumstance of verisimilitude.

MERRY DETECTIVES

That there was something wrong must have dawned on them when the smiling French police told them they were free. There was no charge against them that could be sustained. It was at this time that Inspector Drew first permitted himself the luxury of a smile.

A little reflection and a few inquiries soon made them aware of the reason for their merriment. Their faces must have been worth watching when they at last fully understood how they had been outwitted by the calm detective with the air of a duke. They were stung to an attempt to fight. With consummate impudence they began an action in the French courts for the return of the gems.

That was a great mistake, for the cautious Drew still had something up his sleeve. All these men some years before had been expelled from France with loss of civil rights. That meant that they had no standing before a court. So they lost their case, and all that their audacity achieved was an order that they should again be sent out of the country.

AMATEUR TURNS PRO

The marquess, glad enough to get his gems back, was not disposed to go to the trouble and expense that would be involved in bringing the woman and her lover back from Brazil. So they went free, for the time at least, and Drew was spared a tedious trip. Their further career has no connection with this story.

The hapless Gault served his sentence and on his release returned to France. He was an amateur in crime, but nothing else offered itself as a means of making a livelihood. At his first robbery he was captured and sentenced to a long term of imprisonment. On becoming free once more he was disturbed while going through the flat of a titled woman. Reckless of all but escape, he killed her with a dagger. He was run down and expiated his crime on the guillotine.

If in these days you should see a tall, erect, well groomed man with silver hair and mustache strolling on the front at Brighton, take some note of the jeweled pin he wears in his necktie. That jewel was stolen from the marquess of Anglesea and when returned was presented by him to Chief Detective Inspector Drew.

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[Another of these gripping true stories will appear in an early issue.]

Lady Ghost Plays Role at Auction Sale

KETTERING, England.—(AP)—A "lady" ghost of ancient times figured prominently in an auction sale of land at Kettering.

The shade coming under the hammer was that of "the White Lady of the Falls of Harrington" when part of the Harrington estate was sold.

The White Lady whose name was associated with the auction sale was a member of the family of Sir John Stanhope, who was created Lord Stanhope by James I., and her name has clung to the property all these years—in fact, has become a very part of the district itself.

The story is that the White Lady, a spirited, hot tempered individual, in a rage killed one of the estate gardeners with a spade because he did not plant certain flowers to her liking.

The ghost of the victim never appeared, old timers say, but instead the ghost of the White Lady herself has haunted the scene for centuries and brought ill luck to all who looked upon her.

City Employes Spend Time Riding on Trucks

PARIS.—(AP)—Several city employés of Paris spend their time riding back and forth across the city on truck loads of food or other dutiable goods.

They are officials of the city "octroi" or customs house taking trucks "in bond" from one city gate to another. This enables trucks of dutiable goods to take a short cut through Paris on main highways instead of circling the town and losing much time.

About 8,000 such escorted trucks each year pay eight francs for this service, so that it provides an easy life for a few tired octroi men and some revenue for the city.

HOLLERAN YELL'S YULETIDE TRAGEDY

He Strongly Advocates Useless Presents, and Tells Why

Vicious System of Practical Gifts Is Deplored

By Westbrook Pegler.

I MUST state that this Yuletide season has been a very unpleasant one for me and my helpmeet and I attribute all the unhappiness in our little love nest to the vicious custom of giving practical Yuletide presents.

Ever since the Yule when she purchased a snowshovel for me and snow fell on Christmas day I have been opposed to the principle of giving practical gifts, but unless you are very firm about such principles you are likely to forget about it when the Christmas Yule season comes along. So the first thing you know you may discover that you have bought your loving life pal some little gewgaw to help with the washing and she is likely to bob up giving something to beat the rugs with.

Well, as I state, I have been very unhappy this Christmas season and when I realize that all this unhappiness could have been obliviated by a little common sense in purchasing our love tokens I cannot help having very strong feelings on the subject of giving practical gifts even in the privacy of the home.

PROBLEMS PREOCCUPY ME

I suppose I was partly to blame, as a man in the pugilistic profession has to spend a great deal of their time thinking up schemes so that your professional rivals will not take advantage of you and I was very busy indeed just before Christmas thinking up some scheme to get hold of a good heavyweight galloper to represent my escutcheon in the squared circle, because I had the misfortune to lose my great galloper, Rollo Rollova, only a few weeks ago.

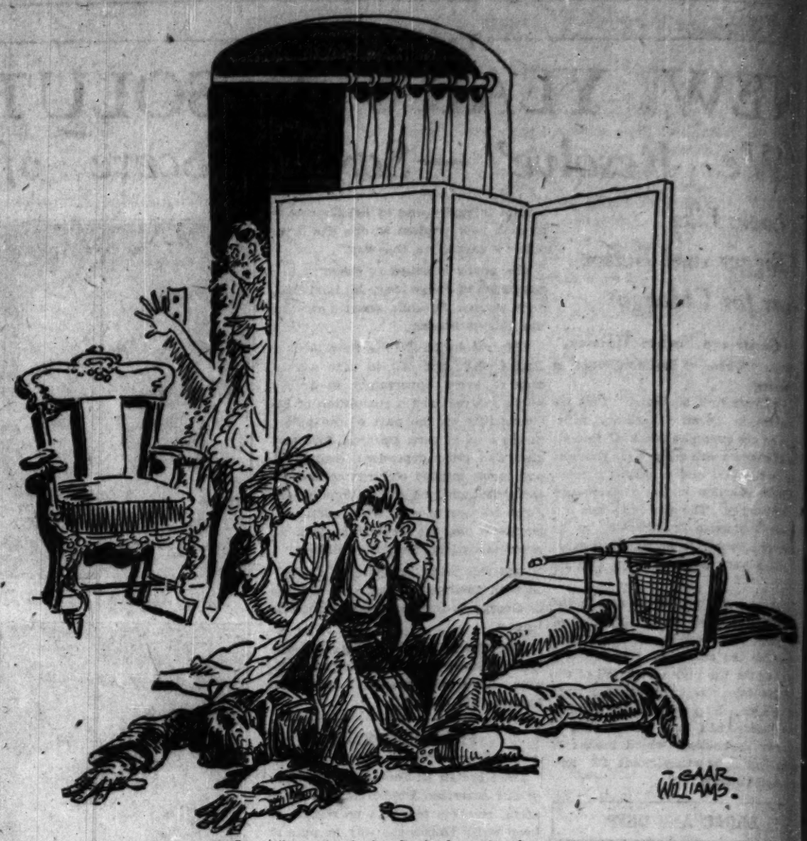
It seems that a professional rival by the name of Rob Theeve had a genuine imported European Spanish galloper by the name of Hilario Squattag, but it seems that a lady by the name of Mrs. Hicks showed up a short time ago and stated that she was Hilario Squattag's loving mate. She asserted that Hilario Squattag's real name was Herbert Hicks of Sandusky, O., instead of being Hilario Squattag of Spain, Europe.

"This big bum is my spouse," the lady asserted, "and moreover he owes me the sum of $250 for alimony," and the upshot of it was that she had an officer of the law arrest the professional galloper and house him up in the bastille for not paying the alimony.

DISHONESTY ROBBED

This left Mr. Theeve without any bum to support him, and of course I immediately tried to get up some scheme to obtain this bum for myself. But while I was trying to think up a scheme, Mr. Theeve unscrupulously lured Rollo Rollova away from my escutcheon by dishonest flattery and when Christmas came on I was unable to make any resources as I did not have any bum to uphold my fighting traditions in the resined square.

Naturally I did not do much thinking about what kind of a Yule gift to get my life pal until the night before Christmas and then I forgot all about my principle against useful gifts and I only thought that I would have to get her something or stand before society as the kind of a no good cur that does not get their wife any Yule present at all.



Just then the light flashed on in the room.

I FORGET MY PRINCIPLE

So as I was going home on Christmas eve, feeling full of the merry festive spirit, it suddenly occurred to me that I was very fond of waffles and I said to myself: "Well, why not get your helpmeet a waffle iron as this would be a great surprise to her and it would certainly be a wonderful help in her work?"

Therefore, I stopped at a prominent hardware establishment and purchased a very elaborate waffle iron to gladden her heart on Christmas morning and then I started home again, only stopping here and there to extend Yule greetings to friends of mine on the way.

I may have taken a little more time than I expected to, because it was after midnight when I arrived at our love nest and removed my shoes so I could steal into the flat softly and lay the waffle iron on the table as if I was Santa Claus.

FOUND: AN INTRUDER

Well, my dear sir, as I stepped into the parlor I stumbled over a man lying prostrate on the floor, so I exclaimed, "Ah ha! a burglar in the privacy of my love bower on Christmas evening," and made a grab for the intruder, clutching him by his neck with the grip of a vice ring. As I did so the intruder let out a yelp that sounded like he was trying to say, "Leave me explain," but I am a dangerous man when aroused and, instead of letting him explain, I hauled off with my helpmeet's waffle iron and tagged him over the head with it in a very vigorous manner.

Just then the light flashed on in the room and my helpmeet came in wearing a kimono and blinking her eyes. "For land's sakes," she stated, "what is the matter with you two boys fighting in the privacy of the home on Yule evening?" And when she saw the intruder in a state of unconsciousness, she started to cry.

I stated, "Don't cry, baby, as I am not hurt and I think I have deceased this intruder permanently."

But she only cried the harder and grabbed the intruder's head in her arms, saying, "O, to think of all my sacrifice, saving $250 and have you do this to him."

THERE IS CONFUSION

This made me feel indignant, as I did not think she should be so anxious about any intruder, but just then the intruder rolled, his head my way and came to life and I discovered that it was Hilario Squattag.

"Leave me get out of here," he stated, "as I think this is a frame to kill me," and with that he grabbed his hat and ran down the stairs in great haste. Then my helpmeet sat down and explained how she had been saving resources for almost a year to purchase a Yule watch for me, but when I lost Rollo Rollova she figured that I had my heart set on getting Hilario Squattag, so she went around to the courthouse and paid off his back alimony to get him out of jail and had sent me with a good, big, reliable bum for a Christmas surprise.

Of course, there was no use crying over spilled beans, so I grabbed her in my arms and gave her a big Yule kiss.

"Well, Baby," I asserted, "it is too bad this accident happened, but I guess that poor bum will not be able to mix lop in the roped arena for several months after the way I tagged him on the head with this little Yule gift that I got for you."

So I handed her the present and when she opened it, my dear sir, you may believe me or not, but I had hit Hilario Squattag so hard over the head that I not only had ruined her present to me but I had also fractured the waffle iron in three places, so neither one of us had any present from each other this Christmas, all because of this vicious custom of giving useless presents to each other.

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Shoppers' Service Tales

Attention, shoppers! Have you ever received such exceptional service in a store that you then and there decided to become a steady customer? Have you any recollections of a kindly floorwalker? Or a diplomatic clerk? Write us a brief note telling what kindly deed won your patronage. The Tribune will pay $1 for every story published. Address Shoppers' Service Contest, Chicago Tribune.

Unusually Kind.

Last summer, in an endeavor to purchase a book of golf rules, I visited the book department of every store in the loop. None of them had exactly what I wanted, but a clerk in one of the stores suggested that I go to a men's furnishing store, where they were giving away the very book I wanted.

Upon entering the store, I explained to the floorman that I had not come to purchase, but told him about the book of rules. He did not show me the place where I could procure this book, but escorted me there, selected two books for me, took a number of small packages I carried, and had them wrapped for me. I was amazed at such courtesy and frankly told him so, and his answer was that I should feel at liberty to call at the store for any service they could render and it would be cheerfully given.

Although I have no men in the family for whom I could make purchases at their store, I have been instrumental in turning a considerable amount of business to them.

Incidentally, I never return to a store where the clerk is indifferent to what I ask for, or treats me as though she were conferring a favor by waiting on me. E. S.

More Than Fair.

I buy all my hats in the same store, and this is the reason: The first hat I bought there was an inexpensive milan. The first time I wore it I was caught in a terrific rainstorm, which completely ruined the straw before I could reach shelter.

I realized, of course, that I could not possibly blame the store for the condition of the hat, but, feeling that they could give me the most expert advice on what to do to renovate it, I told my story to the buyer, and asked him what to do.

To my surprise and delight, although I emphasized that I did not hold him responsible, he insisted on sending the hat back to the manufacturer, and, when it was found that nothing could be done to it, he allowed me almost the full price on another hat, giving me the pick of the store, and sending me home not only well satisfied with a new hat, but determined that such an admirable policy should have my permanent support, and that of my friends as well. L. R. S.

Courtesy Appreciated.

One day while window gazing I saw a gown I immediately fell in love with. I went to the dress department, but was told it was a sample and that it was contrary to the rules to remove anything from the windows during the day.

The floorman was called and when I explained that I was leaving town for a visit and wanted the gown very much he telephoned the store's superintendent, who said it was a matter for the window trimming department.

After much more telephoning the proper person was reached. He was reluctant but finally, after much urging by the floorman, consented to replace the wanted gown with another.

Luckily the gown was a good fit and I was enabled to go happily on my way because of the patience and courtesy of the floorman. E. W. K.

Third of German Jews Live in Berlin

BERLIN.—(AP)—That almost one-third of the Jews in Germany live in the capital, Berlin, is one of the interesting facts revealed in the statistical year book for 1927, recently published.

It appears that the total number of Jews in Germany is 564,000. Of these, 172,000 are citizens of Berlin.

Another interesting figure contained in the annual is that of the number of avowed believers in the Greek orthodox faith in Germany. There are 19,000 of them.

Airplane Forms Part of Baggage of Lady Heath

SOUTHAMPTON, England.—(AP)—An airplane with turquoise colored wings and body forms part of the baggage of Lady Heath, formerly Mrs. Sophie Lynn, when she sailed for a holiday in South Africa. She is Britain's pioneer flyer.

Before her marriage some months ago Lady Heath did stunt flying in this country as well as on the continent.

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Caricatures of the poets whose work appears below are included in this strip. Can you identify them? If you can't, turn to answers in another column on this page. No prizes offered; just a chance to try your memory.

Try These POETIC POSERS

By Norman Lustig and William J. Fadiman.

Now is the time to brush up a little on the old poems you knew so well. See if you can guess the authors of these excerpts and the titles of the poems from which they are taken.

Give yourself five for each author named correctly and another five for the name of the poem. Sixty per cent is a passing mark and anything above that flatters your memory. Try your wits on them, and don't give up too easily.

Here are a few suggestions that might be of some aid. A Scotchman who always wrote in native dialect is the author of the third, and the Englishman who wrote "The Daffodils" also penned the second excerpt. Though not from the same poem, the words, "Why don't you speak for yourself, John?" may recall the author of the eighth. The fifth author lives in England and has written "Kim," among his other works. The initials of the ninth author are W. C. A churchyard was the scene of the first, and the fourth was originally written by the author for his own children's amusement. "In Memoriam" is another work by the author of the seventh. Originally written as a poem, the tenth is even more famous as a song. No. 6 was the work of a playwright, killed in 1593, who also wrote "Tamburline."

After you have finished, turn to the answers in another column on this page.

NO. 1.

The boast of heraldry, the pomp of power,
And all that beauty, all that wealth e'er gave,
Await alike th' inevitable hour.
The paths of glory lead but to the grave——

Poem .....

Author .....



NO. 2.

In vain, through every changeful year,
Did Nature lead him as before;
A primrose by a river's brim
A yellow primrose was to him,
And it was nothing more——

Poem .....

Author .....



NO. 3.

Should auld acquaintance be forgot,
And never brought to min'?
Should auld acquaintance be forgot,
And days o' auld lang syne?

Poem .....

Author .....

NO. 4.

'Twas the night before Christmas, when all through the house
Not a creature was stirring, not even a mouse;
The stockings were hung by the chimney with care,
In hopes that St. Nicholas soon would be there——

Poem .....

Author .....

NO. 5.

If you can keep your head when all about you
Are losing theirs and blaming it on you;
If you can trust yourself when all men doubt you,
But make allowance for their doubting, too——

Poem .....

Author .....

NO. 6.

Was this the face that launched a thousand ships,
And burnt the topless towers of Ilium!
Sweet Helen, make me immortal with a kiss.
Her lips suck forth my soul! See where it flies;
Come, Helen, come, give me my soul again.

Poem .....

Author .....

NO. 7.

Break, break, break,
On thy cold gray stones, O sea!
And I would that my tongue could utter
The thoughts that arise in me——

Poem .....

Author .....



NO. 8.

Between the dark and the daylight,
When the night is beginning to lower,
Comes a pause in the day's occupations
That is known as the Children's Hour——

Poem .....

Author .....



NO. 9.

I am monarch of all I survey;
My right there is none to dispute;
From the center all 'round to the sea
I am lord of the fowl and the brute——

Poem .....

Author .....



NO. 10.

Drink to me only with thine eyes,
And I will pledge with mine;
Or leave a kiss but in the cup
And I'll not look for wine——

Poem .....

Author .....

AL DISCOURSES ON BILL SHAKESPEARE

Thinks Othello Was the Funniest Thing He Wrote

By Snowshoe Al.



BILL SHAKESPEARE, the demon fountain pen demonstrator of a couple centuries ago, certainly crashed out some high class comedy, but [at least in my estimation] the funniest thing he ever wrote was a drama entitled:

OTHELLO & DESDEMONA.

Brabantio was the richest politician what ever disregarded traffic signals on the canals of Venice. Venice was a town where streets were built to accommodate eels instead of voters. This Brabantio person had more titles and jobs than the prince of Wales and Mussolini combined. Besides being a senator he was also custodian of the graft, president of the Bomb Throwers' union, high hat of the Rotary club, low heel of the Kiwanis club, stiff neck of the local den of Lions, and the et cetera. He was in poor health, and could usually be found lying in a corner swallowing pink pills for punk men.

A SWELL MAMMA

This egg had a daughter named Desdemona, who was one ritzy looking mamma; in fact, she was always grabbing first prize at the beauty contests, horse fairs, dog shows and aquarium exhibits. She was very proud of her face, and she used to always carry it with her because she discovered that it had several uses. For instance, if somebody gave her a shove when she was leaving a cabaret with a bottle of beer in each hand, she needn't drop the beer—she could slide out the door on her face. She was graceful, dignified and well educated, and felt perfectly at home whether she was riding in a limousine or a patrol wagon. This squaw always had a mess of boy friends hanging around her papa's dugout, and people began to suspect that maybe there was a couple stills working overtime in the basement. Every morning the hired girl would sweep about six sleeping dukes and a half dozen snoring princes [assorted sizes] off the front door step.

But did Desdemona fall for any of these royal suitors? Naw! She crashed for a Moor named Othello. Othello was darker than most Moors, in fact he looked like a cross between a crow and 2 o'clock in the morning. He was a general in the Venetian army, and was so brave he would even disagree with a head waiter. Courage? Sa-a-y, that guy would trot into the Waldorf-Astoria's dining room and order hash!

THE NEW WIGWAM

Well, him and Desdemona got married secretly and grabbed off a four room apartment of their own. It had musical radiators, galloping cockroaches, beds what disappeared into the wall, mice what disappeared into the pantry, and all other modern conveniences. In order to help defray expenses around the new wigwam, they took in a couple boarders.

Brabantio now learns of his daughter's marriage, and it made him so mad that his brain boiled over and ran down his neck. He drags his new son-in-law in before the Venetian senate and makes a hot speech to the effect that this guy don't belong in the picture and should be punished. He talked for two hours and fifteen minutes, and never called Othello the same name twice; in fact, he even accepted suggestions from the gallery. As soon as papa was through broadcasting, Othello rose to make a speech in his own defense, and he raved loud and long about his love for the gal, thereby causing the senators [all of whom was married] to become sick and tired, so they made him a proposition. They offered to acquit him if he would change the subject, which he did.

After a couple weeks of married life, Othello figured that he needed a little quiet, so he decided to go back to war. He took his two star boarders with him. One of them was named Iago, an old bozo with a brain which had begun to ferment. Iago's idea of something funny was an earthquake—providing the casualty list was real fat. This baby would have sooner went to a funeral than to a musical comedy, providing it wasn't his funeral. His favorite outdoor sport was pallbearing. If he was alive today he would certainly be in the booze racket.

A LITTLE DIRT

The other star boarder was a drug store grenadier named Cassio. Cassio was Othello's lieutenant and had often pulled the John Alden stuff for the Moor while he was rushing Desdemona, so he was sitting pretty. He was a handsome hound and he certainly knew his Bermudas when it came to handling the Minnehahas.

Iago was jealous of the fact that Cassio was his superior officer, and he decided that the only way to hook him was to inject a little slapstick comedy into Othello's home life, so one day he trots over to the Moor and remarks:

"Listen, Midnight, this other bozo may be your lieutenant and all that sort of stuff, but around your house you would think he was the iceman. Har, har, har! Of course, it's none of my business, but——"

"Har, har, yourself!" grins Othello; "we have an electric refrigerator in our domicile, so that old wheeze ain't so good."

"Neither is your wife," laughs Iago, "or Cassio wouldn't be wearing one of her stockings for a necktie. Har, har! Of course it's no affair of mine, but——"

KICKED IN THE RIBS

Now this was a dirty trick on Iago's part, because Cassio was really a nice, innocent boy who always played square, and who was above suspicion, and therefore it was wrong to toss shadows across the boy's character. Anyhow, the stocking didn't belong to Othello's wife at all—it belonged to the wife of a traveling salesman.

However, the Moor was dumb enough to skid for this line of chatter and he became so disturbed that when he sat down to dinner he ate four napkins and wiped his face with a sandwich. Then, crawling into his raccoon coat, he says to Iago:

"I am going home and settle matters with a certain lady acquaintance of mine. In the meantime I shall expect you to get ahold of a certain lieutenant an' stab him severely!"

"Leave it to me, Ebony," says the villain. "I'll take that guy for a ride."

So Othello tears back to his wigwam and rushes up to his wife's boudoir (whatever that is), where he found her sleeping. He kicked her in the ribs gently and woke her up.

"What's the idea, Large Boy?" says her; "I wasn't expecting you home for at least two weeks yet."

JEALOUSY IS TERRIBLE

"Pardon me, Dearie, for waking you," says her husband, "but I thought you would be interested to know that I am now going to smother you to death."

"Aw, damn the luck!" cries Desdemona, weeping wildly, "an' here I just went an' bought four new dresses!"

"Come on, hold still—I can't smother you if you're going to squirm around like that!" howls her Dark Daddy, so she complied with his request and died gracefully.

Just then the door flops open, and in busts Cassio and Iago, surrounded by three wagonloads of cops. Iago had failed to bump off the kid. The latter now had the dirt on the villain and he spilled the grief to Othello.

"Such a swell time to tell me, just after I rang down the curtain on the mamma!" snorts the Moor, so he grabbed a knife and stabbed himself in the boudoir. He croaked promptly.

All of which is supposed to prove that jealousy is a terrible thing. So is the story. Happy New Year!

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LEAP YEAR—AS IS—AS WAS—AS MAY BE

Still Further Proposal Boon Proposed for Girls

So They Won't Be Forced to Pay and Pay and Pay

It is statut and ordaint that during the rein of hir maist blissit Megeste, for ilk yeare knowne as lepe yeare, ilk mayden ladye of bothe highe and lowe estait shall hae liberte to bespeke ye man she likes, albeit he refuses to taik hir to be his lawful wyfe, he shall be mulcted in ye sum ane pundis or less, as his estait may be; except and awis gif he can make it appeare that he is betrothit ane ither woman he then shall be free.

—Scottish Statute, A. D. 1288.

By William Wisner.



MARGARET, maid of Norway, was Queen of Scotland when this earliest of all feminist bills became law in the land of the lochs, the bens, the haggis, and the heather. A few years later France enacted a similar statute and in the fifteenth century Genoa and Florence legalized the quadrennial open season on bachelors.

It will be noticed that the joker in the law quoted above is that the quarry need not be "betrothit ane ither woman," but that "he make it appeare" that such is the case.

What a boon for bonnie Jean, her wee heart yearning and longing for sleekit, cowrin, tim'rous, bashfu' Sandy. If Sandy—after much deliberation, you may be sure—preferred being "mulcted in ye sum ane pundis or less" to accepting bonnie Jean's hand, she need but cause it to be noised about that her complaisant chum, pop-eyed Peggy, was seen trailing Sandy with a "bespeke ing" gleam in her ee; whereupon Sandy, casting caution to the winds, would espouse bonnie Jean and save, temporarily at least, his "ane pundis or less."

EQUAL RIGHTS?

It is popularly believed that this custom of women's leap year rights has been followed through the ages and down to the present writing. Indeed, some authorities go so far as to claim that the fair sex, taking unfair advantage of man's notoriously lax memory in the matter of dates, has extended the leap year privileges on both ends, so that now those privileges overlap and leap year itself has become merely the peak load period—the height, you might say, of the he-hunting season.

There are those, of course, who express views diametrically opposed to that just cited, and it may have no basis whatever in fact. But the opinion is held by such a ponderable body of our more serious, male, married opinion-holders that, in the absence of available statistics, it must be coped with as an actuality.

If the proposing of marriage has ceased to be woman's special prerogative during this one year in each four, then some other right must be vouchsafed her for that period to take its place.

To disclose this new leap year privilege is the purpose of this article.

The task of finding a suitable gift for Woman in general is as much more difficult than selecting a present for one particular woman as the total number of women is to one. You know, something neat but not gaudy; a token that means a great deal and—not to put too fine a point upon it—permits the donor to eat regularly whilst smilingly feeding the installment collector for the next few eons.

IN NO WOMAN'S LAND

The problem is made still more brain-racking by woman's constantly increasing activities in the world outside the nursery and the kitchen.

Not only does she officiate, professionally as well as personally, at our entrance into the world, but also, stethoscope in hand, superintends our leaving it, and in the final scene, in yet another rôle, directs the obsequies.

She pulls our teeth, educates us, repairs our balky motors, runs our elevators, writes our books, sells us bonds and real estate, makes our laws, governs our states, ministers to our spiritual needs, hunts the Snark and the Behemoth of Holy Writ, and explores our darkest continents; she plays male parts in "Peter Pan" and "L'Aiglon" better, far, than we could do—and even, it is said, smuggles in the sinful juice of the succulent juniper berry.

Can we confer upon her any sartorial right she has not already taken? Are her golf knickers one whit different from man's plus-fours? She wears his shirts, his collars, his ties, his breeches. Even certain items of her lingerie, we are informed, are merely abridged editions of man's union suits.

Nor is the end in sight. The comic magazines assure us that she monopolizes our barbers and dictates the style of our cigaret holders and cigar lighters.

In a word, there seems to be almost nothing we can give her that she has not already appropriated, or that she will fail to annex when, as, and if the spirit moves her.

BE IT ENACTED

Hence, there is but one thing left to do and we men must face the task without flinching. Let us make a virtue of necessity and grant her, during leap years, at least, the special privileges enunciated in the subjoined bill to be acted upon in congress, to wit:

"It is statut and ordaint that during lepe yeare Woman be permitted freely and heartily to indulge in hilarious, immoderate, uproarious, and unseemly laughter at each and every weather-beaten jest with which her husband entertains company, regardless of how many times she has heard said quip before and from the same source:

"That she be granted free and full right, without let or hindrance and without prejudice to her present household occupations, to the furnace-shaking, milk bottle and newspaper retrieving, cat-banishing, clock-winding, and burglar-hunting concessions within the confines of her domicile;

"That the various and sundry statutes be repealed which compel her to disembark from street cars and other common carriers whilst facing in a retrogressive direction;

"And be it further enacted, that she be given free access to, and full use of, all sleeve-garters, bicycle-clips, mustache-cups, croquet mallets, bamboo canes, family albums, stereoscopes, horse blocks, boot-jacks, painted sea-shells, souvenirs of Niagara Falls, buggy whips, false shirt-fronts, chain-mail watch fobs, detachable cuffs, congress gaiters, and stag-headed, carved-bone umbrella handles, which several articles may be in the possession of her male next of kin or boy friends at the time of the passage of this measure."

Gentlemen, we might as well shoot the works.

So here you are, Ladies; hop to it.

THE DUKE TURNS OVER A FEW LEAVES

He Drinks Out the Old Year; Drinks in the New

By Duke Bakrak.



You cood have knocked Mrs. F. over with a feather.

CHRISTMAS at our house this year was tha berries. Tha tree looked swell. Tha eats were a knockout. Everyone of tha offsprings got tired early from too much play and when 8 o'clock came 'round they were willing to go to bed without tha usual "Ma, kin I stay up longer?"

I was remarking along about nine o'clock as to how everything came off so grand and that we certainly have a lot to be thankful for. Every once in a while things reverse themselves for instance, I had a talking jag and tha Mama wasn't saying a word. Most times I'm afraid she's ailing if she aint talking. When I asks if anything's wrong she advises that she was just thinking. This natcherally calls for a little humor on my part and I pull a boner by askin' "What with?"

GIVE AND TAKE

What she then tells me about my brains and gray matter and smartness aint fit to be printed. Anyway, I square myself a little later and then get tha low down about what's on her mind. The next 3 hour discussion runs along sumethin' like this:

"Whadda we gonna do New Year's Eve, sit home again?"

"Not necessarily."

"Well, what plans have ya made?"

"None yet."

"Ya gonna make 'em in January or February?"

"No."

"If tha Schmidts can afford a cabaret why can't we?"

"Where we gonna get tha bucks?"

"If you had any brains you'd earn more."

"Why don't you call up tha Martins and fix a house party?"

"Sure, always ME, I gotta do tha fixing."

"Can't we go to a movie?"

"Ha ha! Know any more funny ones? Movie on New Year's eve!"

"Could be worse."

"Sure, if we took in two."

"Why can't we have tha gang at our house?"

"I wanna play, not work."

"Feel playful, huh!"

"O, shut up!"

"Mine too."

END OF A PERFECT DAY

Aint that a swell way to end up a perfectly good Xmas night? Anyway, I promised to call up some of tha gang in tha morning and see what cood be fixed and it seems a lots of them are in tha same boat as us. No place to go and no bucks to go on. Bud Johnson has got a plan that we all chip in, get a lot of eats, some gin, a mess of brew and rent a cheap hall that's got a phonograph for about ten bucks a cupple. This sounds logical, so I phone home and tha Mama says, "Nix, that's out." Seems she went to one of those affairs once and out of two hundred emptys only four missed her.

My next cue is to call up Billy Maxwell. He says their party is all arranged. It's gonna be pulled at their house and if we want to come he'll tell Minnie so's she can set two extra chairs. I thanked him and figured at last this dama thing is offen my chest.

When I call up home I get tha Cambdest rahin' over the coals you ever heard. Tha first thing she wants to know is, where is my pride and if I think she's gonna accept a 2nd hand invitation to a party what was framed with our name not among those present, I gotta another thought coming. When I pull a crack to her about "pride comes before a fall," she tells me it also comes before a winter and spring and bang goes tha receiver.

CONSPIRACY

The only uther gang I can think of is tha Wilsons, but I happen to know that tha Fredericks wood be there also. Mrs. Fredericks and tha Mama aint on speaking terms since Mrs. F. accidentally on purpose forgot to invite tha Mama to a bridge party three years ago last April. Now, if I cood frame some kind of a deal to get them together I know she'd be willing to check in tha Wilson party, 'cause when they do things there done up brown and everybody always has a helova swell time.

When I call up Eddie Wilson he says everything is okay and he was just thinking about us and was gonna invite us over. Of course, I gotta tell him about tha Mama's not speakin' to tha F.'s and he says between us we cood frame a phony deal and get them together again. He tells me to lay off phoning home, as he will do it and that he'll let on that he aint talked to me.

He puts it over beautifully by telling tha Mama that Mrs. F. feels terrible about tha rumpus they had and wood tha Mama accept a apology from Mrs. F. when they met. He even puts it a little stronger by saying that Mrs. F. called him up four different times and asked him to act as arbiter. This, I know, is a helova lie, but I'm leaving it all in Eddie's hands.

MAMA THE FIXER

His next step was to call up Mrs. F. and tell her a story about how Mrs. Bakrak had phoned him four times and asked him to find out whether Mrs. F. wood accept a apology and forget tha past. She's perfectly willing, so now all we gotta do is wait fer results.

When I get home Tuesday night I'm hip to what's comin' and I shut up like a clam. She starts off by bragging that again she had to be the fixer and that we are going to spend New Year's eve with tha Wilsons. I agree and even tell her that I woodn' know what to do without her.

Don't think for a minute that I'm tha kind of a guy who wood do any sponging. Last night I packed two quarts of gin, a dozen of brew and some home-made elderberry wine, which didn' taste right to me when we got it, and starts off for Eddie's. Tha minute we get in the B. and C. starts looking around for Mrs. F. and walks right up to where she's sitting. I guess you cood of knocked Mrs. F. over with a feather, she was so dumbfounded, but they put their arms around each other and gave each other a kiss. Eddie sees that tha thing was pulled off to tha Queen's taste, so he and I repairs to tha kitchen and pour ourselves a cupple of shots.

THE RECONCILIATION

We had one of tha best times I ever had. By two o'clock all tha men folks is ¾ snozzled. Billy McAndrews gets himself a crying jag, so we put him to bed. Alex Griffith, who woodn' give a dime to see tha King of England ride a giraffe, gets so pickled he puts a quarter in Eddie's kid's bank. Tha women folks also gather themselves a little edge and six o'clock in tha morning we get treated to a mess of ham and eggs.

Tha party was voted a huge success and the Mama insisted that we drive tha Fredericks home. They only live about 8 miles out, and in my condition every lamp post I hit was just a cue for us to sing a verse of "Tha gang's all here."

This morning some of the Mama's girl fr'en's call up and tell tha Mama how nice it was fer her to come forward first and some of the others call up Mrs. F. and tell her tha same thing. Finally both of 'em get hip that it was frameup.

So now their mad again.

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FOR IDENTIFICATION.

"Why the hat with the tall feather, Georgette?" asked the girl chum, Tricotine. "That feather must be at least two feet high."

"Our class of 67 girls is going to have a group photograph taken."

"I still don't understand that trick feather."

"Well, if I chip in, I want to be able to pick myself out."—Atlantic Journal.

Answers to Poetic Posers

CARICATURES OF POETS.

[Left to right]: 1, Burns; 2, Kipling; 3, Longfellow; 4, Gray; 5, Ben Jonson; 6, Marlowe; 7, Tennyson; 8, Clement Moore; 9, Wordsworth; 10, Cowper.

1. *Elegy Written in a Country Churchyard,* by Thomas Gray.
2. *Peter Bell,* by William Wordsworth.
3. *Auld Lang Syne,* by Robert Burns.
4. *The Night Before Christmas,* by Clement Moore.
5. *If,* by Rudyard Kipling.
6. *Doctor Faustus,* by Christopher Marlowe.
7. *Break, Break, Break,* by Alfred Lord Tennyson.
8. *The Children's Hour,* by Henry Wadsworth Longfellow.
9. *The Solitude of Alexander Selkirk,* by William Cowper.
10. *To Celia, from the Forest,* by Ben Jonson.

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MY FRIEND FROM INDIA



INTRODUCING "My Friend from India." That's the name of the film showing at the Majestic this week, and this scene portrays one of its "big moments."

STORIES of GIRLS

Her Cottage In the Dunes.

By Margaret Orr.

THE girl or the house—which shall it be first? Both were mysteries.

The house was solitary, hidden in sand dunes. Around it stretched nothing but rocks, bayberry bushes, sand, and eel grass. But it looked out on the sea.

Alicia's mother had discovered the place when the girl was little. They lived alone. On the grass grown village lanes folks avoided Alicia's mother. They said she was "peculiar."

Alicia went to school in the village. She bought things at the stores. But, aside from those contacts, her mother kept her strictly at home.

Then one night Alicia ran all the way to the doctor's house. Between gasps she asked him to come. Before they reached the house, the mother had died.

A philanthropic woman, who had a summer home in the village, offered to educate Alicia at a school where she might learn the beauties and intricacies of household things. The woman deplored Alicia's lack of social contacts and her sentiment. Alicia should go places, do things, and become a "noble woman."

She left the mysterious cottage just as it was—as though somebody were still living there. With tear-blurred eyes, she even set the table. She slammed the door behind her for the last time. And she went away to school.

The school was a splendid institution. It glorified the simple and sincere things of life. It dignified the humblest tasks. And, above all, it insisted that the noblest thing a girl could do was to make a home a real abiding place of hospitality, beauty, peace, and honest sentiment. And who was Alicia to doubt it?

One day a letter came saying that an artist who wished to be quiet had made an offer for the place. It was an unusual opportunity. Poor Alicia knew that offers would never be many for that desolate place.

That night, with several other girls, she went to the movies.

There was a brief travel picture on "Unfamiliar Glimpses Along Our Coast." And under the caption: "A Deserted Cottage," behold the little house. It looked so pathetic, so poor, so lonely!

Alicia felt her throat tighten. One hot tear after another trickled down the corners of her mouth.

That night she packed up and ran away.

Windswept and silvered the cottage welcomed her. Inside, the old things were sweet familiar ghosts. She opened wide the windows toward the sea. And she performed many a formerly detested rite of home.

There were plenty of tins of food. In the old canister there was still a bit of China tea. She lighted the lamp and started a little supper.

Then late, very late, she was startled by a knock at the door. The doctor was on his way home and noticed the light. Alicia told him what had happened. He was kind and sensible.

He knew she was out of adjustment with the social system. He knew she was impulsive and intensely sentimental. He merely asked her if she didn't consider herself ungrateful to run away like this.

"They sent me away to learn to be a noble woman," she answered. At school they told me the noblest thing a woman could do was to keep a house. All right then. I'll stay right here. 'Cause I'm going to keep this house.

For, after all, sentiment lies behind the details of a home. And when sentiment is there, the training doesn't so much matter.

Watchman Shifts Lodging; Red Tape Accompanies Him

PARIS.—(AP)—"Red tape, the patron saint of France," has a new charge laid against her, and "all Frenchmen who have not lost their sense of humor" are asked to laugh.

A watchman at the government's Mazarin library was changed, and to approve his installation in the little living quarters in the building Edouard Herriot, minister of public instruction, drafted a 300 word decree citing all proper legal references and arguments. This required hours of work. M. Herriot had Premier Poincare consider and approve it, and finally had it signed by President Gaston Doumergue.

This decree then was published in the Journal Officiel, recorded in the law archives, and distributed to two ministries and the library authorities.

"Before revising our constitution," exclaims one editor, "let's unsnarl some red tape, so that when a library watchman changes his lodging the president of the republic won't have to be disturbed."

BARGAINS!

Ever since Eve's momentous conversation with the serpent bargain hunting has been the favorite indoor sport of the fair sex. Send us a short and snappy letter telling the how, why and wherefore of the best bargain you ever struck. The Tribune will pay $2 for every letter published. Address Bargains, Chicago Tribune.

A Coat for $2.50.

It was the day before Christmas four years ago. I was to meet my husband at a busy corner as we were going out of town for the holidays. He got there half an hour ahead of time, which in itself was something extraordinary, so he went into a store to get a tie for one of the smaller boys.

When he met me he said, "Let's go into the boys' section; I want to show you something." On a pile of overcoats, or rather underneath it as he had tucked it there so one one would take it while he was gone, was a boy's overcoat, dark brown plaid, fully lined in wool plaid, size 3 years, marked $2.50.

I couldn't believe it, so we took it to the floor man, who in turn called the head of the department. He said it was correct and that there were only three like it. It just fitted my two year old son, so needless to say we took it, and have been sorry ever since that we did not take the other two and give them to some one. My youngster wore the coat two years and it is still doing duty for another little boy out in Seattle, Wash. E. L.

A Great Reduction.

I was anxious for an electric sewing machine, but after getting prices at various stores decided I would have to dismiss it from my mind. Finally, at the last shop I visited, I told the saleswoman the very top price I could afford to spend and asked her if she would not be on the lookout for a machine which would be within that price.

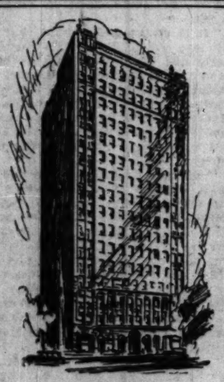
She obligingly took my name and address and in a few weeks I received a telephone call from her asking me to stop in when downtown, as she felt sure she had a machine which would meet my requirements. On investigation I found they had one which had been used as a floor sample at one of their branch stores which they offered me at $75 reduction in price; also a small allowance for my old machine and for cash.

'Tis needless to say I was quick to take advantage of this bargain, which all goes to show what a few suggestions and an accommodating sales person can accomplish. A. R.

Finding Money.

I was obliged to get a certain book for school and had little cash, so I went to a second hand book store and, after rummaging around among the dusty old books, finally found one for the amazingly low price of 50 cents.

Delighted with my wonderful bargain, I arrived home, started to read, and, to my utter surprise and delight, found an old $2 bill among its folds This proved to be the best bargain I ever got in my life. S. S.



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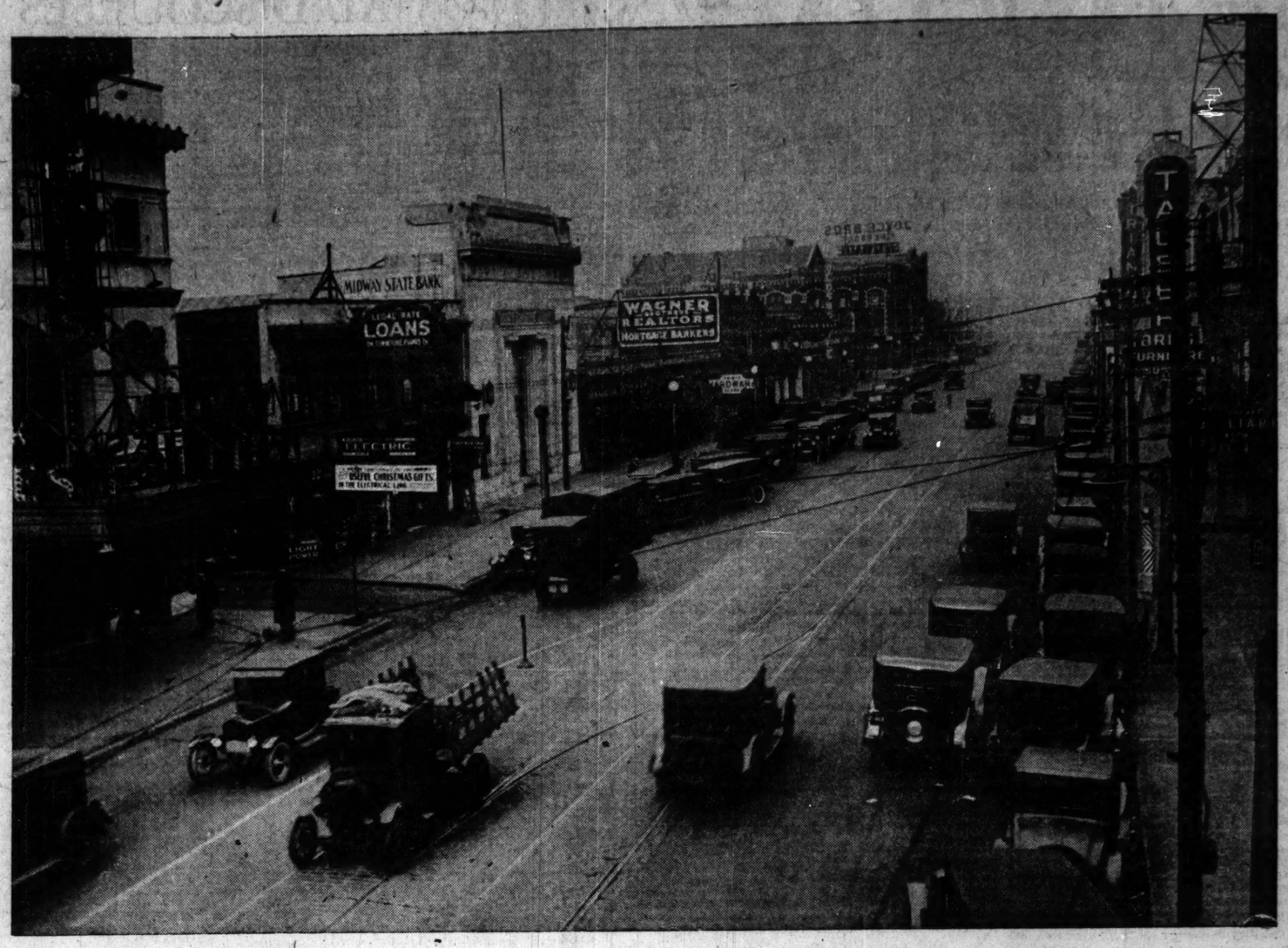
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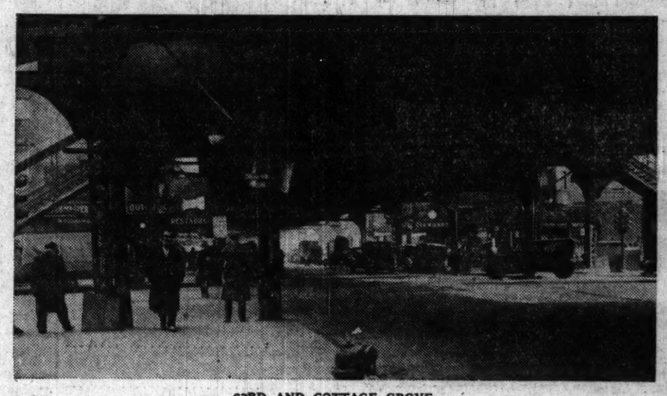
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WOODLAWN wins success in "Battle of the Neighborhoods"

ALONG both sides of 63rd Street in the shadow of the long steel finger of the "L" are the busy stores of Woodlawn. From Stony Island to South Park Avenue they stretch block upon block. From the north and the south they draw the business of a prosperous neighborhood containing over 80,000 people.

And crossing 63rd are other busy thoroughfares—Stony Island, Woodlawn and, most important of all, Cottage Grove Avenue. Each of these intersections is a shopping center in itself. Each contributes its activity to make 63rd Street one of the chief trading centers of the city.



63RD AND COTTAGE GROVE

In Six Years

63rd Street has always been busy. Woodlawn is an old established neighborhood and from the beginning its inhabitants have gone to 63rd to shop. But as late as six years ago it was a street of small shops doing business with a comparatively small number of regular customers.

Then the strategic advantage of the district began to be recognized. Automobile showrooms began to appear along Cottage Grove Avenue. More came—and more. Dealers were quick to capitalize on the opportunities for volume sales the neighborhood offered. Today Cottage Grove from 60th to 67th Streets is one of Chicago's major "automobile rows".

Another development took place about this time that was to enlarge the scope of Woodlawn's trade. A huge moving picture palace was built. It prospered. Another one came. Numerous places to dine and dance were opened. In ever increasing numbers, people came to Woodlawn seeking relaxation and entertainment. Now the district is a social as well as a business center.

Today—and the Future

These changes have meant increased prosperity for Woodlawn merchants. Stores have been enlarged and improved, show windows have been made more effective for display purposes. The rental on business property has advanced to an average of $500 a foot. The four large banks of the neighborhood have total resources of almost thirty millions of dollars.

Woodlawn has been successful in "the battle of the neighborhoods." But it has not yet achieved its commercial destiny. Further expansion must come. Stores must grow—in number and in size. The fight must go on. Every aggressive weapon that present day salesmanship can provide must be used to keep the neighborhood's business from going to other localities.

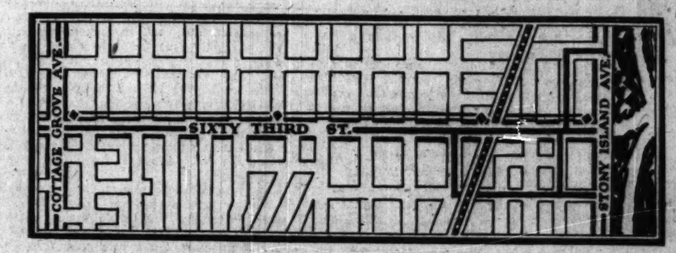
It Can Be Done

Woodlawn can do it—must do it. And so must every other shopping center in the city. As time goes on "the battle of the neighborhoods" will be waged with even greater intensity. Every store owner must join in the fight. To wait patiently for business to come and keep coming can mean but one thing—commercial defeat. Ultimate victory will rest with the merchants who go out after customers.

How

There is available for outlying merchants a sales-weapon that has the power of a battery of siege guns. This is The Tribune Metropolitan Section. This section splits The Tribune's vast, responsive circulation into three parts, one for each side of the city. Each advertisement in the Metropolitan Section reaches a quarter of a million families or more, all living within a trading area convenient to local dealers.

For example, in the Woodlawn district there are 21,598 families. In this territory The Sunday Tribune has a circulation of 22,666! That means that the Woodlawn merchant using the Metropolitan Section can reach every family in his immediate neighborhood and more than 200,000 additional south side families who live within a comparatively short distance. And the cost of Metropolitan Section advertising is about one-third of The Tribune's regular Sunday rate!



NOW Is the Time

Begin at once to protect the life and profits of your business. The Metropolitan Section will help you just as it has helped scores of other neighborhood merchants. Ask a Tribune man to call and explain how. Phone Superior 0100.

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THE WORLD'S GREATEST NEWSPAPER

METROPOLITAN SECTION

The Chicago Tribune publishes as a part of its regular Sunday issue a Metropolitan Section, the circulation of which is divided so that local neighborhood merchants may advertise in any one or more of the three sides of Chicago and suburbs as follows:

North and Uptown Section—West and Northwest Section—South and Southwest Section

PART 6 DRAMA

Chicago Sunday Tribune

THE WORLD'S GREATEST NEWSPAPER

Movies Music
H. L. Mencken
Art Radio Churches

JANUARY 1, 1928.

Music to Be Wafted on Ethereal Waves?

By Edward Moore.

NEW music making devices, new music, and new methods of distributing music makers to the communities around and about would seem to be some of the matters to be taken up by the new year.

The newest music making device is so new that so far it has not acquired a defining or descriptive name for itself. It had two or three demonstrations in Paris about four weeks ago, and as a result of billboard, newspaper, and prospectus publicity a riot squad of police had to be called out to club off the several thousand persons who tried to get in to hear it and were unable to do so. It is said the inventor now plans to come to America, his chief idea being to confer with Edison on matters of financial and otherwise unmusical import.



CLAUDIA MUZIO as Tosca in the like named opera today at the Auditorium.

Two accounts of the Paris demonstration have reached this desk, one decidedly sympathetic in tone, the other in a more Missourian vein. The inventor is a certain Prof. Theremin, a Russian, who is principally electrician and almost as a side line musician.

Combining the accounts, a task almost comparable to that of Dickens' editorial writer in his article on Chinese metaphysics, it is learned that Prof. Theremin produces what he calls "music of the ethereal waves." The stage is crowded with electrical devices of various sorts and shapes, centering around a vertical metal wand which stands in a field of electro-magnetic waves. The inventor passes his hand to and fro near the wand, and the interruption of the magnetic field by this means is translated by further mechanisms into sounds of varying pitch, strength, and timbre. By altering these further mechanisms it would seem that the count of overtones also can be changed; hence the inventor evolves tones resembling those of stringed instruments, flute, clarinet, bassoon, and the like.

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When the Doctors Disagree.

Up to this point the two accounts are in a fair degree of accord. From here they take separate paths. Henry Prunieres, writing to the New York Times, says that in the treble the sounds resembled those of a violin and in the lower scale those of a cello, "but like a violin or cello which could produce the most delicate pianissimo or give the equivalent of thirty instruments playing together. The quality of tone is most beautiful."

James Whittaker, at one time a Chicago music critic, wrote to Musical America: "Into my ear it emptied some very pure tones, varied in force and sometimes in quality, welded together in a sirupy legato, unearthly and dispassionate, and for that reason insupportable for more than five minutes at a stretch."

Apparently its musical values are still in the experimental stage. Apparently, also, it is a solo instrument, producing a single line of melody. The one man orchestra has not yet arrived.

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Contemporary Music to Be Heard.

New music, at least music so far unheard, is to be presented by the Chicago chapter of the International Society for Contemporary Music. It has selected the evening of Feb. 5 as the date and the Cliff Dwellers' club as the place, and it promises an informal concert of new music.

Frederick Stock, chairman of the music committee, in arranging the program, says the works to be presented are from the pens of contemporary composers, and that one Chicagoan probably will be included. They will be in the larger forms for piano, violin, and string quartet.

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Talent for the Provinces.

On the matter of distributing music to other communities, there is an appeal from Joseph Danziger of 2417 Erskine boulevard, South Bend, Ind. He says: "Since the passage of the immigration law there are few Swiss bellringers left in this country, and we therefore get to hear very little music out here in the sticks." He continues:

Seriously, though, I believe there is an uncultivated field, or rather source, of musical talent that would be appreciated in the provinces—to use a European definition—and which at present is going begging for audiences. There is a greater appreciation of real good music in the small towns of the middle west than possibly you in your metropolitan arrogance appreciate. On the other hand, there are in Chicago, and, of course, in New York, Berlin, Paris, and possibly Milan, thousands of talented musicians with real ability who never get a hearing. I knew lots of them personally when I lived in Chicago, on the near north side, in the old days when Rudolph Ganz had a job with Mr. Ziegfeld Sr., and I know there were a lot of fellows then who had real talent and have never been heard from since.

About the only music we get here is a program of four or five concerts sponsored by the Civic Music Association, Incorporated, a booking agency in Chicago, which organizes local civic associations in cities of this neighborhood and, in return for a membership fee of $10 per annum, provides the talent for the concerts. While the talent itself is amply good for the price asked, I believe that for the same price we could possibly have eight or ten concerts, with a baritone unknown to fame, who could probably suit the audiences better than Werrenrath, whose price is $1,000 for an appearance. This brings me to the point of value received. Werrenrath had an accompanist whom I never heard of, but who played a Chopin and Schumann piece and some other things which were worth more than all of the vocal numbers rendered.

It is possible that the Friends of Music, or some similar organization, would be willing to sponsor this youthful and struggling talent and coöperate with us, and perhaps some other cities of about the same size here and in Michigan, with a view to getting up a concert season which would work a double good—in providing the provinces with good music, educational in value and low enough in cost to attract the masses, and at the same time furnish the talent with the encouragement it receives in the European provinces, if we are to cultivate the genuine musical talent and appreciation for music that is latent, but manifestly exists in this country quite as much as it does in Germany and Italy. We can only do so by encouraging an appreciation for music in the provinces, where the majority of the nation lives.

If you will give this matter your consideration and pass the letter on to those of your acquaintances who would be willing to coöperate along the lines suggested, I will take it up in detail with the music department of the leading woman's club here, enjoying a membership of nearly a thousand women, and we may be able to arrange something for next year. I am totally, completely, and blissfully ignorant of the cost of a season such as I have in mind, but the subject of costs in general is not a new one to me, and I do realize this—that Ornil is not a new one to me, and I do realize this—that where we here pay Werrenrath a thousand dollars and his booking agency in New York gets a rakeoff and the booking agency in Chicago gets a rakeoff, there is not much left for "Werry," and the Indiana peasantry is paying for booking agents a lot of money which it might save. That saving alone would represent quite an amount if the talent suggested above could be routed through six or eight of the small cities in this vicinity. Then, too, in a city like this, or, say, Lansing and Grand Rapids, which contain large foreign born populations or people of European descent who have a native love for music and who would no doubt come to the concerts in great numbers if the cost were low enough, just as they used to sit up in the "cock loft" in the Auditorium and yell their heads off, when I was a kid, and the cost to sit up there was only 50 cents.

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Wednesday Matinee Added.

Something was said in this column a short time ago about the size of the répertoire that the Civic Opera com-

[Continued on page two.]

Critic Chooses Twelve Films for Year of 1927

1927'S TWELVE BEST PHOTOPLAYS.

BEAU GESTE.	THE WAY OF ALL FLESH.
TELL IT TO THE MARINES.	THE PATENT LEATHER KID.
OLD IRONSIDES.	ANNIE LAURIE.
MR. WU.	WINGS.
THE ROUGH RIDERS.	7TH HEAVEN.
RESURRECTION.	THE JAZZ SINGER.

By Mae Tinee.

[Pictures in Rotogravure Picture Section.]

GOOD MORNING!

And I wish you SUCH a Happy New Year, fans; I want it to bring you everything in the world you want—that's good for you—and perhaps a few things that aren't, if you'd really like them vurr' much. Whatever will honestly make you HAPPY—that's what I wish for you this morning.



ALICE JOYCE did beautiful acting in "Beau Geste."

You'll be interested, I'm sure, in taking a newspaper journey backward over the months and reminiscencing over the films that have given you pleasure. You most certainly will have liked the ones listed at the top of the column. If you disagree as to their being the "best," write in and say so. And tell me those you have selected in place of these I have chosen.

I'm not going to try and write a lot of new stuff—but will just quote a bit from the reviews that appeared when the pictures opened in Chicago.

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"BEAU GESTE." ". . . The producers have been faithful to the book and the director has exactly caught the spirit and atmosphere of the story. And the tale of the three brothers, of whom Beau Geste is the eldest, has been screened with fire, with dignity, and with a sure understanding of the pure breeding that alone could produce boys capable of the idealism and the determination and bravery to keep that ideal an unsullied star—such as were Michael, Digby, and John Geste . . . a stunning photoplay. Melodrama at its finest!"

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"TELL IT TO THE MARINES." ". . . It begins to look as if we must depend upon our fighting men for our screen cream. 'The Big Parade,' 'The Better 'Ole,' 'What Price Glory,' 'Beau Geste' all feature doughty fighters. And now f'r'nother example, gaze upon 'Tell It to the Marines.'

"Is it a good picture? I strongly suspect it of being a great picture. . . . This is the first time since his salad days that Lon Chaney has been allowed to face the camera unmasked, unputtied, unglasseyed, and showing his own good teeth. And himself is a grand man to meet. . . . 'Tell It to the Marines' has the best of everything—director, photographer, supporting cast. It was filmed with the coöperation of the government and many of its scenes are on battleships, and in marine barracks, with regular marines appearing . . . a walloping fine picture and Mr. Chaney may carve another notch upon his gun."

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"OLD IRONSIDES." ". . . a big, breezy, jovial, spectacular, intensely inspiring production, that flashes with humor and hands out man-sized thrills. . . . Splendidly acted, brilliantly directed, and gloriously photographed . . . a magnificent tribute of patriotism to patriotism. . . . Has its tricks to tickle your sense of the unusual. If you don't experience some enjoyable quivers of pride and patriotism when the Constitution suddenly, just before the intermission, sails into your presence, apparently LIFE Size, why, I'm no critic and you're no fans."

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"MR. WU." Starring Lon Chaney. . . . "The picture is gorgeously set and has been directed with fine and satisfying attention to detail. It is intensely atmospheric and the cast is a great one. . . . Master of makeup that he is, Lon Chaney has never more skillfully wrought wonders upon his appearance than in the present instance. He not only looks the Chinaman of high caste, but he IS a subtle, sinister mandarin, whose manner nevertheless can soften into the most delightful, human, and humorous fatherliness when it comes to his relationship with his beloved daughter, Nang Ping."

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"THE ROUGH RIDERS." . . . "Don't be afraid of 'The Rough Riders.' It won't educate you. It will only thrill you down to the tips of your toes. Only make you laugh till the tears come. Only make you so glad you're an American that you'll want to stand right up and yell. . . . Soul-stirring reality and heart-throbbing fiction are beautifully woven together. . . . A tribute to a man called Theodore Roosevelt."

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"RESURRECTION." ". . . a great novel, adapted with honesty and skill. . . . A picture that shows perfect teamwork of director and players. . . . From the production standpoint, a splendid, atmospheric picture."

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"THE WAY OF ALL FLESH." "There are things in life that you don't feel like talking much about. Like a sunset, or a painting that brings you the message of its maker, or a song that really SINGS to you, or a sense of ecstasy—or the work of Emil Jannings. . . . Here is a photoplay that you will try to sit through twice. . . . I can tell you it is GREAT, but never HOW great!"

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"THE PATENT LEATHER KID." "'The Patent Leather Kid' tells a great war story and a great love story and in it Richard Barthelmess is—just—great."

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"ANNIE LAURIE." "Photographically 'Annie Laurie' is a gorgeous thing. . . . Here you have the braes quite as lovely as if they had been photographed in Scotland instead of California, and Annie Laurie as winsome as ever a song could sing. . . . Miss Gish brings to this heroine her own peculiar, elusive, unfleshly charm, which makes her an excellent foil for the dashing, ardent, and earthy MacDonald as portrayed by Norman Kerry."

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"WINGS." "It is the aviation scenes that make this picture memorable. . . . Airship maneuvers are magnificent. . . . Brilliant, poignant, and honest work, close copy of the tragic, flaming tapestry woven in the skies 'over there.'"

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"7TH HEAVEN." . . . "A perfectly fascinating picture. . . . Most intelligently adapted from the play, it has a quaint and heady bouquet, sparkles with thought and whimsy, and its direction and acting are potent. Highbrow and lowbrow equally must respond to its appeal. . . . We learned to expect much from Charles Farrell in 'The Rough Riders.' In this film he more than lives up to our fondest expectations. . . . Little Janet Gaynor from Chicago is a great actress. . . . Entire production most unusual, take it as you will."

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"THE JAZZ SINGER." . . . "'The Jazz Singer' is a winner—if I know a winner when I see one. . . . Mr. Jolson just makes the little old silver sheet sing, and shimmy, and cry, and laugh. As he is in the 'legit' so he is in the movies—one hundred per cent THERE with the personality plus that has anchored him so firmly in the hearts of the world. . . . picture has been cannily directed, finely staged, and splendidly photographed."

There's about 'em, folks. The twelve best—as I see them. And here are December's six best:

THE JAZZ SINGER.	SPOILERS OF THE WEST.
THE CITY GONE WILD.	LOVE.
THE GORILLA.	THE DOVE.

And especial mention must be accorded "Almost Human" and "Buttons."

See you tomorrow.

The Future Looks Damper

By H. L. Mencken.

SOME time ago, writing in this place, I counselled youngsters aspiring to the literary shroud to get and hang on to good jobs, and let fall the hint that those who had no talent for clerking in banks, driving taxicabs or selling bonds might very well try bootlegging. There came in answer a number of letters from ambitious young authors who said that they had done so, and that the profession turned out to be less easy and profitable than I had assumed. The trouble with it, they all reported, was that competition was killing it. In certain large areas of the republic, and especially in certain so-called dry areas, there were almost as many bootleggers as customers.

I found, on reflection, that my own observation and experience supported this complaint, and so I wrote to all of the complainants who gave their addresses, withdrawing my suggestion and proposing that they try the garage business or the railway mail service, instead. It must be plain, indeed, to every one that the palmy days of bootlegging are over. There was a time when a fortunate bootlegger, after landing a convoy of sound goods, could set his clients to bidding against one another for it, and so pile up riches overnight. But today, like everything else American, the business is highly organized and completely standardized, and profits are steadily coming down.

Droughts are now almost unheard of, even in New York, where the daily demand is colossal. No matter how much the trade consumes, the master broticians manage to supply it. But this very perfecting of their humane art and mystery has worked against their own prosperity. They used to be gay adventurers, running grave risks but reaping huge rewards. They are now sedate business men, well protected but facing heavy competition. Every bibber of any noticeable solvency knows at least a dozen reliable booters, and when a trade of any proportions is in prospect they do all of the bidding.

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Such are the net effects of nearly eight years of law enforcement. What was once a form of picaresque sport, with overtones of the felonious, is now a sober industry, with its recognized trade practices and even the beginnings of a code of ethics. Before long, no doubt, it will have its Will H. Hays, following the movie industry, and its annual conventions, and its academy of selected booticians. Already it shows the beginnings of public spirit. A practitioner, I am told, who de-denaturizes denatured alcohol ineptly and so imperils the nobility and gentry, is frowned upon by his fellows and the obliging prohibition agents do their best to put him out of business.

Otherwise, they appear to interfere with the traffic very little. Everywhere, to be sure, they go through the motions of raiding a multitude of petty booters—poor Italian grocerymen, Negro peddlers of white mule, yokels with two gallon stills, and the like. Thousands of such unfortunates are taken with spectacular ceremonies, dragged into the crowded rum courts, federal and state, and railroaded to prison. But it is rare today to hear of a bootlegger of any professional standing being molested. If he deals in honest imported goods, or in the better varieties of the home made stuff, he seems to be quite safe. Even the tabloids have given up reporting the imminent snaring of men higher up.

This reassuring condition of the trade is reflected in the growing uneasiness of the prohibitionists, who show every sign of intense unhappiness. The Anti-Saloon league, once so cocksure and full of fight, now splits into two factions, one of which bawls for a sharpening of the war upon rum and the other of which advocates a long and *pianissimo* campaign of education. I doubt that either faction will get anywhere. A U-boat campaign would only cause prohibition to be even more unpopular than it is now; its net effect would probably be to raise up a demand that all of the Anti-Saloon league grand goblins be jailed. And a campaign of education, far from converting the country to prohibition, might only debamboozle those who still believe in it.

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Such a campaign, indeed, has been going on since the passage of the Volstead act, and its effects have been those that I have just rehearsed. The number of believers in prohibition has very greatly diminished, and the fact is shown by the attitude of the newspapers. At the beginning the great majority of them were friendly to the dry cause, and some of the most influential of them were its eager advocates. But now it is hard to find a newspaper of any dignity that is not wet. Even in the small towns of the south and middle west they are flopping in great numbers. The Anti-Saloon league, in the first days, was treated as respectfully as the Y. M. C. A. or the B. P. O. E. But today it is pretty generally depicted in the press as a brother to the Ku Klux Klan, which in fact it really is.

I believe that the Association Opposed to the Prohibition Amendment has had a lot to do with this change. Under the leadership of Capt. William H. Stayton, a man of such high tone that even the Anti-Saloon league and the Methodist Board of Temperance, Prohibition and Public Morals have had to give up depicting him as a gunman, it has proceeded quietly but immensely effectively, meeting and refuting the balderdash of the prohibitionists and exposing the corruption and folly of law enforcement. The literature it has circulated has been sober and reliable. Its speakers have been men of unimpeachable position. And it has avoided very carefully any association with men interested in the liquor business.

But its time of greatest influence and effectiveness, I think, is still ahead. As newspaper after newspaper abandons the dry cause and comes out for common sense and common decency its opportunities to reach the public increase, and as the evil consequences of the law enforcement imbecility become more and more manifest the number of important men who give it aid grows steadily larger. Its roll of members, even today, makes that of the Anti-Saloon league look pitiful. And it is gathering in new and better ones every day.

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I believe the time is approaching when this admirable organization may very well launch into greater pugnacity. The drys, as the division among them shows, are beginning to wobble, and a sharp attack upon them would be popular and draw blood. It is their misfortune that a great many of their most active supporters, both in and out of politics, are notorious hypocrites. The exposure of these hypocrites would do more to finish prohibition than ten thousand acres of statistics.

It is well known to every bootblack and street car conductor in Washington that some of the most violent drys in the United States senate are actually devotees of the illicit jug, and that not a few of them are heavy lushers. There are guzzlers, too, among the great editors who still, in a steadily decreasing minority, cling to prohibition. I believe that there is sufficient evidence against all of these frauds to justify exposing them, and I am convinced that doing it would be a public service.

Thus I suggest to Capt. Stayton and his associates that they put in some time quietly gathering evidence. It is all around them in Washington. They know who the frauds are, and there are plenty of willing witnesses. A smash in that direction would give the Anti-Saloon league a very heavy blow. For though the American people suffer rogues gladly, I do not believe that they admire liars. Destroy its liars and there would be little left of the prohibition movement save a small band of obvious fanatics.

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New York Holidays Crowded with Plays

By Burns Mantle.

NEW YORK.—[Special Correspondence.]—The play producers of this slightly mad theater center rather outdid themselves this week. They brought ten new plays to Broadway Monday night and are to follow with seven more between now and New Year's. There were so many first nighters promenading the Rialto that if there had been a high wind Times Square would have been fairly littered with high hats. As it was, the traffic jam was something terrible.

The choice of the first ten seemed to be George Kelly's "Behold the Bridegroom," the most seriously analytical character study this gifted and versatile young dramatist has yet produced. Herein he returns to the manner and something of the mood of his "Craig's Wife," but without the contrasting strains of Kelly laughter that lightened that drama.



JUDITH ANDERSON plays the sad heroine in "Behold the Bridegroom."

[Ray Huff Photo.]

In "Behold the Bridegroom" he poses the problem of a sophisticated daughter of wealth who is brought suddenly face to face with the moral flabbiness of her soul and the complete emptiness of her life. She looks into the eyes of the one man she covets and knows that he holds her cheap.

As a result of this shattering revealment she falls into a lovesickness and physical decline. Neither the soul doctors nor the medics can help her. As a last resort they send for the embarrassed idol and he offers such understanding sympathy as he can. But the bridegroom comes too late, and the girl, stripped of her courage and all her illusions, dies in his arms.

Judith Anderson, recently returned from Australia, plays the heroine with all her inspiring command of feminine emotions. John Marston is the unhappy cause of the tragedy, and the cast includes Mary Servoss, Jean Dixon, Lester Vail, and Thurston Hall.

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Film Satires Miss the Mark.

Well, sir, the boys just don't seem to be able to stage the great motion picture satire they have been promising us for so long. They had two tries at it this week, and failed both times—once with "Los Angeles" and the second time with "The Love Nest."

I have an idea it is because their contempt for the fillums [you remember the picture magnate whose only two syllable word was fillum?], their contempt for the fillums and fillum folk is so great that they lose everything resembling an honest perspective.

Even so able a satirist as Robert Emmet Sherwood, whose "Road to Rome" is one of the smartest of the newer dramas, becomes crude and commonplace in his extravagant gibes at the pictures in his dramatization of Ring Lardner's "The Love Nest."

You will recall this as a short story in which the patient but rebellious wife of the great director, Lou Gregg, filled up on bourbon whisky one afternoon and told a moving picture critic exactly what she thought of the whole blessed show—including the pictures, Hollywood, her stuffed shirt and flabby minded husband, and the art that was no more than bunk with a bold faced B.

To make a play of the story Sherwood has added a first act showing the making of a picture, with the usual yes-men trailing the director, and the familiar rehearsal comedy that ceased being funny to this playgoer shortly after Shakespeare staged the drama of Pyramus and Thisbe.

The second act is the scene of the bawling out by the inebriated wife, tired of everything, including her job. Not her job as a wife, but as the "mistress of a baby ranch." She is the mother of three, and that, being foreign to the Hollywood tradition, is as near as "The Love Nest" story comes to novelty.

In an added third act the still excited but now sober wife turns on her putball husband, lays him out, and then leaves for New York with her children, their French nurse and a sympathetic butler. The butler is supposed to be romantic as well as sympathetic, and to cherish a hope that he may some day marry Mrs. Gregg and her children. But in the playing he is about as romantic as an umbrella stand. A wet umbrella stand. So the love interest also goes for nothing.

The playing is good enough. June Walker, her old snappy brunette self after a year as the blonde gentlemen prefer, is the wife. She drinks her liquor easily and with convincing detail. Clyde Fillmore plays her director husband, and Paula Trueman submits a wicked caricature of a simpering lady movie critic.

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Nothing New About "Caste."

The eternal triangle is no more certain, the Cinderella theme no more common, than the matrimonial problem of romantic Jew and sentimental Gentile in the modern drama.

Shall the Jewish boy marry the Christian girl, despite the opposition of his parents and hers, or shall he not? Periodically the query is changed to put the question to the Jewish girl and her goy friend. [Goy, for the benefit of the ish girl and her goy friend. [Goy, for the benefit of the Christian proofreader, being Yiddish for Gentile.] But the pattern of the drama remains the same.

Now we have Abie and Rose transferred to Park avenue and the upper social strata. The piece is called "Caste," a title Cosmo Hamilton, who wrote it, calmly lifted from an older drama.

Herein we find Jean Farquhar of the Dalbeatie Farquhars fearfully rich and as snobbish as the older Knickerbockers know how to be, meeting Max Lorbenstein, son of the Jacob Lorbensteins, also rich and a musical genius, on board an ocean liner bound for Europe.

They meet, they love, they decide their marriage was ordained in a heaven neither knows nor cares much about, and they proceed with their plans without thought of their respective families.

Then the Dalbeatie Farquhars trot over to Paris to protest and there meet the patriarchal Lorbenstein, who is even more distressed than they. The Farquhars are won over by the apparent sincerity of their daughter's passion for young Max, but the proud Jew will not yield.

Not, at least, until he visions his dead wife come down from her framed portrait to plead for the lovers. The play leaves papa patting the young folks' heads and giving them, the audience is pleased to assume, his blessing.

Mr. Hamilton is given to fancy dialogue and carefully posed scenes. And yet so provocative is this familiar theme, especially in New York, that his first audience was quite plainly held by his play. His argument is quite as surely presented as it ever has been, from "The Merchant of Venice" to Galsworthy's "Loyalties."

Joe Weber has made the production in the Mansfield theater, of which, interestingly, his old eye-poking partner, Lew Fields, is lessee. He has been generous and wise. His actors include Horace Braham, playing Max; Vivian Martin as Jean, Winifred Kingston [Mrs. Dustin Farnum of the movies, they tell me] as the society mother, and Albert Bruning as the elder Lorbenstein.

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Germans Enact French Revolution.

The most impressive of the Reinhardt productions to date is that of "Danton's Tod." And not the least amusing incident of the German master's triumph with this tragedy is a scene in the revolutionary tribunal in which the mob of excited French patriots are supposed to sing the "Marseillies" with gusto. The Germans get through the battle song with some credit to their art, though it is mainly a mumbling of the words, but even nine years after the war's end the song threatens to choke a few of them.

Reinhardt, the master craftsman, is truly thrilling in this production. In the mass scenes he so deftly uses the lights and a crowd of probably a hundred players that the entire stage seems to swarm with revolutionists.

In the scene of Danton's trial before the tribunal, spec-

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This Thing and That Thing of the Theater

By Frederick Donaghey.

REASONS, rather than years, mark the divisions of showbusiness; so, there would be small sense in having a New-Year piece about it, or about the plays, or about the actors. Indeed, it is one of those Sundays when it seems best not to have a piece of more than a few lines about any one thing or person in the show-business; and a reason for its being one of those Sundays is that so many persons remained home last night, fearing that they might not be able to obtain adequate set-ups if they went to the places under observation by Mr. Yellowley and his hatchet-men. And here's more of the Socratic irony of true drama that seems to elude the scope of the theater for which men and women write plays: that a ruling meant to prevent persons for their own good from drinking in a few places ends in their drinking in many places for their own good. . . .



LEE BAKER He's in the rôle of a heavy father in "The Squall."

Or, should a New-Year piece about show-business be regarded as fitting, I derive one from some authenticated figures concerning its mercantile aspects. Thus, it is told that there are but 600 theaters available for what are known as "legitimate shows"; whereas, it seems, there were 1,500 or more twelve years ago. There are seventy or fewer shows on tour now, if we don't count those engaged in try-out performances with a view of ascertaining if they be good enough for New-York—or, perhaps, Chicago. Moreover, of the seventy or fewer, a third or more are housed in but three cities—Chicago, Philadelphia, and Boston. . . . The figures seem paradoxical when considered against the fact that the cost of a seat is far higher than it was twelve years ago, that there are more theaters in all the large cities, and that the industry of putting on plays in New-York has been amplified about two hundred percent in that period in order that the seventy theaters in that city may be kept open.

The explanation varies with the person asked; and it doesn't seem to explain much. Movies, radio, box-office prices, the Eighteenth Amendment, ticket-brokers, cabaret-shows, and the unions; all are blamed by one or another of the persons who undertake to explain. New-York has movies, radio, high box-office prices, the Eighteenth, regiments and brigades of ticket-brokers, cabaret-shows, and the unions; and men smart enough to have made a great deal of money build new theaters there with such diligence and persistence that the taxi-drivers don't know where all of them are. . . . Then, I have the credible tale of a wise showman who recently booked a piece in one of the larger Indiana towns for a night. The audience represented $1,800 in tickets purchased at the box-office; and he lost $280 on the night. An $1,800 house for the same show twelve years ago would have given to him a net profit of $700, and the manager of the theater would have netted not less than $200.

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Letter Said to Contain a Vendible Jest.

SIR: I see by THE TRIBUNE of December 25 that back where you are something is already known of the Pawtucket (R. I.) illuminator who, saying the Prohibition Bureau had put the matter squarely up to him, ordered his meter-readers to snoop about private residences and report any reason they might have to suspect the presence or possession or punishment of hard-drink. So, I'm sending you a swell nifty—one that I could easily have sold for print down here. It is this: that the Prohibition Bureau, taking a hint from Mr. Insull, thinks that it can do it better with gas-men. . . . The reason I'm sending it to you is that the editors here to whom I submitted it didn't get the point, being of the belief that Mr. Insull was a tenor of the Civic Opera.

"The Trial of Mary Dugan" is a swell show! So is "The Mikado."

GABBY LA BRUNE.

New-York: December 27, 1927.

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Other Letters.

One, containing "all good-wishes" but not the writer's name, tells me I erred twice December 26: once in saying that, in Miss Barrymore's engaging and literate play, the wife leaves the husband for six months rather than for six weeks, and once in saying that the new stock-company in Evanston is in the Varsity Theater rather than in the Evanston Theater.

One, from T. R. Phillippa, says I erred December 26 in putting an extra *l* into the name of Miss Mary Philips, who is a good actress in "Two Girls Wanted," and sends the Cort's playbill as evidence.

One, from Mrs. James H. Ronald, asking why the Chicago newspapers "didn't encourage the Chicago public to support so charming a play as 'The Road to Rome,'" and adds the explanation that, although she "didn't get to see it in Miss Grace George's brief stay in town," she has been "assured by not fewer than twenty friends that it was one of the best things of the season."

One, from William L. Sheppard, tells me with indubitable sincerity that my writings for THE TRIBUNE are not to his liking, and sarcastically expresses the fear that his dislike of what I write may reside in his inability to understand it.

One, from Miss Kathryn L. Lewis, asks if it wouldn't be nice if THE TRIBUNE were "to inaugurate a movement to bring Professor Max Rheinstrom and his European players to Chicago," adding: "I feel certain that all the other newspapers would fall into line." . . . Doubtless, Miss Lewis! All any of them would require as an inducement would be some information as to Professor Max Rheinstrom.

Nine, from as many persons, complain of being compelled to pay more than the box-office price on theater-tickets purchased from brokers. . . . Letters in the spirit of these nine simply tear my old heart to shreds with woe. I just hate to think of the compulsion to which theater-goers are subjected!

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Miscellany.

Page 10 in the Picture Section of this issue of THE TRIBUNE contains pictures of Miss Barrymore, Glenn Hunter, H. Reeves-Smith, Miss Ivy Sawyer, Miss Kay McHugh, Miss Nydia Westman, Donald Foster, Harry K. Morton, Miss Ernestyne Jeanne, and six dancing-girls of "A Night in Spain."

Miss Elsie Janis, who has been ill and abroad, is back in the two-a-day.

Theaters in Greater New-York bearing the name of the late Marcus Loew now number sixty! . . . David Warfield is said to owe the bulk of what is believed to be great wealth to his having been one of Loew's backers when the latter was trying to emerge from the nickel-movie game.

"The Trial of Mary Dugan"—regarding which I'm in rapt agreement with Miss Gabby le Brune—and "Saturday's Children" are soon to be staged in London. . . . So also is "Cock Robin," something new by the luckless Philip Barry which has just had its premiere in Boston.

The Theater Guild of New-York explains that it will be ready to do O'Neill's "Strange Interlude" the 23d, starting at 5:30 o'clock, and ending, it is hoped, "at 11:00 or thereabout." The audience will then have sat through nine acts, with time out for dinner. . . . George S. Kaufman, in today's New-York Times, indicates that the Guild is not to be responsible for the cost of dinner.

Music to Be Wafted on Ethereal Waves?

By Edward Moore.

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pany undertakes to present in the course of less than three months. In response, indirectly but eloquently, the company announces some new times for performances, adding a Wednesday matinée for this week.

It will be "Hänsel und Gretel," the Humperdinck opus of children and witch enchantments, strawberries and gingerbread. Lucille Meusel will be a new Gretel, Irene Pavloska the Hänsel, Augusta Lenska and Desire Defrere the parents, Maria Claessens the witch, Anna Hamlin and Lorna Doone Jackson the Dewman and Sandman. Henry G. Weber will conduct and there will be a program of divertissements by the ballet after the opera.

Otherwise the company is resting on its oars, going through what is operatically a period of profound calm, for only one other opera will be brought out during the week and the rest are repetitions. This one is "Romeo and Juliet," wherein Charles Hackett and Edith Mason will sing the name parts. Other characters will be taken by Miss Pavloska, Cesare Formichi, Mr. Defrere, and Edouard Cotreuil. Giorgio Polacco will conduct.

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In Memory of Theodore Thomas.

The present week marks the twenty-third anniversary of the passing of Theodore Thomas, the distinguished founder of the Chicago Symphony orchestra.

It has been the custom during all these years for Director Frederick Stock and the orchestra under his command to pay tribute to the memory of his great predecessor by playing a memorial program on the first Friday afternoon and Saturday evening of the new year. This year will be no exception. Mr. Stock has arranged a program of music with the performances of which Theodore Thomas' name always will be associated in any history of music in Chicago—music which in its day was looked upon as modern (and received, perhaps, the same welcome as modern music does today), but which now classifies more or less as standard or popular.

The list Mr. Stock has prepared for the concerts to be given in Orchestra hall next Friday afternoon and Saturday evening includes Wagner's "A Faust Overture," Bruckner's Symphony No. 9, in D minor (unfinished), and the Richard Strauss Tone Poem, "Ein Heldenleben."

On Thursday afternoon at 3:45 o'clock the orchestra will be heard in the series A offering of the children's concerts, the performance to be given, as usual, in Orchestra hall (the series B repetition will take place two weeks later). The program includes the appearance of Pellegrino Lecce, the first horn of the orchestra, as soloist. He will play the Romanza from Mozart's Concerto for horn in E flat major. Other numbers on the program to be played by the orchestra and explained by Director Stock are the "Mignon" Overture of Thomas, the Allegro Con Grazia from Tschaikowsky's "Pathetic" Symphony, the Dukas Scherzo, "The Sorcerer's Apprentice," and Halvorsen's March of the Boyards. The song is "America, the Beautiful."

Other concerts to be given by the orchestra this week are in Milwaukee tomorrow evening and at the University of Chicago Tuesday afternoon.

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Mostly About Music.

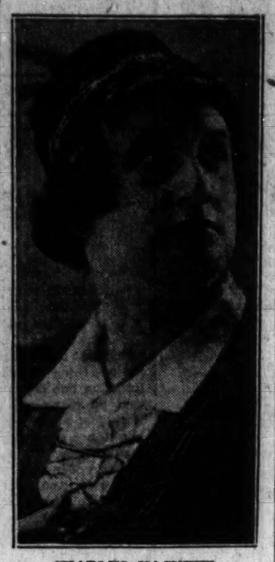
Outside of the opera and the orchestra, the sum of musical events for the week totals four. The Little Symphony ensemble, conducted by George Dasch, will give its customary pair of programs at the Art institute at 3 and 4:15 o'clock this afternoon. The Smith-Spring-Holmes quintet will appear at the Hotel Windermere West tonight.

Zerline Muhlman Metzger will beat the Chicago Opera by two days through presenting "Hansel and Gretel" in English at the Goodman tomorrow afternoon. The participants, so far unknown to professional fame, will be Edith Kampel and Ciel Berkson as the children, Fritz Metzger and Leah Wagner as the parents, and Fay Reisberg, Lillian Mangles, and Genevieve Deuerling as the nonhuman characters. There will be a ballet, presentation by the Edna McRae dancers.

Claire Dux, the soprano, and Albert Spalding, the violinist, will make a joint appearance at the Auditorium Friday night, the proceeds of which will go to extend the work of the Infant Welfare society.

Maurice Ravel is due to land in New York on Friday of this week, ready for his country-wide tour under the auspices of the Pro-Musica society. He is announced here as pianist and guest conductor of the Chicago Symphony orchestra Jan. 20 and 21. Before that he will appear with the Boston Symphony orchestra and he will also give a program of his chamber works at the Gallo theater, New York, Jan. 15. Lisa Roma, American soprano, is to be his assisting artist in his recitals.

ROMEO



CHARLES HACKETT.

[De Gueldre Photo.]

He as Romeo and Edith Mason as Juliet will take the principal parts in the opera that was made out of Shakespeare's play and Gounod's music. Mr. Hackett and Miss Mason are both Americans, so it is logical to expect that the opera will be sung in French, as it will be.

The Opera

This afternoon — "Tosca," with Claudia Muzio, Fernand Ansseau, Vanni-Marcoux, Vittorio Trevisan; conductor, Giorgio Polacco; followed by Maria Yurieva, Vechslav Swoboda, and ballet.

Monday—"Tanhäuser," with Leone Kruse, Augusta Lenska, Forrest Lamont, Richard Bonelli, Alexander Kipnis; conductor, Henry G. Weber.

Tuesday—"Lucia di Lammermoor," with Toti dal Monte, Antonio Cortis, Luigi Montesanto; conductor, Polacco.

Wednesday afternoon—"Hansel and Gretel," with Lucille Meusel, Irene Pavloska, Augusta Lenska, Mari Claessens, Lorna Doone Jackson, Anna Hamlin, Desire Defreré; followed by ballet; conductor, Henry G. Weber.

Wednesday night—"Monna Vanna," with Mary Garden, Ansseau, Vanni-Marcoux, Edouard Cotreuil; conductor, Roberto Moranzoni.

Thursday—"Il Trovatore," with Muzio, Cyrena Van Gordon, Charles Marshall, Bonelli, Chase Baromeo; conductor, Weber.

Friday—No performance.

Saturday afternoon—"Romeo and Juliet," with Edith Mason, Pavloska, Charles Hackett, Cesare Formichi, Defreré, Cotreuil; conductor, Polacco.

Saturday night—"Rigoletto," with Dal Monte, Cortis, Bonelli, Baromeo; conductor, Weber.

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Now and to Come in Chicago Theaters

THIS is the calendar for the Chicago theaters as indicated by the resident-managers down to midnight of Friday last. Change of plans since last Sunday's issue has been made with respect to some of the houses:

"The Mask and the Face" in the Goodman Memorial: a comedy from the Italian of Luigi Chiarelli about which a great deal was printed in praise by the newspapers of London on the occasion of its being performed there. The play is new in Chicago; but it was acted in 1924 in New-York, where William Faversham had the principal rôle. That it was not successful there is believed by some to have been due to the fact that the performance was hurriedly and incompletely prepared, owing to the management's desire to hurry it to the public before another version could be made ready by a rival claimant of the American rights. William Hallman, an English player unknown here, will have the part acted in New-York by Mr. Faversham. . . . Opens tomorrow night.

"Two Girls Wanted" in the Cort: a comedy by Gladys Unger and Winchell Smith, with Miss Nydia Westman, Miss Mary Philips, and Donald Foster. This piece had a run of more than nine months in New-York. . . . Second week.

"The Squall" in the Adelphi: a play by Jean Bart, with Miss Blanche Yurka. This one rounded out a year in New York. . . . Second week.

"The Good Bad-Woman" in the Central: a play by William J. McNally. And this one was shut down in New-York by request of the police. . . . Second week.

Miss Ethel Barrymore in "The Constant Wife" in the Harris: a brilliant comedy by W. Somerset Maugham wherein this actress has her most popular conveyance since "Déclassée." C. Aubrey Smith has the principal man's rôle. . . . Second week.

Mrs. Fiske, Otis Skinner, and Miss Henrietta Crosman in "The Merry Wives of Windsor" in the Illinois: the veteran stars in a revival of Shakspere's farce about Falstaff that is well worth seeing. Mrs. Fiske is cast as Mrs. Page, and Miss Crosman as Mrs. Ford. . . . Second week.

Fred and Miss Dorothy Stone in "Criss Cross" in the Erlanger: the long-popular clown and his lovely daughter in a show fashioned with the talents of both in view. . . . Second week.

Glenn Hunter in "Behold This Dreamer!" in the Blackstone: a comedy based by Fulton Oursler and Aubrey Kennedy on the former's like-named story. Miss Elinor Patterson, making her first appearance here since the run of "The Miracle," and Thomas A. Wise are of the cast. . . . Second week.

"Mr. Pim Passes By" in the Studebaker: A. A. Milne's comedy in revival by Mrs. Insull. . . . Fourth and final week.

"Murray Hill," with Miss Genevieve Tobin, in the Princess: a merry and light farce by Leslie Howard. . . . Sixth and final week.

"A Night in Spain" in the Four Cohans: a funny show from the New-York Winter Garden, with Miss Marion Harris, Ted Healy, and Phil Baker heading the long roster of performers. . . . Sixth week.

"Countess Maritza" in the Olympic: an operetta by Kalman, who has provided a lovely score. Walter Woolf, Miss Gladys Baxter, Miss Odette Myrtil, Harry K. Morton, and George Dobbs are of the cast. . . . Ninth and final week.

"Hit the Deck!" in the Woods: a song-and-dance comedy with tunes by Vincent Youmans, composer of "No! No, Nanette!". Miss Queenie Smith, Charles Purcell, and Miss Trixie Friganza are in the principal rôles. . . . Ninth week.

"Broadway" in the Selwyn: a wow of a piece about bootleggers, joint-owners, ham hoofers, chorus-girls, murders, double-crossings, revenges, and other things. . . . Sixteenth week.

"The Desert-Song" in the Great Northern. . . . Eighteenth week.

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Impending.

Joseph Santley, Raymond Hitchcock, Miss Ivy Sawyer, Mrs. Whiffin, Eric Blore, H. Reeves-Smith, et al. in "Just Fancy!" in the Olympic. . . . Opens January 8.

"It Makes a Difference" in the Princess: a play by Hugh Ford and Edward Stanley, with Kenneth Mackenna, Miss Mayo Methot, and Miss Thais Lawton. . . . Opens January 15.

Earl Carroll's Vanities in the Illinois: fourth show under this name to be seen in Chicago. Moran and Mack, Julius Tannen, and Johnny Dooley are in it. . . . Opens January 22.

F. D.

In Hollywood

Hollywood, Cal.

For the filming of a South Sea picture plenty of quinine and canned goods looms as more important than the selection of a "right type" lead. At least that was the situation with Robert Flaherty, W. S. VanDyke and a company of cameramen and technicians who sailed for Papeete. Two kegs of quinine, enough trade goods to stock a grocery, 300,000 feet of unexposed film, and five cameras were items chosen by Flaherty before the crew sailed. They expected to shoot some of their picture, "Southern Skies," in interior Samoa. Flaherty is to keep in touch with his parent studio, Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, by wireless and do a lot of exploring for locations in the southern archipelago before his second expedition, containing male and female leads and other as yet uncast actors, leaves the Los Angeles docks.

Again proving that a laugh pays dividends, George K. Arthur has just paid $51,000 for a new ten room two story Spanish style home on a crest in Beverly.

ONE'S SEASONED, AND ONE'S NEW



MISS DOROTHY RAYMOND MISS MARY JANE HERRING

MISS RAYMOND was the actress of the cantor's wife in last season's performances in the Harris of "The Jazz-Singer"; and it may be recalled that at the time her acting was the theme of high and warm laudation by Mr. Donaghey. Inquiry as to her brought the information that she is Russian by nativity. . . . She comes to the Goodman Memorial to take part in "The Mask and the Face." It may be remembered that she was announced to take part there last season in "Ghosts," and that the play wasn't given.

Miss Herring is from Hinsdale, nearby, and is in "Behold This Dreamer!" appearing briefly in Act I. This is her first "professional" engagement; but she is said to be in high favor with those who have heard her as a reader and elocutionist.

10 YEARS AGO in Chicago's THEATERS

(From The Sunday Tribune of Jan. 6, 1918.)

DAVID WARFIELD'S engagement in "The Music Master" will begin Jan. 21 at Powers' with Miss Marie Bates, William Boag, Miss Eleanor Barry, Miss Hazel Lowry, and others in the cast. On the same evening Mrs. Fiske will reach the Blackstone in "Madame Sand" which, though onerously praised by the newspapers in New York, did not last very long.

The playbill of Raymond Hitchcock's new revue, "Words and Music," ascribed the libretto to Shakespeare and the score to Beethoven. So many persons believed the stated authorship to be true that attendance was threatened, and Glen Macdonough and Jean Schwartz were forced to abandon their imposing pseudonyms.

In Atlantic City the other night Sydney Rosenfield, author of "Under Pressure," announced that his plans were to make Chicago a center of theatrical production, with an organization similar to that of Augustin Daly. He said it in what the dispatches described as a witty address.

Mrs. Janis indites an exasperated and geneological protest against the inuendoes that she and Miss Elsie are German, just because Bierbower happens to be their patronymic. Sir Charles B. Oldham of Oldham, England, was Mrs. Janis' granddad, says she, and the late Senator Cockrell of Missouri was her first cousin, once removed. As for the Bierbowers, they came to America before the revolution and number among themselves such celebrities as a lieutenant governor of Idaho and a professor in the hospitable University of Chicago.

Klaw and Erlanger will cause another effort to be made to establish Miss Phyllis Nielson-Terry as a star in America. "Maggie" is the play's name, Edward Peple is its author, and a handsome Irish laundress is its leading character.

Mr. Mantel writes that "in imitation drama of the 'Happiness' type Miss Laurette Taylor's art is wasted. More's the pity." Miss Taylor's rôle is that of errand girl to a fashionable sempstress, delivering modes at $6 the week and retaining her purity. The time is the present and the place New York.

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20 YEARS AGO

(From The Sunday Tribune of Dec. 30, 1907.)

In Powers' theater tomorrow evening Guy Standing, Theodore Roberts, and a supporting company said to be of even excellence, will give the first local performance of "The Right of Way," a dramatization of Sir Gilbert Parker's book made by Eugene Fresbrey and originally produced in New York with considerable success.

Starting with the matinee today, the Great Northern offers as a New Year's week attraction Sam Chip and Mary Marble in Joe Weber's production of "Dream City," seen last season at the Garrick.

"Convict 999" begins a week's engagement at the Academy with the Sunday matinee. The melodrama is said to have been originally written as a protest against circumstantial evidence. Its plot deals with the arrest and conviction of a soldier accused of a crime without tangible proof against him.

Mabel Morrison believes she is able to play Rachel Neve, the wronged girl in "The Hypocrites," with great delicacy of feeling, because in private life she is the wife of Richard Bennett, the curate hero, and the mother of two charming little girls. Miss Morrison thoroughly agrees with the statement, credited to the late Adelaide Neilson, "that in order to portray any part understandingly one must have lived and suffered."

Constance Crawley, a gifted English actress who came to Chicago as a member of the Ben Greet company, and has since become a star, is to return next month, and plans to give a performance of Maeterlinck's "Pelleas and Melisande," which she has been playing successfully on the Pacific coast and through the southwest. She also has Ibsen's "Hedda Gabler," D'Annunzio's "Gioconda," and Bjornson's "Beyond Human Power" in her répertoire.

MOVING UP



MILTON WATSON

He's in "The Desert-Song," although he wasn't in it when, early in September, the run started in the Great Northern. Mr. Watson was, it seems, what is known in the trade as "one of Paul Ash's lads"; and it was his singing in Mr. Ash's dildos that made him seem a good man for the operetta.

New York Holidays Crowded with Plays

By Burns Mantle.

[Continued from page one.]

tators are seated tier on tier on three sides of the stage, facing the prisoner's pen in the foreground center. Other actors are scattered through the audience, in the gallery boxes, back of the balcony, in an improvised orchestra loft. During the scene these actors also take part in the dialogue, responding on cue, and drawing the audience itself into the action more successfully than I have ever seen it done before.

It is this scene that is the high point of the production. Paul Hartmann, a favorite Reinhardt actor who has been blanketed up till now by the more famous Moissi, has his chance as Danton.

He is a big man and a fine actor. His defiance of his enemies in this scene, his gradual domination of the hostile crowd, his bellowing laughter at the flimsy charges the fanatical Robespierre has made against him are electrically effective. They set the audience cheering quite hysterically the opening night.

The Reinhardt business has held up rather surprisingly through the holidays. He is to play another week at the Century and then bring his company down to the Lyceum to show what he, and they, can do with the more intimate plays of the répertoire.

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Irish Move Up.

The Irish players have moved up to the Gallo theater, a huge new playhouse built in 54th street by the promoter of the San Carlo Opera company, and shortly to be used for the first season of the American Opera company, singing in English. Here the Irish are playing Sean O'Casey's "Juno and the Paycock," which was briefly unsuccessful here a year ago with Augustin Duncan in the chief rôle. The Sinclair-Allgood company get much more from it than the Duncan players did.

The drama flourishes in bulk but not in quality. Among the other recent arrivals are a first play by Virginia Farmer called "Spring Song." In this a lady pianist agrees to finance the career of a small town sculptor if he will live with her and be her love. The boy repulses her at first, but after two years of marriage with his small-town ideal thinks better of the plan. He wins success as a sculptor but tires of his mistress and returns to his wife. Which leads the piano lady to discover that she only wanted to love him as a mother, anyway.

Olga Petrova is back with a play of her own composition called "What Do We Know?" The answer being, I gather, not a doggone thing.

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Eugene O'Neil's "Desire Under the Elms" left a most vivid impression on my mind. It portrayed life in the raw, and I still shiver as I think of the two brothers getting up at four o'clock in the winter morning to milk the cows, with no inspiration in life greater than eating, sleeping, and drinking "corn likker." The pathetic old man, wondering what it was all about," and the restless youth who did not know what he wanted—I shall never forget them or that play.

M. N.

A Hilarious Comedy.

"Mr. Pim Passes By" is the best play I have ever seen because it is a jolly, healthy comedy; i. e., it provides spontaneous, whole-hearted laughter. Mr. Pim teaches us the value of a sense of humor when it comes to failing memory—how to forget scientifically.

Richard Carlyle's portrayal of Mr. Pim is rich. When you think that you are laughing at him you are having fun with yourself, for the old man is full of chuckles.

Mr. Pim gave me a shrieking good time. He remembered correctly and incorrectly and wasn't certain that he remembered. As a hilarious comedy I shall never forget it.

E. J.

"Blossom Time."

The play that lingers in my memory is the operetta "Blossom Time," portraying a part of the life of the young composer Franz Schubert, particularly of his love for one of his pupils.

The play was clean, full of laughter, and, most of all, beautiful melodies. The duets of "My Song of Love" and "Tell Me, Daisy," between Franz and Mitzi, will never be forgotten. The suspicious count and papa will never know how well they are remembered.

The climax where the hidden chorus sings Schubert's "Ave Maria" and then "You Are My Song of Love," sung by the entire chorus, was beautiful beyond compare.

Though I've seen "Blossom Time" five times I'll see it again if it comes to Chicago.

E. F.

Hard to Equal.

Extravagant, daring, full of witty lines, and containing (if you except some of the scenes from "The Miracle") probably the best pantomime in recent years, Kaufman's and Connolly's "Beggar on Horseback" as performed in Chicago about three years ago has been my favorite play to date. The part of the poor Bohemian artist who was about to marry money was superbly done by Roland Young, and Kay Johnson was capable as the "girl across the hall" whom he really loved.

The fantastic dream in which he foresaw what would happen to him if he married the rich girl was staged in just the deft and shifting manner that a real dream comes and goes—the exaggerated characters, the sudden appearance of courtroom and jury, etc.

There was real comedy in the old lady who rocked and rocked until he had to kill her in his dream, and the interpolated pantomime showed lovely Greta Nissen at her loveliest—far better than she has ever been in films.

A. M.

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ART AND ARTISTS

Hawthorne Speaks for the Simple Soul

By Eleanor Jewett.

THE first impression which the paintings of Charles W. Hawthorne make upon you, those paintings which hang in the first of the east wing galleries of the Art institute, is of tragedy. Suffering, patience, pathos, fear that is based on doubt, the doubt of winds and weather, and sea, these elements are woven into every inch of canvas. Even the little girls are really women, brought up under the relentless shadow of what might happen. The sea was a capricious mistress in the days of sailing vessels and her whims have not yet been entirely suppressed by steam and engine.

The sea and its rulers; the captains, first mates, and cooks; the fishermen, the wives on shore; the children putting the lamp in the window; an epic of valor to the Atlantic seaboard—Hawthorne does it over and over. Back of his portraits of sailors loom dark skies, shadowed and crossed by suggested sails, weather-beaten and worn by winds. Back of his "Captain's Wife," a sadly confident woman in widow's black, a sail is half-realized.

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Salty Friends.

Figures from the novels of Joseph L. Lincoln flit through our memory as we look at "Selectmen of Provincetown" and the one or two other similar groupings. They are homely, real, and essentially Cape Codish. They are splendid. A genial neighbor across the way is the gallant fisherman with his catch, a huge sea fish which he displays before him.

And we go from these salty friends only a few times. There is a charming, naif portrait of Thomas Arkle Clark, "Tommy Arkle," to his hosts of loving boys from the Illinois university campus; and there is the charming group of baby with its dusky nurse and the mother in white with her friend in scarlet, all set against a vivid blue sky, almost the only light background in the room.

Altogether, the impression is one of force, of true Americanism, of sincere craftsmanship. The paintings do not particularly inspire one, do not at all bore one, but do immensely interest one. Here, you feel, is a painter doing for us what some our writers are doing today—putting the American character and characteristics upon legible pages. Here is a spokesman for the simple man.

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Paintings by E. Martin Hennings.

From this gallery one way leads into a room where hang paintings by E. Martin Hennings. Directly down the room as you enter it there is a group of eight small pictures, four on one side of the door and four on the other. These are exquisite. They are as near perfect as cut diamonds. Each is a jewel, polished, finished, beautifully done.

The larger paintings have a great deal of beauty about them, but to my mind they lack sunshine and, in a subtle way, life. They are rather cold and leave the visitor cold. They are like notes on a journey, when the traveler is too busy with first impressions to allow the significance of what he is seeing to sink into his mind and take root in his soul. Love is absent. Passion is absent. Clear vision is left. Good painting is left. But the magic of feeling which alone can weld a picture into a whole, is not there. Were Mr. Hennings to live in that land of market squares and cobbled streets, slow canals and indolent guitar players, then might we see as inspiring painting as came from his brush when he made New Mexico his own. Meanwhile the eight little pictures make a visit to his exhibit a thousand times worth while.

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Examples of German Art.

Going on rather hastily, next comes a large gallery filled with examples of modern German art. Some forty painters from Munich have done their best and it is shown here. There is some very good work here, and much not so good. There is surprisingly little that is odd. Evidently, if one may judge by this exhibition, German artists have thrown over the strange gods of the isms. They are painting again in a straightforward manner, telling a story, realizing a moment, giving us just a scrap of prettiness.

At the door is a good painting of a riding-ring with a white horse being schooled. Next to it hangs a beautiful canvas showing a park with deer. Next comes a rather weird impression of cows in a meadow by a stream. They are huge creatures and they and their reflections are blurred until the effect is such that the visitor feels he needs glasses or a rail to hang to; the world is going dizzy.

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All Sorts of Pictures.

Next is a charming interior and then a spectacular war scene, which is picked up again in a succeeding canvas. And there are paintings of sheep in the fold, and of entirely human and adorable cherubs, and of mountains with snow, and a marvelous "strictly fresh" plucked fowl, its bare skin a cold reproach to appetite, and there are riders on bridle paths, excellently done, and a gay scene by a race course where jockeys are walking their mounts in the paddock.

There is a saturnine portrait of a dark young man and an amusing note of comedy in a huntswoman with a popgun and a running dog, the woman [not the dog] turning an interrogative face up toward you; there is a typical German landscape of the old fashioned type; there is a dark Salome about to behead poor John; there is an angular and angling interior occupied by a seated girl whose body is composed of angles that edge off into square-angled chairs and pillows and pictures and walls; there is a wild and confusedly symbolic war god fleeing in a whirling flight of gulls; there are two nude men struggling on an open street, with the prize, a girl, also nude, waiting, shivering and weeping, close by.

In short there are all sorts of pictures and all sorts of subjects making up this German show. Among the best are some portraits, one very likeable one of a priest to be especially noted, and, in the last long hall of the galleries, a fine mountain scene with the snow white against the black rock where it is cleft, and a particularly cleverly painted still life with a peeled orange, a glass of water and a little bowl of fragrant violets.

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Mystical Pictures.

Boris Anisfeld has a large room devoted to his paintings. They are somewhat mystical and a little symbolic. Some of them are decorative and some are startling. There is a beautiful portrait of a woman in black, an odd portrait of himself with a sunflower. There is a decidedly queer and elusive canvas showing fruit trees in blossom, the white tops being supported underground by bodies wrapped in white robes. Something is here. Is it that Mr. Anisfeld is putting into color a truly Russian sentiment which we might word, "Dead bodies bear these blossoms up"—and is he suggesting that out of corruption comes immortality?

Lines from the play, "Behold This Dreamer," come to mind as you realize that here is a profound interest in color as color and not at all as form. There is color and then more color, fitted in about the most incongruous compositions. Stags, a Buddha god, a bowl of glorious red apples, and then the most vivid and succulent green that eye can imagine, a green so penetratingly beautiful that it wrings your heart with a momentary pain. That is Boris Anisfeld. A cut of beauty and then wait a bit.

Time and space press and for the other four artists whose exhibits also opened last Tuesday at the Art institute it is best to wait until next Sunday before summing them up. The artists are [and their exhibits are among the most brilliant] Alfee Faggi, Oliver Dennett Grover, Erpest L. Blumenschein, and Serge Sudaykin.

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About the Institute.

The play for children which is now being given in the Goodman theater on Thursday and Saturday afternoons is the "Topaz Amulet." This was originally written by Thomas Wood Stevens and Wallace Rice, but it has been taken and changed about and remade by members of Mr. Stevens' company of players until now it is a capital bit of entertainment for the youngsters who are flocking to their matinees. The next play to be put on for the children is "Teller of Tales," an Arabian Nights enterprise written by Muriel Brown.

Beatrice S. Levy, a graduate of the Art institute school, some of whose etchings are in the permanent collection of the Art institute, has just returned to Chicago from an extensive tour in Europe. She and her mother have been to Spain, and France, and Italy.

"The Mask and the Face" is the new play for grown-ups which will open tomorrow evening at the Goodman theater. It is said to be extremely funny and very well played.

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News of Art and Artists.

The Union League club announced Friday the members of the jury of award who will select the prize paintings in the exhibition and competition being conducted by the club. The painting must be suitable to hang in a high school and deal, probably, with Washington. The artist must be not over 30 years of age. The exhibit will run from Jan. 3 to Jan. 12. Paintings should have been in Friday at the latest.

Among the members of the jury of award are Pauline Palmer, Allen Philbrick, Paul Schulze, Frank L. Morse, Mrs. Nellie Osgood and William B. Mundie. Five purchase prizes of $100 are offered.

At the Palette and Chisel club there is now a stunning exhibit of paintings by John A. Spelman and of etchings by Leon R. Pescheret. The exhibition will continue through Jan. 16.

The Fullerton hall lecture this Tuesday will be given by Ralph M. Pearson on "What Is Modern Art?" The lecture will be illustrated by material from the Birch-Bartlett collection of paintings at the Art institute.



"SAN GIORGIO," by Oliver Dennett Grover, in the Memorial exhibition of Mr. Grover's paintings which opened last Tuesday in the east wing galleries of the Art institute. Among the other new exhibits, all of which will continue through January, are paintings by E. Martin Hennings, Charles W. Hawthorne, and a group of Munich painters, and sculpture by Alfeo Faggi.

WHAT ARE THE WILD WIRES SAYING?

Your Voice Reveals Your Character O'er the Telephone

By Archer Wall Douglas.

THE study of the voice as revealing character is not a new pursuit, but not long ago a new phase of it suddenly became manifest to me.

I was busily engaged in dictating when I was called to the phone. A woman's voice requested a brief interview that she might submit an interesting business proposition. I assented, and dictated to my stenographer the vision that appeared to me over the telephone wire. It was that of a beautiful young woman of medium height, dressed in good taste. She had blue eyes, fluffy, brown hair, a fine complexion, beautiful teeth, with a most fascinating smile. She strongly resembled her mother, both in looks and temperament.

My stenographer made no comment, but was obviously of the opinion that my mind was wandering. A quarter of an hour later the office door opened, and there entered a young woman of whom the description was a faithful photograph.

BETRAYED BY SPEECH

Such was my first, though not my last, experience in seeking to analyze the temperament and to visualize the appearance of a person whom I have never seen, merely by talking to such a one over the phone. The temperament analysis is far more difficult than in a face-to-face conversation, where you have the additional aid of the play of the countenance, the various mannerisms, and the style of the costume.

That the young woman came from the south was obvious. For it is as true now as in the days of Simon Peter of Galilee that our "speeech betrayeth us" as to the place of our nativity and of residence. There are those who can tell from the voice as to what state one hails from. I have never attained to such discrimination.

Her voice was of that eternal feminine quality that she could inherit only from her mother, and it was obvious that the inheritance also included her temperament. There likewise was the tone of culture that accounted for her fitting costume. There was in her speech a certain definiteness and elemental simplicity that mark one who has spent some portion of youthful days in the naturalness and realities of life in the small town or on the countryside.

ENVIRONMENT

There also was lacking the superficial polish and the thinly veiled conventional, suave tones of the great city. This trait of the elemental environment of early days always perseveres in the voice in after life, no matter what the experiences and pursuits of the individual. I have detected it immediately in all sorts and conditions of men, though not so readily in women. For the latter seem to shed the early garb of speech and to assume the costumes of the tones of new environment far more readily than does the male of the species.

I recall one particular instance of a distinguished scholar and speaker in a large eastern university. I called up to make an engagement with him on the occasion of my first visit there. He was much surprised when, after the exchange of a few words, I asked him what small town was his early abode. Often I am asked how I account for seeing the personal appearance of the speaker at the other end of the phone wire. To this query I have never been able to make a complete answer, for I have no consciousness of summoning spirits from the vast deep. Nor can it be done by taking thought, nor by definite divination. The vision comes with the first tones of the speaker, and does not change in any manner or degree during our conversation. It varies much in definiteness, and without any rhyme or reason with which I am familiar.

HER REPLICA

A distinct appearance was that of a ravishing young girl such as in the past upset empires and altered the lives of "hard boiled" conquerors such as Mark Antony and Julius Caesar. She had long, black hair, large dark eyes, rather wide apart, a brilliant complexion, and a beautiful figure. Her voice was of that liquid quality that hintad at a tropical inheritance, as I afterwards found to be the case. The voice was simply a replica of the girl, and also revealed her rather modest consciousness of her engaging appearance. I knew her to be a stenographer and concluded that she was a capable and willing one, with much loyalty to her employer and with unfailing good nature. All of which I afterwards verified.

An entirely different instance was that of a sister in an Episcopal order who was a nurse in a hospital. Her voice was heavy and slow moving, without imagination, but of a nature that indicated her extreme humility, and gave further evidence that nursing was her vocation and not just a job. She had a large, full mouth, and heavy brows, but with a sympathy and understanding in her eyes that made up for an otherwise homely face. Her sister stood by me as I talked, and confirmed my analysis when the conversation was over.

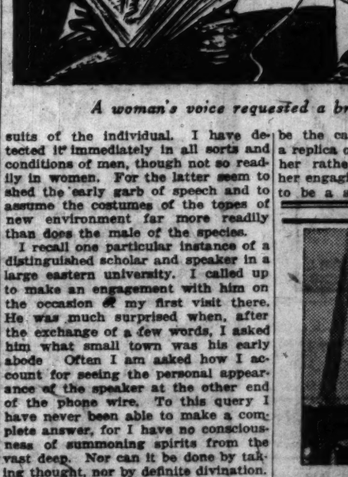
GAZING UPON MASKS

One man had bright eyes that took in everything, and he walked with a rolling gait which proclaimed his having been a sailor. He had an ingratiating smile, which disclosed good teeth. Also, he wore glasses. Curiously enough, people with this disposition are apt to have good teeth and smile more frequently than those who have not.

Not infrequently there are revealed extraneous matters which have no connection whatever with the voice. One man walked lame in his right leg. Another smoked a cigar, and wore a gray overcoat, as he talked to me over the phone. A third carried a cane, which he swung vigorously as he walked.

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[Mr. Douglas' fascinating study of hidden voices will be concluded next Sunday.]



A woman's voice requested a brief interview.



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America Stars in Modernist Concert

By Alfred Frankenstein.

NEW YORK. — [Special Correspondence.]—At the New School for Social Research, where new schools in science and the arts and ideas in general are expounded with stimulating and amusing results, Aaron Copland and Edgar Varese are directing a course of concerts of new music. They opened with a program they called a cross-section of modern music, in which, for once, the Americans carried off the honors. Two native composers were represented, Henry Cowell, the famous piano smasher, and Copland himself. Next to these two, Krenek, Hindemith, Ravel, and Stravinsky sounded singularly dull.

Cowell is a pianist who not only plays upon the instrument, but also plays with it. Doubtless you know him as the man who depresses gobs of octaves with his fists, elbows, and forearms. He does this to produce what he calls "tone clusters." To define a tone cluster, sit on the keyboard and listen to what happens. Because Cowell puts such amazing material as this to disciplined purposes, various musical wise guys have attempted to work clusters into harmonic theory, police them, lay down traffic rules for their movement.

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Three in One.

But if they had listened to the composer play at the New School they would have seen and heard him stand at the side of the piano and rub his hands over the strings for the entire length of a composition. They would have heard him pluck the wires. They might have sensed through the music the ideas of Henry Cowell phrasing themselves something like this:

The piano is a drum and a harp and a violin all in one. It can be bowed, even if the bow is nothing but an unrosined hand. The result will be sounds of eerie windstorms and banshees crying. It can be plucked, and we can hear sounds of unearthly guitars. And if we hit it only with our fingertips we get from it only a little of the roars and grunts and clashing noises it is capable of giving. A whole new world of tonal colors, of unequaled savagery, and unparalleled mystery lies in the strings and keys of a modern piano.

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Jazz Plus.

Copland's contributions consisted of a nocturne and serenade for violin and piano played by himself and Barbara Lull. The latter composition drew a huge hand, for it is "jazz plus, super-jazz written by a son who did not have to stoop from his pedestal to write it. Jazz seems Copland's native language, but his mastery of modern harmony adds an immense amount of steam to his productions and puts them miles above those of Tin Pan alley. If only Whiteman's arranger would study with Schoenberg—but I suppose the dancers must be considered.

Mr. Copland and Miss Lull also played a concerto by Krenek, with which they had more fun than the audience, and a group of pieces by Anton von Webern, in which enjoyment was mutual. These are strange little things. The violin scarcely seems to play. Miss Lull seemed to be tuning in some ridiculous way. Every time Mr. Copland got going the piece was over. From both instruments the sound waves went out in the shape of question marks.

There was junk by Stravinsky, a little ditty by Ravel, and a fragment of a monumental song cycle by Hindemith, about which words can wait until it is sung in full.

A few days prior to the uncovering of the new, refurbished version of Gounod's "Faust" to be presented by the American Opera company, the Schola Cantorum comes across with the "Damnation of Faust," which has not been heard for so long that its existence is almost legendary.

GETTING THEIR FURNITURE FREE



Music Notes

Paderewski has returned to America and on Tuesday will play the first item of a transcontinental tour, his first in two years. It will take place in New Rochelle, N. Y., followed by one in Orange, N. J., on Thursday.

Bernardino Molinari is another foreign visitor this season. He has been for several years the conductor of the Augusteo orchestra of Rome, but this season he will divide his time between the St. Louis Symphony orchestra and The New York Philharmonic.

My Best Joke

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Cramping Sammy's Style.

Mother—Sit down, Sammy, and quiet your sister. Tell her a story.

Sammy—I can't sit down. I just told daddy a story. H. A. C.

Meet Mr. Pending.

"Hey, any of you fellows lose a wrench?"

"Yea, me."

"What's your name?"

"Mike Conners."

"You ain't the guy. This wrench belongs to Pat. Pending. His name's on it." A. T. J.

Sooner or Later.

Mrs. R's husband died about six months before our new minister came to Chicago. She went often to the cemetery to visit his grave. One day, as she was returning from one of these visits, she met our pastor. He was very friendly.

In the course of their conversation Mrs. R said, "I have just been out to Rosehill."

"O," said the minister, "are you thinking of locating there?"

"Yes," said she, "eventually." B. M. L.

Two Too Many.

After coming in from a twenty mile hike the officer in command of a Negro company said, before dismissing them: "I want all the men who are too tired to make another hike to take two paces forward."

All stepped forward except one husky six footer. Noticing him, the officer said: "Well, Johnson, ready for twenty miles more?"

"No, sah," replied Johnson, "Ah'm too tired even to take dem two steps." S. B. H.

Voice of the Movie Fan

If you would like your letters printed in this column, please write on one SIDE of the paper ONLY. If you want a personal answer, send stamped, self-addressed envelope—please!

A Sweet Letter to Receive.

Dear Miss Mae: This is my second letter to you, but I like to write to you. Don't know why, but I do. Do you know, I have another "ideal" now. It isn't Richard Dix any more, and that's not saying I don't still adore Richard, but my other one now is just adorable. He played with Ronald Colman in "Beau Geste." The one with those wonderful dreamy eyes—no other than Ralph Forbes. I must say he is marvelous, and I think his acting is coming along finely.

Your columns are certainly inspiring, Miss Mae, and after I read them in the morning I feel so happy because I have a new movie to attend. I say a new movie to attend because your columns have me all keyed up as to the conclusion of them. When I was a senior in school we had the same principle as yours, and so I wrote one, based on your ideas of "Good Morning: How are you today?" and as a conclusion, "See you tomorrow." I received a high grade on that article and had the paper read to the whole class. Yes, O my yes, I was so proud. Do you see, Miss Mae, how you made one little girl feel honored for a whole day—maybe for a week, because I talked about it for quite a while.

Keep up your cheerful work.

PEGGY.

Editor's Note: Peggy, dear—I wonder if I have ever made you feel as "honored" as you have me by this letter! It isn't nice to print compliments of one's self, but I don't care. Here's your—and I thank you!

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Praise for "Seventh Heaven."

Dear Miss Tinée: A great motion picture! "Seventh Heaven" has been told with an artist's touch and the charmingly simple understanding of two humble lovers.

The leading players are ideal in the portrayal of difficult rôles which they seem to have lived rather than acted. The result is unquestionably one of the great triumphs of youth.

The love duets are beautiful songs of romantic music. The reverence of the 11 o'clock rendezvous and the dramatic leave taking are etchings that are breathlessly real.

Who can fail to exclaim, "Dieu! Chico! Ciel." ADMIRER.

Editor's Note: Who, indeed!

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In Deference to Gangland.

Dear Miss Tinée: It certainly made me laugh when I read in the papers that the Chicago police had made the Roosevelt theater take down a sign advertising "Underworld" as "Chicago's Gangland."

Who doubts but it is a reproduction of our civic institution, the gunman's world? It tells nothing about that that the Chicago newspapers have so told many times, and it shows how unbeatable the law is. Teddy Wise escaped from jail just ahead of his execution, just as "Bull" Weed did. There was an "Ammunition" Wise once who stood off the police for hours if you remember. The flower of killing was certainly no more vicious than Dion O'Banion's taking off.

Chicago has an underworld just as colorful as the picture shows it to be. It is things like this that will show Chicago how the outside world looks at it and that we ought to free ourselves from this blight.

I certainly agree with you in what you said about George Bancroft. He is a great actor. But I do think you could have done more to give credit to Evelyn Brent. That scene where she looks into Clive Brooks' eyes and registers helpless love makes her a star.

I enjoy your reviews, and the holiday ones most of all.

Yours, C. D.

Editor's Note.—You wouldn't make a policeman to be unkind to a guest, would you?

Hollywood

[Chicago Tribune Press Service]

HOLLYWOOD, Cal.—[Special correspondence.]—Many thousands of dollars are spent in Hollywood on the Yuletide greeting cards of the Yule season, and this week has proved to be no exception to its cards than any of the previous years.

Many of the stars' cards are veritable art gems, hand done etchings or reproductions of prints from abroad, while others are printed on gold paper, but all are more or less degree, artistic and original, and express the taste and individuality of the sender, for Hollywood is not given overmuch devoutly in the creed of "Do unto others as you would have them do unto you," but it does believe in the best foot foremost. During the past week and the present New Year's and Christmas week old coats of arms have been unearthed, corrected or newly acquired, and have been trotted out with a great deal of pride and distinction.

Prominent among the coats of arms of old folk is Pola Negri, who has had a Georgian coat of arms of her own family embossed on a large greeting card bearing the inscription "Pola and Princess Serge [illegible] greetings," etc., this arm being the former crest used when Pola was the Countess Dombski of Hollywood as the Countess Dombski.

Gloria Swanson uses a coat of arms of her husband, the Marquis [illegible] et de la Coudray, which is a shield on which appear three stars, one pointed star, and two others mounted by a crown coronet, with a unicorn rampant. Below the shield are two greyhounds. On her cards she uses only her own name and the title of her husband.

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Say It in Rhyme.

Bebe Daniels is a third who has embossed cards have been sent from Hollywood Christmas stapled to a white, with the Spanish verse that comes through her poetry, the card bearing the greeting and wishes for the season to all her friends—and to the ghost of Hollywood.

Milton Sills, while he has nothing that the crest does on his card proper, nevertheless has a silver on the flap of an envelope bearing the Sills' greetings. The crest is done in silver, with a knight, a cross of St. George and the motto "Magnanimiter crede"—"Uphold the cross with

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Say It in Rhyme.

Bebe Daniels is a third whose crest embossed cards have become a Hollywood Christmas staple. Always all white, with the Spanish family's crest that comes through her mother's ancestry, the card bears her simple greeting and wishes for the New Year to all her friends—and that means most of Hollywood.

Milton Sills, while he is so unassuming that the crest does not reach the card proper, nevertheless uses it in silver on the flap of an envelope bearing the Sills' greetings. The crest is done in silver, with a lion supporting a cross of St. George and with the motto "Magnanimiter crucem sustine"—"Uphold the cross with vigor." The enclosure released from this impressive envelope bears a sample of the verse of Mrs. Sills (Doris Kenyon), whose poetic efforts have been published for several years and have met with high approval from the critics. The Sills family's poetic greeting for the dying week of 1927 runs:

"Three little ducks in a row are we
Standing beneath our Christmas tree
Quacking you joy with our big yellow bills
Kenyon and Doris and Milton Sills."

Vilma Banky joined the Hollywood gang of Lady Clara Vere de Veres when she married Rod La Rocque, for his and her Christmas card bears the imposing crest of La Rocque Latour, a quartered shield with two quarterings striped diagonally and two with towers, the whole supported by two gryphons rampant. A narrow red border sets off the simplicity of the card, which bears greetings from Mr. and Mrs. Roderick La Rocque.

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Tom Mix Turns Essayist.

Dolores del Rio, who bears the lineal right to several old Spanish crests as well as that of her husband, Don Jaime Martinez del Rio, sends a simple white card, bordered with a red line, on which is written in red in her own handwriting "Merry Christmas. Dolores del Rio."

Tom Mix sends a large photo of himself in cowboy regalia, mounted on a holly-wreathed card. Under the photo is a remarkably well written essay on modern Christmas, penned by Mix himself.

Johnny Hines sends a card with a small head of himself in a holly wreath. Opened, the card discloses Hines as a grocer peddling apple sauce, with the caption "It's the same old apple sauce, but it's from the heart."

Jean Hersholt greets one with a red folded card, edged with gold, which, on opening, shows a Christmas tree. In Hersholt's own script in gold he and his wife and Jean Jr. send greetings of the season.

Janet Gaynor chose apple green cards and envelopes. The card bears a modernistic maiden in Russian costume, done in red and gold.

Ben Lyon makes his greeting card individual. A pen sketch shows Ben hanging onto the end of a long distance call to New York as the Big Ben on the desk points to twelve. He is saying, "Thanks; same to you." It doesn't take a seer to know that the long distance call is to Marilynn Miller, as Ben makes them nightly.

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From Nellie Revell.

Many Hollywood hearts were gladdened with an especially engraved card bearing their own name in engraving, from Nellie Revell, the first of women press agents in the old days in New York, who was in Hollywood doing picture titles for a time last year.

Colleen Moore and John McCormick, her husband, selected a pretty colored drawing of Santa Claus entering a cottage to dispatch holiday greetings.

One card of great interest was sent out by a press agent, one Pat Dowling, who helps make the Christie comedies famous in print. Pat recently bought a new home in the Hollywood hills, wherein the roads are labyrinthine, none whicher. His card is a road map through the exclusive Beverly Hills district, with amusing wisecracks on the inhabitants of the estates which he shows on the map on the way to his hillside fastness.

Marceline Day chooses as her card a picture of a French market place in a snowstorm. It was one of several artistic subjects worthy of framing. Cards of this sort have increased greatly in popularity in Hollywood. Margaret Livingston sends such a one with a colonial couple, in gala attire, carrying their bundles down the street.

From New York Gilda Grey sends her solo greetings inclosed in a double leafed card with an exquisite Japanese scene.

Lina Basquette, widow of Sam Warner, sends an autographed photograph of her baby, Lita, with her best wishes.

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A Wide Variety.

Victor and Enid MacLaglen are delightfully old fashioned and English with their card of a cavalier and his wife with two small children about a Christmas tree.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Willatt [Billie Dove] enclose greetings in a card decorated with the Three Kings riding over the desert on camels, followed the Bethlehem star.

Doubtless having the fact in mind that his driver's license has been suspended for speeding, Monte Banks says on his card, decorated with a caricature of himself, "I've just heard there ain't no Santa Claus."

Ben Bard, fiancé of Ruth Roland, sends a Christmas ship in full sail, done in colors on parchment over a gold sea.

Antonio Moreno had a color photograph made of the scene from the balcony of his home on top of a hill.

Clarence Brown, director, had elaborately hand done etchings of different views in his home and about the grounds.

STRUMS AS SHE CROONS TUNES



MISS LEE MORSE

SHE is in the new programme in the Palace, where, in spite of her having such billing as "The Southern Aristocrat of Song," she will probably be liked. Miss Morse was liked in Chicago when, some time since, she took part in one of the big shows in the Apollo, where she betrayed a personal style of putting through songs that were of themselves unimportant. And she is said to be a warm favorite with that part of the populace which takes its music from the discs.

BEST MOVIE.

If you'll confide in us to the extent of telling what movie, in your opinion, rates above all the other movies you've seen, and also tell us why you think this particular movie is deserving of praise, we'll land a sympathetic ear. And, what's more, we'll pay $1 for your letter if we print it. Address Best Movies, Chicago Tribune.

"The Gold Rush."

Charles Chaplin in "The Gold Rush" was the best movie I ever saw.

The setting was unforgettable and the idea of presenting this well known incident in history not as tragic or heroic, but funny; not seen through the eyes of Rex Beach or Jack London, but from Charley's point of view, was supremely clever.

The suspense in the scene where the shanty hung on the edge of the precipice was torturing, but stopped just short of being unbearable. When Charley shoveled snow we shoveled with him, mentally. The party lacking guests is an idea probably as old as the rhyme:

Smarty, smarty, had a party;
Nobody came but Pudding Tame
And the big fat girl who lived in the lane.

But Charley's party is the immortal one and while we were saying to ourselves, "He's a sentimental boob," we were chuckling and wiping our eyes at the same time. M. A. W.

Uplifting.

Of all the good movies I have seen "The Miracle Man" impressed me as the best. It was not merely a good play made attractive by good players—it was a realistic portrayal of character development from bad to good.

The actors did not merely play their parts—they were their parts, and so impressed their optience with their sincerity that I am sure every one who saw it was uplifted and better for having witnessed it. K. A.

Never to Be Forgotten.

The movie which made the most vivid and lasting impression on my mind and which I rate as the best of the thousands I have seen was "Broken Blossoms," directed by D. W. Griffith and taken from one of Thomas Burke's stories.

In spite of the fact that it was in reality, a brutal and sordid story, with the scene laid in Limehouse, one of the most squalid districts of London, I was fascinated by the beauty of the presentation and overlooked the ugliness. This effect was, I think, due to the wizardry of the great director in picturizing scenes in such a way as to bring out beauty and to accentuate it.

The work of Richard Barthelmess as the Chinaman was wonderful and to my mind he has never done anything half so good since. Lillian Gish, too, was at her best.

I may forget all other pictures, but the memory of that will always be with me. W. A. B.

IN A HIT



MISS GRACE HUFF

She's still in the rôle of the weather-cured piano-player of a night-joint in "Broadway," which has been on view in the Selwyn since mid-August.

10 YEARS AGO in the MOVIES

(From the "Right Off the Reel" column conducted in The Chicago Tribune of Jan. 6, 1918, by Mae Tinée.)

IT seems to me that as a matter of patriotism and loyalty we should see "The Man Without a Country," which was Florence La Badie's last picture. She didn't know it was to be her last picture, but to its timely theme she gave the best as well as the last of her charming self. See it and see it reverently.

Agreeing with my most severe critics who aver that I don't know everything, I nevertheless insist that changing the title of the Alice Brady picture "Jane Eyre," to "Woman and Wife" is bad business. Any one who ever read and was thrilled by the story would not rest until he had seen the picture. Camouflaged, as is the intent, who'd ever going to recognize it? Producers do such funny things!

In her next picture, "Stella Maris," Mary Pickford will play a dual rôle.

And now Earle Williams has migrated to California. Sooner or later they all go, don't they? It must seem like returning home to Mr. Williams, for he is a Sacramento boy.

Henry B. Walthall's second Baralta production will be called "With Hoops of Steel." Many of the scenes were photographed on the Mojave desert. Mary Cherleson will play opposite him.

FEATURE FILMS IN THE LOOP.

Alcazar, "Reaching for the Moon," with Douglas Fairbanks.
Bijou Dream, "Shirley Kaye," with Clara Kimball Young.
Boston, "Love Letters," with Dorothy Dalton.
Castle, "Seven Swans," with Marguerite Clark.
Chicago, "The Adventurer," with Charlie Chaplin.
Gem, "In Again, Out Again," with Douglas Fairbanks.
Lyric, "Man Against Man," with William S. Hart.
Orpheum, "Daybreak," with Emily Stevens.
World, "Conscience," with Gladys Brockwell.
Ziegfeld, "A Modern Musketeer," with Douglas Fairbanks.

MOTION PICTURES SOUTH

National Playhouses

AVALON
79TH AND STONY ISLAND
—Today Only—
Doors Open 12:30
All Shows De Luxe
"She's a Sheik"
with
Bebe Daniels
Also
Gigantic Xmas Extravaganza
—Monday—
"THE CITY GONE WILD"
with Thomas Meighan
Also
Our New Singing Director
ROY DETRICH
A Great Opening Show
"Hello, 1928, and Good Luck, Roy"
and
VITAPHONE

CAPITOL
79TH AND HALSTED ST.
—Today Only—
Doors Open 12:30
All Shows De Luxe
JACKIE COOGAN
in
"BUTTONS"
HUSK O'HARE
and His Jacks
in
"Santa Claus Capers"
VITAPHONE
—Monday—
"BEN HUR"
The Greatest Picture for All Time
HUSK O'HARE
and His Band
in
"Ringing in the New Year"
A Rollicking, Frolicking Round of Joy and Pep
—Also—
VITAPHONE

83rd and Halsted STRATFORD Matinee Daily
Now Playing
Meets Slim—Kitty Bryson
"BRASS KNUCKLES"
Stage—Ted Leary in Giant Show
Coming Wednesday
Patsy Ruth Mills:
"A HERO FOR A NIGHT"
With Great Stage Show

GROVE 76th and Cottage Grove. Mat. Daily
Jack Holt, "The Tigress." Vaudeville
HIGHLAND 79th and Ashland Mat. Daily
Delores Costello, "College Widow"
5—ACTS VODVIL—5
W. ENGLEWOOD 83d & Ashland Mat. Daily
Delores Costello, "College Widow"
5—ACTS VODVIL—5
COSMO 79th and Halsted Mat. Today
RALPH INCE—"SHANGHAIED"
JEFFERY 71st and Jeffery Mat. Daily
JACK HOLT—"THE TIGRESS"
5—ACTS VODVIL—5
COLONY 59th and Kedzie Mat. Daily
RALPH INCE—"SHANGHAIED"
5—ACTS VODVIL—5
CHATHAM 75th and Cottage Grove. Matinee
Ronald Colman, "Supreme Moment"
Western, at Matinee Only

MOTION PICTURES SOUTH

THE SHORE
2607 EAST 75th STREET
MATINEE TODAY
1 p. m. Continuous to Midnight
Madge Bellamy in "Very Confidential"
Rose Theatre Orchestra
Gypsy Nach al Mary Arthur Hand.
Comedies, Novelties and Colleen Green
Stage Novelties
Coming Wednesday "Xmas Prize Story"

VERNON 61ST AND VERNON Continuous from 2 P. M.
Laura La Plante
"THE CAT AND THE CANARY"
VENDOME STATE AT 31ST ST.
BILLIE DOVE
"AN AMERICAN BEAUTY"
TATE'S VENDOME SYNCOPATORS
PRAIRIE GARDEN 58th & Prairie
CONRAD NAGEL MYRNA LOY
"THE GIRL FROM CHICAGO"
Latest News—Our Gang "New Year's Scream"
KIMBARK 6240 KIMBARK
TOM SANTSCHI, DOROTHY SEBASTIAN
"THE HAUNTED SHIP"
Mat. Only—"Blake of Scotland Yard." No. 10
MARQUETTE 63RD AND KEDZIE
LEW CODY, AILEEN PRINGLE
"TEA FOR THREE"
ORCHESTRA AND ORGAN
HARVARD 63RD AND HARVARD
Delores Costello MATINEE TODAY
William Collier Jr.
"COLLEGE WIDOW"
Matinee Only—"TRAIL OF TIGER." No. 9
REX 69TH AND RACINE AVE.
WILSON SILLS—"Hard Boiled Haggerty"
WABASH 1826 S. Wabash Ave.
FRED THOMSON—"JESSE JAMES"

PICCADILLY
PRE-RELEASE CHICAGO SHOWING
One of the best pictures of the year with all star cast featuring
GLEN TRYON
PATSY RUTH MILLER
in
A HERO FOR A NIGHT
On the Stage
TELOK & DEAN
CEASAR LINDEN
BEBE DANIELS in "SHE'S A SHEIK"
Coming Tomorrow
ARMAND HAND
AND HIS ORCHESTRA
ENGLEWOOD 63rd and Halsted Cont. 1 to 11 P. M.
BIG VAUDEVILLE ACTS
Photoplay—All Star Cast
"THE CHEER LEADER"
Four Vaudeville Shows Tomorrow
At 2:30, 4:45, 7:00, 9:15
OAKLAND SQUARE Drexel & Oakwood MATINEE DAILY
FRED THOMSON
"JESSE JAMES"
SHAKESPEARE 43RD AT ELLIS
Cont. 1:30 to 11:30
RALPH INCE, PATSY RUTH MILLER
"SHANGHAIED"
Mat. Only—AL HOXIE—"His Last Bullet"
VISTA 47th and Cottage Grove
RALPH INCE, PATSY RUTH MILLER
"SHANGHAIED"
Matinee Only—"TRAIL OF TIGER." NO. 5
FROLIC FIFTY-FIFTH & ELLIS
MATINEE DAILY
LLOYD HUGHES, BILLIE DOVE
"AMERICAN BEAUTY"
Mat. Only: Our Gang Comedy—"DERBY DAY"

MOTION PICTURES MISCELLANEOUS

MARKS BROS.
GRANADA
SHERIDAN AT DEVON
TOMORROW
CHARLES KALEY
in
RHYTHM in COLOR
A bright, eye-catching, ear-pleasing affair, with a not-worthy cast.
THELMA EDWARDS
Star of "Lemaire's Affairs"
JOE, EVELYN and HARRY STEWART and LASH
and Many Other Popular Favorites
This is the first of our brilliant series of productions scheduled for the coming year.
VITAPHONE
BARTRAM & SAXTON
and Many Others
Doors open 12 M. All shows de luxe
Last times today
BENNY MEROFF
in "THUNDERLAND"
Screen
EDMUND LOWE
in "THE WIZARD"
VITAPHONE
THE PERFECT MOTION PICTURE
7th HEAVEN
JANET GAYNOR and CHARLES FARRELL

MARBRO
MADISON AT CRAWFORD
TOMORROW
BENNY MEROFF
in
"THUNDERLAND"
with the World-Famous
LOOMIS TWINS
Darlings of Songland
WALTER BRADBURY ROBERTS & CLARK
BRANGDON & MORISSEY
CARL BYAL LEETA HOPE
and Many Other Favorites
VITAPHONE
BARTRAM & SAXTON and Many Others
Doors Open 12 Noon—All Shows De Luxe
Last times today
CHARLES KALEY'S "HOLIDAY FETE"
Screen
EDMUND LOWE in "The Wizard"
VITAPHONE
IT TELLS HOW A TINY WAIF REFORMED A CROOK, WHOM A DOZEN DETECTIVES COULDN'T CATCH!
MONTE BLUE BRASS KNUCKLES BETTY BRONSON

Ascher's
SHERIDAN
SHERIDAN ROAD at IRVING PARK BLVD. DOORS OPEN 12:30
LAST TIMES TODAY—JACKIE COOGAN in "BUTTONS"
Verne Buck and His Wonder Orchestra
in an exceptionally fine presentation with many notable stage stars
WM. FOX presents
7TH HEAVEN
Starting Tomorrow
The Greatest Picture Classic of the Year
JANET GAYNOR CHARLES FARRELL
ASCHER BROS. WISH YOU A HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR
TERMINAL Lawrence Nr. Spaulding
Delores Costello
in "THE COLLEGE WIDOW"
5—ACTS OF VAUDEVILLE—5
Special Organ and News Features
MIDWEST 35th and Archer
TIM McCOY
in "SPOILERS OF THE WEST"
5—ACTS OF VAUDEVILLE—5
A Wonderful Show Is Here for You
CROWN Division and Ashland
CONRAD NAGEL
"THE GIRL FROM CHICAGO"
Selected Vaudeville
PORTAGE PARK 4050 Milwaukee Ave.
Lew Cody and Aileen Pringle
"TEA FOR THREE"
COMMERCIAL 92d and Commercial
TIM McCOY
in "SPOILERS OF THE WEST"
Selected Vaudeville

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MOTION PICTURES MISCELLANEOUS

BALABAN & KATZ
Affiliated with PUBLIX THEATERS
A HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL CHICAGO
1927 has been the greatest and happiest in the history of our theaters and the support and confidence of the city inspire us to the most determined efforts to make 1928 an even happier year for our patrons.
BALABAN & KATZ.

CHICAGO
RANDOLPH at STATE LAKE
Today
1:15 a. m. to 12:45
GRANDE ORGAN CONCERT
HENRY B. MURTAGH, organist
Doors open 10:10 a. m.
GIANT CHRISTMAS STAGE SHOW
75 people on stage
MILTON SILLS in "VALLEY OF GIANTS"
Tomorrow
BILLIE DOVE
Gilbert Roland, Noah Beery
Colorful, suspenseful, breathless romance; a New Orleans society belle sold on the auction-block as an octoroon-slave.
The LOVE MART
Directed by
GEORGE FITZMAURICE
The Big Screen Sensation of 1928
Tomorrow
—ON THE STAGE—
Smart Wit-Shots in Radio Studio
"LISTEN IN"
Radio Follies, Gay Hilarity, Hosts of Stars
Ada Kaufman Girls
CHICAGO THEATER STAGE ORCHESTRA
BUFFANO, cond.

ORIENTAL
RANDOLPH near STATE
Today
Doors Open 10:30 A. M.
NOON TODAY—PAUL'S CLUB FROLIC
PAUL ASH AND HIS GANG IN
"RESOLUTIONS OF 1928"
On the Screen—
ESTHER RALSTON in "Spotlight"
Tomorrow
Paul ASH
HIMSELF
and his merry-mad musical gang
PICKINGS from PARIS
Oo-La-La! The things Paul learned about those Parisian Mademoiselles. The dazzling sights he saw on the boulevards—C'est Ca—Oui, Oui and then some!
with DON HUMBERT
HELEN KENNEDY
Earl Lavers, Paul Small, Paul's Parisian Dancing Beauties, Others
on the screen
A French Love Salad Flavored with Romance and Peppered with Thrills
FRENCH DRESSING
H. B. Warner
Lois Wilson
Clive Brook
A First National Picture

UPTOWN
BROADWAY at LAWRENCE
Today
Doors Open 12:30 P. M.
CHRISTMAS STAGE SHOW
BENNIE KRUEGER and Orch.
BEBE DANIELS, Richard Arlen
in 'SHE'S A SHEIK"
Tomorrow
Frankie Masters
And Orchestra with Stars in
"MOONLIT WATERS"
HELEN YORKE, Sammy Lewis
MYRIO, DESHA and BARTE
Fountleroy and Van, Petroff Ballet
on the screen
CLARA BOW
With Chas. Rogers in French marriage tangle and Parisian laugh-wrangle.
"GET YOUR MAN"

TIVOLI
COTTAGE GROVE near 63rd ST.
Today
Doors Open 12:30 P. M.
GALA CHRISTMAS STAGE SHOW
FRANKIE MASTERS—70 people on stage
RICHARD DIX in "THE GAY DEFENDER"
Tomorrow
Bennie Krueger
With His Orchestra in Sensation Show!
"SHADOWLAND"
Al. and Gussie Blum, Roy Rogers,
Aerial Ballet, "Flying Piano"
FOSTER VENUS-ATHLETES
on the screen
CLARA BOW
IN SPICY FRENCH LOVE-TANGLE
"Get Your Man"
CENTRAL PARK 3535 ROOSEVELT RD.
5 Big Acts Vaudeville
ESTHER RALSTON
RICHARD ARLEN in "FIGURES DON'T LIE"

NORSHORE
BROADWAY and CLARK
Doors open 1 p. m. Attend the matinee
Happiness and syncopation unrestrained
AL KVALE
and his jazz collegians
in a rollicking, rousing stage revel
"HELLO, 1928"
West, Lake and Kane, Hines and Leonard, Lester Brothers, Babe Carter, Others
on the screen
RICHARD DIX
in a story of bold Americanos and dashing Dons
"The GAY DEFENDER"

McVICKERS
MADISON near STATE
9 A. M., CONTINUOUS
When you're not shivering with fright, you'll be howling with laughter. It's that kind of a superlative production
The GORILLA
It will get you and grip you the way it gripped thousands of amazed Chicagoans thus far
SEE IT TODAY
A First National Picture
WHERE THE HELL IS MULLIGAN?

ROOSEVELT
STATE near WASHINGTON
JOHN GILBERT
Doors open 9 a. m.
NO LOVERS EVER LIVED SO PASSIONATE AND RAPTUROUS A ROMANCE BEFORE
"LOVE"
GRETA GARBO
Filmed in splendor from Tolstoi's ANNA KARENINA
EVERYBODY IS TALKING ABOUT IT
A Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer Picture

W-G-N TO SELL TIME ON AIR TO ADVERTISERS

High Costs of Programs Forces New Policy.

BY FRANK HINMAN.

THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE today announces a new radio policy—a policy which will mean better entertainment and better service to the radio listener. This policy, simply stated, is that the paper is to inaugurate a schedule of sponsored programs on its station, W-G-N. In other words, it proposes "to sell time" to advertisers.

The radio industry has awakened to the fact that its program development has not kept pace with the advancements in other branches of the art, and that, unless it takes immediate steps to improve its entertainment and service features, its future will be threatened.

High Cost of Production.

One of the obstacles in the face of program advancement has been the ever increasing cost of program production. It was only a couple of years ago that station directors spent most of their time shooing aspiring young artists, begging for a chance to be heard on the air, out of their office. Now, program standards having been raised, they spend most of their time trying to get a high quality of entertainment at a reasonable figure.

Station owners have come face to face with the fact that the radio audience is no longer satisfied with the usual run of programs and if listener interest is to be maintained, there must be an immediate improvement. To make possible this improvement and to provide the enormous sum necessary to carry it through, THE TRIBUNE proposes to make its programs partially self-supporting by selling a portion of its daytime and evening hours to advertisers.

The New Plans.

Under the new arrangement, daytime hours for the broadcasting of advertising programs will be available between 9 in the morning and 6 at night. Evening hours during the week will be between 7 and 11 o'clock and Sunday from 4 to 11. The advertising rate is higher in the evening than in the daytime in consideration of the wider audience the station reaches during the evening hours.

Incidental with the announcement of this change in policy comes the news that a program service department is being organized under the supervision of Henry Selinger, program director of W-G-N, which will be able to furnish the finest programs on the air. A host of the best artists and musicians in Chicago, as well as many novelty performers, will be made available to the advertiser in planning his program. Strict supervision will be maintained over these sponsored programs to make certain that they meet the same high quality which has distinguished W-G-N's broadcasts in the past.

Inside the Loud Speaker

BY QUIN A. RYAN.
[W-G-N Announcer.]

ANYBODY who would try to sell a radio announcer a radio set would try to sell Columbus real estate.

But they do. Uh-huh!

They ought to know that I spend all my spare time with my bicycle.

The fiery salesmen send me letters and invite me to parties that came off last Tuesday. They meet me with their friends and tell 'em how they've known me ever since we went to college together—and then introduce me as Uncle Bob of KYW. They tell me what a spell I cast on their neighbor's canary.

Everybody has to make a living, 'tis true—but they ought to know that I'm not a fireman who loafs around the fire station on his one day off a month.

What could I do with a radio set? They send me circulars and folders, and they're nice folders and circulars, but I don't want 'em. If you'll send me your name, I'll have 'em send 'em to you.

The folders tell about the radio sets and they romp along like this:

"Announcing the presentation of the new Baby Wampus. . . . Four models . . . open, closed, bid and asked. . . . Simply plug in your faucet. . . . Picks up New York, Tampa, Seattle, dust and lint. . . . Smokeless and fond of children. . . . Detector so keen that it discovered Santa Claus was Lon Chaney. . . . Dandy set to give away. . . . Can do parlor tricks. . . . You can hook it onto a table, a radiator, or a fire wagon. . . . Hooray!"

The world is full of live prospects for sales, besides radio announcers. Only the other day I compiled a list of hot "leads."

AACHEN
Window Shade Wks 62 W Wash.CEN tri-3449
AADEWEEN
L & r 4316 Drummond pl.....ALB any-8412
AAFLEI J P r 2206 W Kenneth .ALB-any-5043
Oscar T r 5218 Barry av..PAL lsade-4801
AAGAARD
Arthur A r 5414 Ridgewd ct..DOR chstr-7074
Beauty Salon 25 E Washngtn.DEA-rbe-4224
Chester S cut glass
5043 Lincoln av.....WEL lngton-4157
r 5144 N Albany.....JUM lper-0899
Edward J r 1356 N Lorel av..MER lmc-7536
Julius r 6047 Perry av.....NOR mal-3192
Kai r 718 E. 70th.....VIN cus-7575
Laundry Co 600 Root.....*YAR ds-1800
Martin G confty 4306 Hirsch..ALB-any-2450
Otto W r 5144 Albany av....IRV ng-5431
P r. 6826 Dante av.....HYD e Pk-3646
T W r 1334 Birchwd av....BOG rs Pk-1775
W S & Co invest bonds
208 S La S .....*STA te-0770
Walter S Jr ofc 208 S. LaS...STA te-0770
r 20 Cedar .....WEI ishal-4014
AAGARD
Carl r 4015 N. Albany av..KET stone-4031
AAGE Richard L r
6253 Sheridan rd.....BOG rs Pk-1444
AAGEB
Tailoring Co 442 S State.....WAB ash-0655
AAGESEN Carl r
6121 Henderson .....PAL lsade-6286

There they are—and remember who gave them to you, boys.

But leave me out.

Come and show me roller skates
Or anything you sell,
But please don't talk of radios—
Or I shall run lykelie!

BRIDGE LESSONS FROM W-G-N

THE tenth of a series of twenty radio auction bridge games will be broadcast from W-G-N, The Chicago Tribune station on the Drake hotel, Tuesday night at 9 o'clock.

Each game of the series features Milton C. Work and Wilbur C. Whitehead, New York experts, in association with players from other cities in America and Canada. The listeners in are urged to have four players ready with cards and to follow the game bid by bid and play by play with the experts.

The contestants in Tuesday's game are Mrs. Florence C. Douglas of Pittsburgh, Pa., playing with Mr. Work against W. S. Firestone, Cleveland, O., and Mr. Whitehead. The following are the advance hands for game ten:

MR. WORK.
Spades—8, 5, 4.
Hearts—8, 2.
Diamonds—A, Q, 10, 6.
Clubs—K, Q, J, 3.

MR. FIRESTONE.
Spades—K, Q, J, 10, 6.
Hearts—9.
Diamonds — 9, 6, 2.
Clubs—9, 7, 5, 2.

MR. WHITEHEAD.
Spades — A, 7, 4.
Hearts — A, Q, 5, 3.
Diamonds — 7, 5, 4.
Clubs—10, 4, 3.

MRS. DOUGLAS, Dealer.
Spades—9, 3.
Hearts—K, J, 10, 7, 6, 4.
Diamonds—K, J, 3.
Clubs—A, 6.

RADIO BRIDGE devotees heard Milton C. Work himself play a hand as declarer in the ninth radio bridge game broadcast last Tuesday from W-G-N, THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE station on the Drake hotel.

Mr. Work and Mr. Whitehead were paired against two noted players—John H. Smith of Ridgewood, N. J., and Ralph J. Leibenderfer of New York. These were the cards:

Mr. Smith, dealer, south: Spades, Q, J, 7, 4; hearts, A, K, J, 6, 3; diamonds, K, 10; clubs, K, Q. Mr. Work, west, held: Spades, A, K, 8, 5, 2; hearts, none; diamonds, 9, 3; clubs, 10, 9, 8, 6, 5, 2. Mr. Liebenderfer, north, had: Spades, 3; hearts, 10, 9, 7, 4; diamonds, J, 8, 7, 6, 5; clubs, J, 4, 3. Mr. Whitehead, east, had: Spades, 10, 9, 6; hearts, Q, 8, 5, 2; diamonds, A, Q, 4, 2; clubs, A, 7.

Mr. Smith, the dealer, opened the bidding with one heart. Although he had all four suits stopped for a no trump, he preferred to bid his five card major suit, on account of holding two doubletons, which would be a weakness in no trump.

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Mr. Work, west, with a two suited hand, bid one spade, his major suit, in preference to his longer suit of clubs. Mr. Liebenderfer, north, passed, as his hand was too weak for a first round assist of his partner's heart. Mr. Whitehead, east, also passed, well content with his partner's spade bid.

Mr. Smith then went to one no trump, as he had not been assisted in hearts by his partner, and as he himself had two stoppers in the spade suit adversely bid, and stoppers also in diamonds and clubs. Mr. Work passed, although he was strongly tempted to show his clubs. However, he figured that Mr. Smith had bid a heart originally in preference to no trump because of some weakness. This weakness might be in clubs; therefore, by passing and leading clubs, Mr. Work might make a big penalty. On the other hand, by bidding clubs, he might force the enemy back to hearts, and also might mislead his partner into thinking he held some high clubs. Mr. Leibenderfer, at once took his partner out of the no trump by bidding two hearts, a preferential bid which merely showed that he had some support for hearts but none at all for no trump. Mr. Whitehead bid two spades.

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Mr. Smith bid three hearts. After his partner's expression of preference, he gave no further thought to playing the hand at no trump. Mr. Work then bid four clubs. In spite of his partner's spade assist, modern cooperative bidding required him to show the two-suited nature of his hand, thus giving his partner choice between spades and clubs. Mr. Leibenderfer passed, and Mr. Whitehead bid four spades. The strength of his hand fully justified this second assist, although it would be interpreted by his partner, Mr. Work, simply as a preferential bid between clubs and spades.

Mr. Smith doubled four spades. All passed, and Mr. Work became declarer with his contract four spades doubled.

Mr. Leibenderfer led the 4 of hearts, opening his fourth best of his partner's suit. Mr. Whitehead spread his hand for dummy, and Mr. Work played from it the 2 of hearts. Mr. Smith played the 3 of hearts. He could tell his partner's lead was from four cards, and therefore knew that Mr. Work held none and that it was unnecessary for him to cover the heart led. Mr. Work trumped with the 2 of spades.

Mr. Work, studying his two hands to determine his line of play, saw at once that his first objective must be the establishment of his club suit. He must lose one trick in the process. Apparently he also must lose a diamond trick for, from the bidding, the king was clearly marked in Mr. Smith's hand, south. Therefore a finesse of the queen could not succeed, moreover, since Mr. Smith by his no trump bid had shown a stopper or stoppers in spades, it was probable that a trump trick also must be lost. Mr. Work's chance for game depended, therefore, upon his ability to limit his losses to these three tricks.

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To start the establishment of his clubs, Mr. Work at once led his 10, the top of his sequence. Mr. Leibenderfer played the 3; dummy the ace; Mr. Smith the queen.

Dummy returned the 7 of clubs; Mr. Smith played the king; Mr. Work the 2; Mr. Leibenderfer the 4.

Mr. Smith led the king of hearts. Mr. Work, without compensating gain, declined to ruff. Instead he discarded his losing 3 of diamonds. Mr. Leibenderfer played the 7 of hearts; dummy the 5.

Mr. Work's refusal to trump was somewhat disconcerting to Mr. Smith, who was left in the lead with no good card to play. Should he continue with a low heart, declarer would pass the trick up to dummy's queen. Should he play the ace, dummy's queen would be established. A shift to trumps would be unavailing, since declarer, placing Mr. Smith with the queen-jack, would base his play upon the card led. A diamond lead from king-10 alone up to dummy's ace-queen was out of the question.

Mr. Smith therefore decided that the best lead under the circumstances was the ace of hearts, which he played. Although it would result in the establishment of dummy's queen, it would at least force declarer's strong trump hand. Mr. Work trumped with the 5 of spades; Mr. Leibenderfer played the 9 of hearts; dummy the 8.

Mr. Work then led the 5 of clubs; Mr. Leibenderfer played the jack; dummy trumped with the 9 of spades; Mr. Smith discarded the 5 of hearts. Mr. Smith realized that if he overtrumped he could not possibly defeat the contract, for declarer, entering dummy with the ace of diamonds, could then lead through Mr. Smith's remaining trumps, capturing all of them and then making the established clubs.

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Dummy led the queen of hearts; Mr. Smith played the jack; Mr. Work discarded the 6 of clubs; Mr. Leibenderfer played the 10 of hearts. Dummy next led the 10 of spades; Mr. Smith covered with the jack; declarer played the king; Mr. Leibenderfer the 3.

Mr. Work then led the 9 of clubs; Mr. Leibenderfer discarded the 5 of diamonds; and Mr. Smith trumped with the 4 of spades.

Mr. Smith was again forced to make an embarrassing lead, this time away from his tenace either in trumps or in diamonds. Whatever he led declarer must take the remaining tricks. He led the 7 of spades. Mr. Work played the 8; Mr. Leibenderfer discarded the 6 of diamonds; dummy played the 6 of spades.

Mr. Work then led the ace of spades; Mr. Leibenderfer discarded the 7 of diamonds; and Mr. Smith played the queen of spades.

Mr. Work then led his good 8 of clubs; Mr. Leibenderfer discarded the 8 of diamonds; dummy the queen of diamonds; Mr. Smith the 10 of diamonds.

Mr. Work led his 9 of diamonds for the final trick, on which Mr. Leibenderfer played the jack of diamonds; dummy the ace; and Mr. Smith the king.

Mr. Work therefore lost but three tricks. He scored 72 points in the trick score for four spades doubled, and in the honor score 50 points for making his contract and 30 for his three honors.

INTERSECTIONAL GRID GAME ON W-G-N TOMORROW

A feast of football and music is promised to radio listeners by W-G-N, THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE station on the Drake hotel, for tomorrow, in honor of the extra holiday. Broadcasting will start at 12:40 o'clock with the presentation of the luncheon concert by the Drake Concert ensemble and the Blackstone String quintet and music and other features will continue until 11 in the evening.

The famous Tournament of Roses football game, to be played in Los Angeles, provides the sports entertainment for listeners. W-G-N will bring the game to the nation's receiving sets in company with a country-wide chain of stations which are also broadcasting the game. The clash brings together two of the country's championship elevens, Leland Stanford, representing the coast, and Pittsburgh, the east. Graham McNamee, eastern announcer, will be at the microphone.

Another spectacular program of holiday music is promised for the afternoon by Aladdin, the impresario of the Arabian Nights' Entertainment. Henry Selinger and his novelty orchestra will be heard in a seventy-five minute program between 2:30 and 3:45 o'clock. Among the selections to be heard will be music from Victor Herbert's ever popular, "The Fortune Teller." A feature of the program will be the playing of Borodine's "On the Steppes of Central Asia," a selection in which the composer has truly caught the meaning of the vast arid stretches of the eastern plains.

Brilliant programs will also come from New York for broadcasting by W-G-N between 7:30 and 9:30 o'clock. The Gypsies, heard during the first hour, are dedicating their first new year's program to the state of Delaware, and "The Bells of St. Mary's," the favorite selection of Gov. Robinson of Delaware, will be heard. Other numbers include a selection from Gershwin's "Oh Kay," and "Nalla," by Delibes. The Family Party, on the air between 8:30 and 9:30 o'clock, will feature more orchestra music and other novelties.

Other musical features of Monday night include the weekly appearance by the Phantom Violin, the Music Box and a rousing popular show by Art Smith and the Hoodlums on WLIB between 11 and 12:30 o'clock.

BISHOP HUGHES TALKS TONIGHT AT SUNDAY CLUB

The Chicago Sunday Evening club's New Year's message will be given this year by Bishop Edwin H. Hughes of the Methodist Episcopal church, and broadcast from Orchestra hall by WMAQ together with a musical program consisting of favorite anthems appropriate for this season of the year.

"Ring Out Wild Bells," and "The New Year" are among the selections which the choir of 100 will sing. Doris Doe, New York, contralto, will be guest artist. Miss Doe will sing with the choir, and will also give the solo, "God Is Our Refuge," by MacDermid.

Stanley Martin, organist, will play Handel's "Suite from Water Music" during the recital beginning at 7:40.

RADIO PROGRAMS FOR TODAY

Sunday, Jan. 1, 1928. Central Standard Time.

A SPORTS review—a radio moving picture—with flashbacks to the most thrilling sports events of the year will be the New Year's day headliner from W-G-N, THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE station on the Drake hotel. It will go on the air between 3 and 5 o'clock today. Quin Ryan, W-G-N's famous sports announcer, will revive all the thrills attendant on the Kentucky Derby, the Indianapolis auto race, the Dempsey-Tunney fight in Chicago, big league baseball, and one of the year's best football games. And to while away the moments between these athletic dramas, there'll be band music by a brass band.

Mary Lewis, famed soprano of the Metropolitan Opera company, will be the star of a model radio program to be presented tonight on W-G-N during the Atwater Kent hour of music, 8:15 to 9:15 o'clock. She will be assisted by a male chorus of sixteen voices and an orchestra. The program is designed to meet the tastes of thousands of radio listeners as expressed in a census taken recently, one out of five signifying a liking for fine music with a 44 per cent preference for male quartets. The double octet is to sing the Pilgrim's chorus from "Tannhauser," "A Winter Song," and other selections.

Compositions by the Swedish composer, Grieg, will be featured in "Our Music Room," to be heard from W-G-N between 8:15 and 9:15 o'clock tonight. Instrumental selections from Grieg's works include the incidental music to "Peer Gynt," his "Lyric Pieces," and "A Wedding Day in Tolhaugen." These will be offered by the Drake concert ensemble under the direction of Henry Selinger. Leon Benditzky is to play the first movement of the composer's "Concerto in A." There will also be a group of Grieg's songs by Edwin Kemp, tenor.

Tommy Coates, the popular young baritone of W-G-N, will be heard in a twenty minute group of songs tonight between 10:40 and 11 o'clock.

These popular Italian boys, Lawrence and Frank Salerno, will be heard in another of their programs of songs and accordion melodies between 5 and 5:50 o'clock this afternoon on W-G-N. Old Italian folk songs, modern Italian ballads, and a group of popular tunes and accordion solos make up their afternoon's broadcast. The W-G-N studio ensemble is on the same program.

Between 7:30 and 8 o'clock tonight, W-G-N will present a half hour of harmony singing by Correll and Gosden. Eight o'clock will see Auld Sandy, the station's likable Scotch character, beginning his program of Scotch songs and stories.

DETAILS OF TODAY'S W-G-N PROGRAM.
[416.4 Meters—720 Kilocycles.]
12 to 1 p. m.—Uncle Quin reads The Tribune comics to the children.
1 to 3 p. m.—Studio program.
3 to 5 p. m.—1927 sports review by Quin Ryan.
5 to 5:50 p. m.—The Salernos, assisted by the W-G-N ensemble.
6 to 6:10 p. m.—The Million Sing.
6:20 to 6:50 p. m.—Uncle Quin's Punch and Judy.
6:50 to 7:30 p. m.—Old-Fashioned Almanack and Bible reading; incidental music by the Drake concert ensemble and Blackstone string quintet.
7:30 to 8 p. m.—Correll and Gosden.
8 to 8:15 p. m.—Auld Sandy.
8:15 to 9:15 p. m.—Program from New York.
9:15 to 10 p. m.—Our Music Room.
10 to 10:10 p. m.—Tomorrow's Tribune.
10:10 to 10:40 p. m.—The Music Box.
10:40 to 11 p. m.—Songs by Tommy Coates, baritone.

WLIB PROGRAM

The laughable days of the nickelodeons, with their blood 'n' thunder "mellerdramas" and the "can can" piano, will be brought back to radio listeners tonight on WLIB, the Liberty Weekly station on the Drake hotel, during the jazz jamboree which starts at 11 o'clock. Listeners will hear the announcer reading the movies subtitles, while the piano bangs out gunshots, the war whoops of the attacking redskins, and the cowboy's romance when "came the dawn." Other features of the evening include snappy dance tunes by a studio orchestra, songs and instrumental solos.

LOCAL PROGRAMS

6:30 a. m.—WMAQ [448]. Y. M. C. A. exercises. 7:30—Morning worship. 8—Music.
7:30—WJJD [366]. Catholic and Protestant services.
10—WMAQ [448]. Organ recital from People's church.
10:30—WGES [242]. Services of Austin Methodist Episcopal church, James L. Gardiner.
10:36—WEBH [365]. Church services, Seventh Church of Christ, Scientist.
10:45—WMAQ [448]. Services from People's church of Chicago; the Rev. Preston Bradley, pastor.
10:50—KYW [526]. Central church services, Orchestra hall; Frederick F. Shannon, minister; music under direction of Dr. Daniel Protheroe. Christmas program.
11:36—WGES [242]. High mass from Our Lady of Sorrows church.
12:15—WLS [345]. Concert: WLS players.
1:30—Cross Roads Sunday school.
12:36—WMAQ [448]. Musical program; vocal.
1 p. m.—KYW [526]. Chain program from New York. 2—Concert. 4:30—Radio vesper services.
2—WMAQ [448]. Columbia chain program.
4—Sextet; vocal.
2:15—WGES [242]. Theater program. 3—Request program.
4—WLS [345]. Little Brown Church in the Vale.
7—WMAQ [448]. Chicago Sunday Evening club. Informal Bible talk, "Tales of Friendship," by Clifford W. Barnes. Soloist, Mark Love. 8—Address, "Words," by Bishop Edwin H. Hughes. Methodist Episcopal church, Chicago. Choir of 100. Guest artist, Doris Doe, New York.
7:15—KYW [526]. Chain program from New York. 8:17—20 minutes of good reading. 9:15—New York program.
7:30—WGES [242]. Music. 8:15—Travel talk.
9—WGES [242]. Feature; studio program.
9:15—WMAQ [448]. Columbia chain program. 10—Program.
11:36—WGES [242]. Orchestra. Studio program.

W-G-N QUIZ BOX

Here are the answers to three questions broadcast last night over W-G-N, The Tribune radio station. Three questions are asked and answered in the following morning's Tribune:

What is the capital of Russia and what was it called before the European war? Answer—Petrograd, formerly called St. Petersburg.

Where is Trafalgar square? Answer—In London.

In what state does the poinsettia grow abundantly? Answer—California.

JOE COOK, ONE MAN VAUDEVILLE, ON W-G-N TUESDAY

With Joe Cook as its principal attraction and virtual master of ceremonies, the atmosphere of pink lemonade and flying rings, of sawdust arenas and tumbling clowns will hover about the major portion of the program to be broadcast Tuesday evening from W-G-N, THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE station on the Drake hotel at 8 o'clock. A circus episode written especially for the entertainment will offer Cook, who is known as "the one man vaudeville show," plenty of latitude for his expansive comic sense.

Joe will offer, among other numbers, an explanation of why he cannot imitate four Hawaiians, his famous "baseball story," and a rendition of that celebrated folk song, "Frankie and Johnny," as rewritten by himself and "Bugs" Baer.

In addition to the foregoing, and just to show that he can present as diversified a program on the air as on the stage, Joe plans to take his radio audience into his confidence regarding a secret radio set, with television attachments, that he has invented. In Broadway parlance, this set, or at any rate Joe's explanation of it, is said to be a "wow."

CHURCH NEWS

Pulpits Send Out New Year's Message

By The Rev. W. B. Norton.

GOOD morning, January first, 1928!

Christmas is not only a holiday but the long period preceding Christmas is full of preparation, anticipation, and the spirit of giving and entertainment. January first brings the churches face to face with the future. January is the month for board meetings, educational conventions, teacher training in the Sunday school, and all kinds of serious programs. Read the religious editorial in today's issue by Dr. John A. Earl, editor of The Baptist, and after you have studied his one fundamental resolve make resolves of your own.

This evening at the Sunday Evening club at Orchestra hall Bishop Edwin H. Hughes of the Chicago area of the Methodist Episcopal church will give a New Year's message. From the pulpits of all the churches pastors will be giving messages like the one announced by the Rev. James O'May of the Sheridan Road Methodist Episcopal church, "Facing the East."

A Happy New Year to all readers of THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE!

A college in the loop under the joint auspices of University college and the Chicago Council of Religious Education, a department of the Chicago Church federation, will be held, the first course beginning tomorrow evening at University college, 116 South Michigan boulevard. The teacher will be Prof. Norman E. Richardson of Northwestern university and the subject will be, "How to Understand Youth." The course continues twelve weeks, Mondays and Thursdays, from 7 to 9 p. m.

The next course will be taught by Prof. Ernest J. Chave of the University of Chicago, and the subject will be "How to Organize Religious Education." It will begin next Saturday, 11 a. m. to 1 p. m., and will continue Saturdays for twenty-four weeks. One major college credit will be given for each course.

A third course taught by Prof. W. C. Bower of the University of Chicago will have for its subject, "How to Teach Religion" and will begin April 2, continuing for twelve weeks.

There will be eleven leadership training schools at the following centers: Englewood, Morgan Park, South Chicago, Oak Park, Chicago Lawn, Cicero, Irving Park, Wilmette, Evanston, Edgewater and West Central district. For cost, leaders of the centers and other details consult the Chicago Council of Religious Education, 77 West Washington street, telephone Central 0681.

Dr. Robert Clements, pastor of the Austin Presbyterian church, who has just led in a $25,000 improvement on the church building, has been elected associate superintendent of the Chicago church extension board. A reorganization of the board was made necessary by the leaving of Dr. W. Clyde Smith, who has gone to San Francisco to assume the duties of extension secretary there. Dr. Clements has not accepted his new election and said he could not without further considering the question. If he accepts he will become associate superintendent with Dr. Henry Seymour Brown.

Dr. Roy E. Vale, who has been ill for many months, has been granted an extension of absence from the pulpit of the First Presbyterian church, Oak Park, until April 1. He has so far recovered that he had decided to renew his pastoral duties today, but the church thought it wiser for him to remain in Florida, where he now is, during the winter months.

A lecture will be broadcast by Prof. Harris F. Rall of Garrett Biblical institute, Evanston, tomorrow at 1 o'clock by station WCFL from Grace Methodist Episcopal church, Chicago. The subject will be "Christian Unity and the Early Church." The institute, which has an enrollment of more than 400 students, has voted to raise the standard of work required for the granting of the bachelor of divinity degree by discontinuing the present system, generally followed by seminaries, of accepting toward the divinity degree any undergraduate work in theological or semi-theological subjects done in college. This move is pioneer work among the seminaries of the Methodist Episcopal church.

The new arrangement will make the time required for graduation from college and seminary a little longer, but permits of more thorough training. Another advance step is that every student must take a general examination at the end of his three years' course.

Bishop Edwin H. Hughes of the Chicago area of the Methodist Episcopal church will give the New Year's message at 8 o'clock this evening at the Sunday Evening club at Orchestra hall. President Clifford W. Barnes will speak at 7. Doris Doe, New York City, will be the guest soloist with the choir of 100.

The national educational program of the Anti-Saloon league will be launched throughout the United States on Sunday and Monday, Jan. 15 and 16. Sermons by pastors will explain the American creed on prohibition and on Monday, the eighth anniversary of the passing of the eighteenth amendment, the subject will be, "Christian and American Foundation of the Eighteenth Amendment and Responsibility of the Christian Church and American Citizens for Its Maintenance and Enforcement."

The Rt. Rev. Seldon M. Griswold, suffragan bishop of the Chicago Episcopal diocese, recently recovered from a long illness, will be honored next Sunday on the occasion of the twenty-fifth anniversary of his consecration. The date is also the 67th anniversary of his birth, and the 11th anniversary of his installation as suffragan bishop of Chicago.

He will be the guest at St. Mark's church, Evanston, in the morning and at 4:30 p. m. lay readers of Chicago will conduct a celebration at the Church of the Messiah, 82d street and Dante avenue. On Monday morning, Jan. 9, there will be a gathering at St. Mark's church, Evanston, at 11 o'clock, followed by a luncheon in Bishop Griswold's honor.

The Rev. William A. Sunday, D. D., better known as Billy Sunday, the evangelist, will begin today a series of meetings for six days at the Methodist Episcopal church, 34th street, west of Oak Park avenue, Berwyn, Ill. Dr. Sunday will preach today at 10:45 a. m., 2:30 p. m., and 8 p. m.; tomorrow until Friday night he will speak daily at 2 p. m. and 8 p. m.

While the meetings are held in the Methodist church, all the churches of Berwyn have promised to cooperate and the church has arranged for an audience of 2,000 people. From Berwyn Billy Sunday will go to St. Louis, where he will begin next week an extensive revival campaign.

Special revival services to continue every evening except Saturday will begin today at the Immanuel Baptist church, 23d street and South Michigan avenue. The pastor, the Rev. Robert V. Meigs, will preach and conduct the services, assisted by various committees, composed of the deacons, other church officers and the young people's society.

The regular choir committee will have charge of the music. This is the first special revival campaign conducted by the church since the one led by the girl evangelist, Uldine Utley, last March.

SERMONS AND SERVICES IN CHICAGO CHURCHES TODAY



THE VERY REV. JAMES W. DONAHUE, C. S. C.
[McDonald Studio Photo.]

The feast day of the Holy Name will be observed this evening at 8 o'clock at Holy Name Cathedral, North State and East Superior streets. It is the most important day on the calendar of the Holy Name society of the archdiocese union of Chicago. It has come to be known as Holy Name day.

The special speaker on this occasion is the Very Rev. James W. Donahue, C. S. C., superior general of the Congregation of Holy Cross, Notre Dame, Ind. His eminence Cardinal Mundelein will be present and it is expected he will make a brief address to the members of the society. The Rt. Rev. E. F. Hoban, D. D., is the general spiritual director of the society and will be in general charge.

Father Donahue was born in St. Columbkille's parish, Chicago, the same parish in which Bishop Hoban was born. As superior general of the Congregation of Holy Cross, his jurisdiction extends over all the works of the congregation, which now has establishments in the United States, France, Italy, India, and Canada. The University of Notre Dame, which is the mother house, is the best known establishment in the United States.

NOTICE.

Announcements for this column must reach THE TRIBUNE by Thursday morning. Address Religious Editor, THE TRIBUNE, Chicago.

ADVENT CHRISTIAN.

Blessed Hope, Crenshaw-st. and Karlov-av. The Rev. A. F. Bloom. 11 a. m.: "The Days That Are Past." 7:30 p. m.: Miss Hannah Stocks.

ADVENTIST.

First German, Roscoe-st. and Claremont-av. Pastor Patzouaki. 8 p. m.: "New Year Resolutions."

Greek, 619 S. Ashland-blvd. Pastor N. S. Pappas. 8 p. m.: "Destiny of Man."

Shiloh, St. Lawrence-av. at 46th-st. Pastor G. Peters. 8 p. m. [colored].

West Central, Waller-av. and Midway-pk. Pastor A. R. Bohn. 8 p. m.: "In One Hundred Forty-Four Thousand of Revelation."

AMERICAN CATHOLIC.

St. Cecelia's Oratory, Garrick hall, 64 W. Randolph-st. Mass and sermon. 10:30 a. m.

St. Joseph's, 2219 N. Mansfield-av. Mass. 10:30 a. m.

St. Mary of Nazareth, 4417 N. Mulligan-av. Mass. 10:30 a. m.

BAPTIST.

Belden Avenue, 2309 N. Halsted-st. The Rev. J. W. Hoyt. 11 a. m., "A New Year's Message—the Responsibility of Leadership." 7:45 p. m., "How to Make a Success in 1928."

First, 935 E. 50th-st. The Rev. Perry J. Stackhouse. 11 a. m.: "Christ in the Common Things of Life." 8 p. m.: "A New Year's Sermon."

Garfield Park, 4100 Jackson-blvd. The Rev. E. A. Shulls. 11 a. m.: "The Question of Bookkeeping." 7:45 p. m.: "What the New Year Should Mean for Us."

Hyde Park, 5600 Woodlawn-av. The Rev. Charles W. Gilkey. 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

Immanuel, 2320 S. Michigan-av. The Rev. Johnson Myers. 11 a. m. The Rev. Robert Van Meigs. "The New Year's Work." 7:45 p. m.: "Eternal Reasons for a Revival."

Irving Park, 4401 Irving Park-blvd. The Rev. G. C. Crippen. 11 a. m.

Madison, Audubon-blvd. and Potomac-av. The Rev. Joseph Croft Dent. 11 a. m.: "A New Year's Motto." 7:45 p. m.: "How to Be Successful."

Memorial, 73d-st. and St. Lawrence-av. The Rev. Charles B. Althoff. 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. ["The Sovereign Cure for Worry." Dr. A. R. E. Wyant].

North Shore, Berwyn-av. at Lakewood. The Rev. H. W. Virgin. 11 a. m.: "I Am Resolved." 8 p. m.: "Has Protestantism Failed?"

Normal Park, 70th-st. and Stewart-av. The Rev. M. M. McGorrill. 11 a. m.: "Practical Suggestions for the New Year."

Second, Jackson-blvd. at Lincoln-st. The Rev. Ralph A. Jensen. 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.: "Thinking One's Way."

Tabernacle, Monroe and Spaulding. The Rev. S. J. Reid. 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Temple Baptist, Humboldt-blvd. The Rev. Henry G. Smith. 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

Western Avenue, Western and Warren-avs. The Rev. Alfred C. Drummond. 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Woodlawn, 62d-st. and University-av. The Rev. M. P. Boynton. 10:30 a. m.: "The Last Days." 7:30 p. m.: "The New Way."

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.

Subject in all churches: "God."

First, 4017 Drexel-blvd. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Second, Wrightwood-av. at Pine Grove. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Fourth, Harvard-st. and Marquette-rd. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Fifth, 4840 Dorchester-av. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Sixth, 11321 Prairie-av. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Seventh, 5318 Kenmore-av. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Eighth, 4850 S. Michigan-av. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Ninth, 6154 Woodlawn-av. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Tenth, 5640 Blackstone-av. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Eleventh, 2840 Logan-blvd. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Twelfth, 635 Grace-st. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Thirteenth, 10917 Longwood-dr. 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Fourteenth, Sunnyside-av. and Paulina-st. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Fifteenth, 301 N. Central-av., Austin. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Sixteenth, 7201 N. Ashland-av. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Seventeenth, the Masonic Hall temple, 32 W. Randolph-st. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Eighteenth, corner E. 73d-st. and Coles-av. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

CONGREGATIONAL.

Argyle Community, 5018 Kenmore-av. The Rev. J. S. Ainslie. 11 a. m.: "Another Year. What Shall It Be?"

First, Oak Park. The Rev. Albert W. Palmer. 10:45 a. m.: "Ideals for the New Year." 7:30 p. m.: Apollo Musical club, "The Messiah."

First, East Chicago, Ind. The Rev. Walter H. Moore. 10:45 a. m.: The Rev. John X. Miller, Panumali school, India.

Irving Park Immanuel, Berteau-av. at N. Troy-st. The Rev. Clarence B. Gould. 11 a. m.: "The Price of a Happy New Year." 8 p. m.: "Religion and Music."

New England, 569 N. Dearborn-st. The Rev. John Rushton Heyworth. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

New First, Washington and Ashland-blvds. The Rev. Walter Amds Morgan. 10:30 a. m.: "Christianity and Great Vocations: Law and Human Life." 7:30 p. m.: Pageant.

South Drexel-blvd. at 40th-st. The Rev. W. F. Slade. 10:45 a. m.: "A Beautiful Life." and 7:30 p. m.: "Pressing Onward."

Warren Avenue, Warren and Albany-avs. The Rev. W. H. North. 10:45 a. m.: "A New Year's Affirmation."

Wellington Avenue, Wellington-av. near Broadway. The Rev. George S. Mills. 11 a. m.: "Holding Fast."

DISCIPLES OF CHRIST.

Evanston, Maple-av. and Greenleaf-st. The Rev. Clark W. Cummings. 11 a. m.: "Christ the Finality," and 7:30 p. m.

Irving Park, Kildare-av. at Cullom. The Rev. Robert C. Lemon. 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Jackson Boulevard, 2421 W. Jackson-blvd. The Rev. Charles R. Oakley. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

North Shore, Magnolia at Ainslie. The Rev. C. W. Longman. 11 a. m.: "This New Year."

EPISCOPAL.

All Saints, Wilson and Hermitage-avs. The Rev. Floyd F. Bernard. 7:30, 9:30, and 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m.

Atonement, 5749 Kenmore-av. The Rev. Alfred Newberry. 7:30, 8:30 and 10:30 a. m.

Advent, 2900 Logan-blvd. The Rev. Gerald G. Moore. 7:30 and 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Calvary, 3160 Monroe-st. The Rev. H. R. Neely. 7:30, 9:30, and 11 a. m. and 4:30 p. m.: "Near East Relief."

Cathedral Shelter, Washington-blvd. and Peoria-st. The Rev. David E. Gibson. Masses at 7:30, and 11 a. m.

Christ, 6500 Woodlawn. The Rev. Francis Nitchie. 6:30, 7:30 and 11 a. m., and 7:45 p. m.

Church of the Ascension, 1133 N. La Salle-st. The Rev. William B. Stoskopf. Masses 8, 9:15, and 11 a. m. Evensong and benediction, 7:30 p. m.

Church of the Epiphany, Ashland-blvd., at Adams-st. The Rev. John F. Plummer. 7:30, 9:45, and 11 a. m.

Church of the Holy Apostles, Leland and Drake-avs. The Rev. J. H. Dennis. 7:30, 9:30, and 11 a. m.

Church of the Incarnation, W. 102d-st. and Parnell-av. The Rev. M. B. Williams. 10 and 11 a. m., and 5 p. m.

Church of Our Savior, 530 Fullerton-pkwy. The Rev. Frederick L. Gratiot. 8 and

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JANUARY 1, 1928.

Busy Year Predicted for Uncle Sam, the Builder, During '28

HUGE PRODUCE CENTER SLATED FOR SOUTH SIDE

To Occupy 10 Acres; Cost $5,000,000.

BY PHILIP HAMPSON.

Provided our country's farmers keep on the job, Father Dearborn's south side offspring need never take up the popular old army refrain, "When do we eat?" For there were announced yesterday plans for a $5,000,000 south central wholesale produce market which for many years to come should be able to keep south siders' pantries stocked with fresh foods.



FRANK J. O'BRIEN.

This market is to occupy ten acres of ground extending three blocks along the south side of 89th street between State street and Indiana avenue. It will be bounded on the south by 89th place.

Here's the idea. The market will consist of two long one story buildings facing on 89th street and 89th place. Each will be divided into 46 stalls, with a total of 92 for 92 merchants. These merchants will receive their foodstuffs—vegetables, fruits, chickens, ducks, geese, butter, eggs, and so on—direct by rail from the farmers, and they in turn will wholesale to the south side retailers. The method of operation will be similar to that of the South Water street and other markets.

Will Be Vermin Proof.

William L. Hoffman is architect for the project. The buildings are to be of steel and concrete, with fireproof and vermin proof materials used throughout. The entire outside is to be of white enamel brick, with green enamel brick courses employed to bring forth a bit of color. According to promoters of the project, all the buildings are to be kept spotless and if a speck of dirt shows itself doubtless the entire police and fire departments will be called out to chase it.

Each stall is to have its own refrigerator room and will be equipped with labor saving devices that will enable one man to handle from two to four carloads of produce a day. Foundations will be laid to carry an additional story if the occupant of any stall requires additional space.

Speed Is Emphasized.

A study has been made of the leading produce markets of the country and the new development has been designed so as to permit merchants to shop around amongst the various wholesalers with as little delay as possible. Each stall will have a minimum storage capacity of ten cars and they are arranged to permit retailers to load and get away quickly. There will be a private street 75 feet wide between the two buildings. Service platforms along the buildings will be protected by a currugated asbestos and cement tile canopy which will allow fail delivery during inclement weather. It is said merchants will be able to get to and back from the market in an hour and a half.

The market is based on a nine mile radius, with its territory going as far north as 39th street and including such suburbs as Gary, Hammond, etc. It will serve some 2,000,000 consumers. The Hammond junction yard of the Chicago Belt Line railway, with a capacity of 1,500 cars daily, is adjacent and it will be connected with the market by switch tracks.

It is also planned to include in the project a separate bank building at the corner of State and 89th, which structure will also contain club rooms and offices, and a 200 truck garage at Indiana and 89th.

To Be Sold Like "Co-ops."

The stalls are to be sold on a cooperative basis. Frank J. O'Brien, vice president of McKey & Poague, is to have charge of their sale and has organized a special department under the charge of Harry Hoffman. The method of sale will be similar to that employed in the sale of cooperative apartments.

Details of financing are to be announced later. Work is scheduled to start shortly. It is stated the investment in land, buildings and equipment will total $5,000,000.

Frank H. T. Potter is handling all the legal details for the South Central Realty and Development company. Chandler & Montague represented the owners of the site, the Healy White Realty Trust. McKey & Poague, Inc., are exclusive sales agents.

REALTORS PLAN ANNUAL DINNER SANS SPEECHES

An almost speechless banquet is the novelty promised realtors who attend the annual festivities of the Oak Park Real Estate board on Monday, Jan. 9th, at the Golden Pumpkin cafe at Madison and Hamlin. President Ted R. Leth will sing his "Swan Song" and there'll be greetings by the new president. "No other speakers" reads the announcement. There'll be special entertainment, dancing and cards after the nine course dinner, until 1:30 a. m.

According to Mrs. W. H. Wright, member of the banquet committee, national and state executives and also the entire active membership of various suburban real estate boards have been invited.

TWO GOOD SIZED NORTH SIDE PROJECTS OF THE WEEK





On the left is the nineteen story coöperative apartment building to be erected at 222 East Chestnut street, just east of and adjoining the Seneca hotel, by the Chestnut Street Building corporation, from plans by Riesman & Hirschfeld, as told in The Tribune of Dec. 16. Charles Kemp made the sketch shown. H. O. Stone & Co. have underwritten an $800,000 bond issue. Work is to start this week. There'll be thirty-six suites of six and seven rooms.

The building on your right is the new Lincoln hotel, work on which has started at the intersection of Clark street, Lincoln avenue, and Wells street. The hotel will face north, so that in the picture above Clark street is on your left and Wells on your right. Loewenberg & Loewenberg are the architects. The total cost of land, building, and furnishings is placed at over a million dollars. The hotel will have 300 rooms.

Urges O. O. of Loop Buildings Twice Yearly

Calling attention to the fact that loop pedestrians recently have had narrow escapes from falling pieces of building material, loosened by weather conditions, Leon E. Stanhope, president of the Illinois Society of Architects, urges at least two annual inspections made of loop buildings by the property owners. These should be done by a skilled inspector or under the direction of the architect of the building, he suggests.



LEON E. STANHOPE. [Moffett Photo.]

"In a recent issue of THE TRIBUNE," writes Mr. Stanhope, "I noted the following: 'Several persons on their way home from motion picture theaters in the vicinity had narrow escapes last night when a piece of ornamental stone work, weighing about 100 pounds, fell from above a window on the eighteenth floor of the Union Trust Company building, Madison and Dearborn streets, to the sidewalk. Several men were walking on the sidewalk at the time but none was hurt.'

Blames Climate.

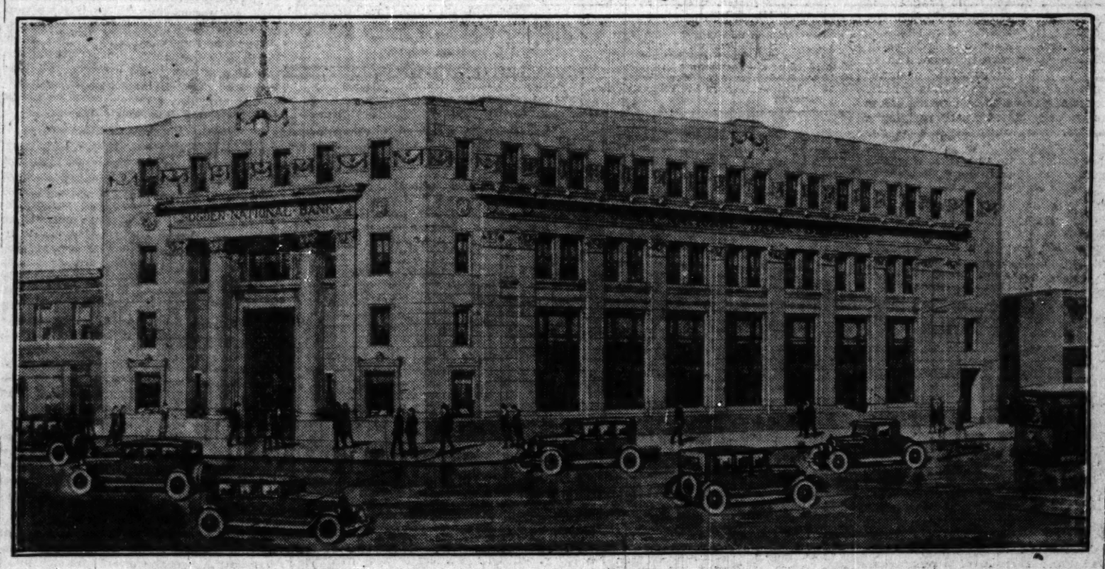
"This falling stone is not a rare occurrence in the loop district. In a climate similar to ours, where we have great extremes in temperature as well as in dry and moist conditions, this alternate freezing and thawing, becoming wet and then again drying out of the joints between the individual places, causing projecting moldings and members, whether of brick, stone, terra cotta, and even cast iron, to loosen and, unless checked by wedging, anchoring, and repointing, to finally fall away from the building.

"I cannot urge too strongly upon the owners of property to have at least two annual inspections made of all cornices, parapet walls and projections. These inspections should be made annually, preferable about April 1 and Oct. 1, by a skilled inspector under the direction of the architect of the building.

Calls It Only Remedy.

"Under our municipal code, the commissioner of buildings, is intrusted with the duty of inspection of buildings annually, but it is a physical impossibility for the personnel of the department of buildings to cover an area as large as the city of Chicago with the force of inspectors allowed them, and the only remedy that can safeguard the public is the inspection of buildings semi-annually by a competent inspector employed by the owner of the building.

WHERE PENNIES GROW TO DOLLARS



Above is the new home which the Ogden National bank will erect at the southeast corner of Ogden and Crawford avenues. K. M. Vitzthum & Co. designed the structure. Work is to start this month, and the building is to represent an investment of $225,000, it is stated.

HENRY HARRELL HEADS DU PAGE CO. REALTORS

Henry L. Harrell, of Harrell & Allmart, Wheaton and Glen Ellyn realtors, was elected president of the Du Page County Real Estate board at its annual meeting at the Dutch grill in Glen Ellyn on Wednesday. B. C. Downs was named first vice president. Other vice presidents are: Otto Balgemann of Elmhurst, O. J. Roath of Lombard, John J. Wozencraft of Glen Ellyn, Alfred C. Hoy of Wheaton, Monroe Crist of Naperville, William Blodgett of Downers Grove, and George Beaton of Hinsdale. Howard P. Jones of Downers Grove was reelected secretary and treasurer.



HENRY L. HARRELL.

The Du Page County Real Estate Board, is composed of realtors living in the principal communities in the county.

Ogden National Bank Will Erect a $225,000 Building

The Ogden National bank announces that it will build a new home at the southeast corner of Ogden and Crawford avenues, and leave its present quarters at 3716-18 Ogden, where it has been since its organization in 1912.

K. M. Vitzthum & Co. have drawn the plans for the new structure which is to be of the architecture favored by bankers, namely, classic. The building is to be three stories high and will be faced with Bedford stone on a granite base.

The banking room is to extend through two floors. It, too, will follow the decorative styles approved by bankers, so bronze and marble will be found in abundance in the room where the clinking and rustling of money provide such pleasant music. There will be mezzanine floors at the front and rear of the banking floor.

Officers of the bank like the safety deposit vault equipment in the basement of the present building so well that they will move it to their new home.

The second and third floors of the structure are to be rented out for offices, mainly to doctors and dentists.

Work is to start on the new structure some time this month. It is estimated that the cost of the building will be $225,000. The lot is 50x133 feet.

Frank Ramsford is president of the bank. Barnet L. Rosset is chairman of the board; Max Wollenberg is vice chairman, and Charles R. Corbett is vice president.

Crown Point Man Buys Building at 5618 Drexel

Cleon Burner has sold to Simon McGinley of Crown Point, Ind., the building at 5618 Drexel avenue, containing two stores and fourteen flats. The price was not disclosed, but the sale was made subject to $15,000. A farm near Crown Point was given in part payment at $43,000. Joseph C. Ficklin was broker and D. W. Murphy of McKay & Poague acted for the buyer.

FORMER HEAD OF LOOP BANK TO SELL REALTY

William M. Richards, until recently president of the Lake State bank [now the Old Dearborn State bank] has become associated with the firm of George S. Ballard & Co., realtors, in the First National bank building, and will devote his time to the sale, leasing and financing of business property. Mr. Richards has been identified with the banking business in Chicago for more than twenty-five years, having been with the American Trust and Savings bank for several years, later going to the Chicago Savings Bank and Trust company, from which institution he resigned as cashier in 1919 and organized the Lake State bank.



WILLIAM M. RICHARDS. [National Art Bureau Photo.]

Tall Inn for Clark Facing Lincoln Park

The Lincoln is the name of a new twelve story hotel which is being erected on North Clark street across from Lincoln park. The site measures 90 feet on Clark, 81 feet on Lincoln, and 83 feet on Wells, and is at the northern extremity of the small block which is bounded on the south by Menominee.

There will be 300 rooms, each with private bath, in the new hostelry, which, it is stated, will represent an investment of $1,050,000 in land, building and furnishings.

Loewenberg & Loewenberg are the architects for the structure which will be of Georgian design. The first three stories will be of stone, while those above will be of face brick laid in English cross bond. Brick laid in this manner permits pleasing contrasts in color in the façade. Along the roof line will be a number of balusters and carved rosettes typical of Georgian architecture.

A Turkish Bath.

There will be an elaborate lobby and a lounge on the ground floor, while stories will face on the street fronts. In the basement will be found a Turkish bath establishment which will be run in conjunction with the hotel.

The structure will be surmounted by an apartment bungalow. One part of the roof will be made into an Italian garden which will be open for use by the guests of the hotel.

Street Is Changing.

It is interesting to note that the Lincoln is the third major improvement on Clark street between North avenue and Center street, completed in the last few years, of a type that is changing the appearance of that thoroughfare. The others are the Moody church, near North avenue, and the Odgen Plaza hotel at Center. The Lincoln replaces an old hotel which has just been wrecked.

Thomas Hennessey, who operates the Wacker hotel and the Norwell Apartment hotel, has leased the new structure for a term of years and will run it. The owners are the Clark-Lincoln Building corporation. Rosenberg & Lurie represented all parties in the purchase of the site, while Epstein & Feiwell were attorneys for the building corporation. Albert Pick & Co. have been given the contract for the furnishings.

Ready to Tell Realtors About North Side Market

John J. Ready Jr. of Ready & Cormack will give the first lecture of the year, Tuesday evening, Jan. 3, before the class in real estate fundamentals of the Y. M. C. A. college of commerce. He will talk on "Chicago's North Side Real Estate Market." This course is given in conjunction with the Chicago Real Estate board.

CONSTRUCTION IN CHICAGO AREA MAY BEAT 1927

Forum Predictions Are Cheerful.

BY AL CHASE.
[Real Estate Editor.]

Uncle Sam, the builder, is not going to slow up any in his wielding of hammer, saw and other tools he's been using at high speed throughout the nation for several years, according to a prediction just made in the annual building forecast of the Architectural Forum. Instead, the old gentleman's activity during the year 1928 is expected to be approximately equal to that of 1927 and in addition it is predicted that over the next few years there'll be no general collapse of the situation but rather a gradual return to a new normal much higher than that established in any previous decade.

Of course, in various geographical districts of the country there are changes indicated. In some districts there is to be more building and in others less. The Chicago area, in fact the entire middle states district, promises continued building activity perhaps surpassing that of the year 1927.

More Apartment Hotels.

The notable changes in public demand for the Chicago area, according to the forecast, includes a doubling of the demand for apartment hotels and a falling off in the requirements for churches, industrial, office buildings and theaters.

There is evidently to be more construction of public buildings and of hospitals, apartment and automotive buildings. In the residential field of this district still greater construction activity is indicated.

"In attempting to establish this forecast of building activity for the year 1928, we face an unusual and paradoxical condition," says C. Stanley Taylor of the Architectural Forum. "On one hand we hear many casually or even thoughtfully expressed opinions indicating that there will be less building activity in 1928 than in several past years.

Get Data from Architects.

"On the other hand, the Forum's survey, on which this forecast is based, has been carried out in exactly the same manner used for the last seven years. Here we have actual evidence of work on architects' boards, or seriously contemplated for the year 1928, a volume of work which is testified to by 1,793 individual confidential reports from architects.

"These reports indicate that building will continue in 1928 at least in the same volume if not reaching even greater totals than 1927.

"If we seek further to analyze the apparently paradoxical situation (wherein many are predicting a sharp falling off of building in 1928, although most forecasts are to the contrary), we seem to discover controlling factors of an unusual nature, which, after all, may offer a simple explanation.

"It is to be noted that those who are making casual predictions anticipating a considerable decrease in the building volume are located in larger centers where there is perhaps an overbuilt situation which colors opinions.

Real Prosperity—Not a Boom.

"Probably, too, the idea of decreased activity in the building fields is a natural reaction of the human mind which refuses to believe that good conditions can last so long. This conjecture is substantiated by the fact that most of those who are pessimistic about building activity are also pessimistic about national prosperity. Of course, if general business conditions become adversely affected and the confidence of the public is shaken, building activity will be materially influenced.

"With these thoughts in mind, is it not reasonable to believe that there may be a basic explanation for the evident paradox of contrary opinions as to building activity? Perhaps we have not been passing through a real boom—perhaps the continued building activity which has been carrying on in increasing volume since 1922, is primarily based on greatly increased building requirements coupled with prosperous conditions which have provided the means for this great investment.

Living Standards Higher.

"After all, the population of this country during the last ten years has increased by many millions, for which shelter of all kinds must be provided.

"The fire losses grow greater each year in spite of efforts to curb them. Naturally, replacements to meet fire losses must grow larger as the requirements become greater.

"We also have to consider seriously the greatly increased standards of living. The average family requires better shelter with a greater degree of attractiveness, comfort, and utility. Similarly in business buildings of all kinds, builders must meet a demand which has grown amazingly in respect to the factors of equality and efficiency.

Predicts New and Higher Normal.

"We predict, therefore, that the building activity of the year 1928 will approximately equal that of 1927 and that over the next few years there will be no general collapse of the situation but rather a gradual return to a new normal much higher than that established in any previous decade."

The forecast points out that construction activity during 1927 continued at a pace almost equal to that of the record breaking year of 1926. Including engineering projects and construction in the rural districts, it is evident that the total annual build-

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HOME BUILDERS' DEPARTMENT

HOUSE DESIGNED FOR ITS BEAUTY; STYLE IS HAZY

Nonessentials Left Out; Cost Reduced.

(A Tribune Competition house of six rooms, designed by Bernard Heatherley, architect, Hiram Sibley building, Rochester, N. Y.)

BY LOUISE BARGELT.

[Home Builders' Editor.]

In this instance, the architect, Mr. Heatherley, was reluctant to name any particular style or period to which the house conformed.



LOUISE BARGELT. [Chambers Photo.]

As Mr. Heatherly expressed it, he believed that the finest examples from the golden age of architecture are those which were designed to fill the needs of life as then lived, regardless of attempts at style. For this style, although designed for beauty in the last analysis, was evolved logically from the sources of material at hand and available labor.

However, admitting that one must own, in elevational treatment, a legacy from the past, he describes his home as English; an adaptation of the style that developed in the days of the late Tudors.

Here we find the pleasingly rendered exterior walls of cement plaster on 8 inch hollow tile. The color is dark cream, with finish a smooth sand float. Latitude of choice is suggested in the roof covering; tile, slate, or asbestos shingles in dark shades.

Steel Casement Windows.

The windows are steel casement with leaded glass. The lot may be defined by trellis, the pergola piers may be built of broken brick and tile slushed solid with cement.

From the entry one reaches an inner reception hall, with long living room and sun porch on the right and dining room with two generous window exposures on the left. Between the rear entrance and the garage there is a covered way—a big comfort—giving to the completely detached garage many of the distinct advantages of the attached garage.

The following treatment of the interior is made with a view to keeping the cost moderate.

The wall surfaces and ceilings are to be left in a perfectly plain sand float cement plaster finish so far as all the living quarters are concerned. The kitchen and bathroom, if not tiled, can have a hard, smooth plaster finish for painting.

Favoring Plain Walls.

It has been said that plain walls are the refuge of the artistically destitute. But this statement, like many similarly sweeping ones, is unguarded. It denies much of the beauty of Spain, particularly, and much early architecture wherein the value of plain walls was appreciated.

Ruskin indeed was eloquent in his plea for plain wall surfaces, and there are those who go so far as to say that an insistence upon the elaboration and patterning of all walls is a mark of the unimaginative. For plain walls admit of much variety in room treatment, furniture grouping, and window hangings.

As for the interior trim, one might indulge in colors denied to wallpapers or to other wall coverings. Unless one used a fine grade of oak, stained, one could use white wood, gumwood, or birch for painting. Blue greens, dull oranges, reds, or rich grays all would be effective, provided they were used cautiously. Even a touch of gilt is not inconceivable.

Eliminate Nonessentials.

The elimination of nonessentials might be the keynote in building this house. Cornices and ceiling ornaments are not obligatory, and the woodwork can be unmolded. In the fireplace the plaster can be brought into the jamb of the opening as far as the brick lining and the lintel can be simply a solid heavy wood beam. If circumstances permit, there might be carving on its face.

The second floor contains three well lighted rooms, together with a large bath, windows on two sides, shower, and linen closet. If preferred, the shower could be placed over the bath tub and the space indicated for the shower occupied by a linen closet with door opening on to the landing.

The basement is well planned, with complete laundry equipment, incinerator, laundry chute, hot water heater, washing machine, laundry tray, ironing machine, and drying cupboard. The architect emphasizes the possibilities of added interest by the skillful use of rain water heads and conductors.

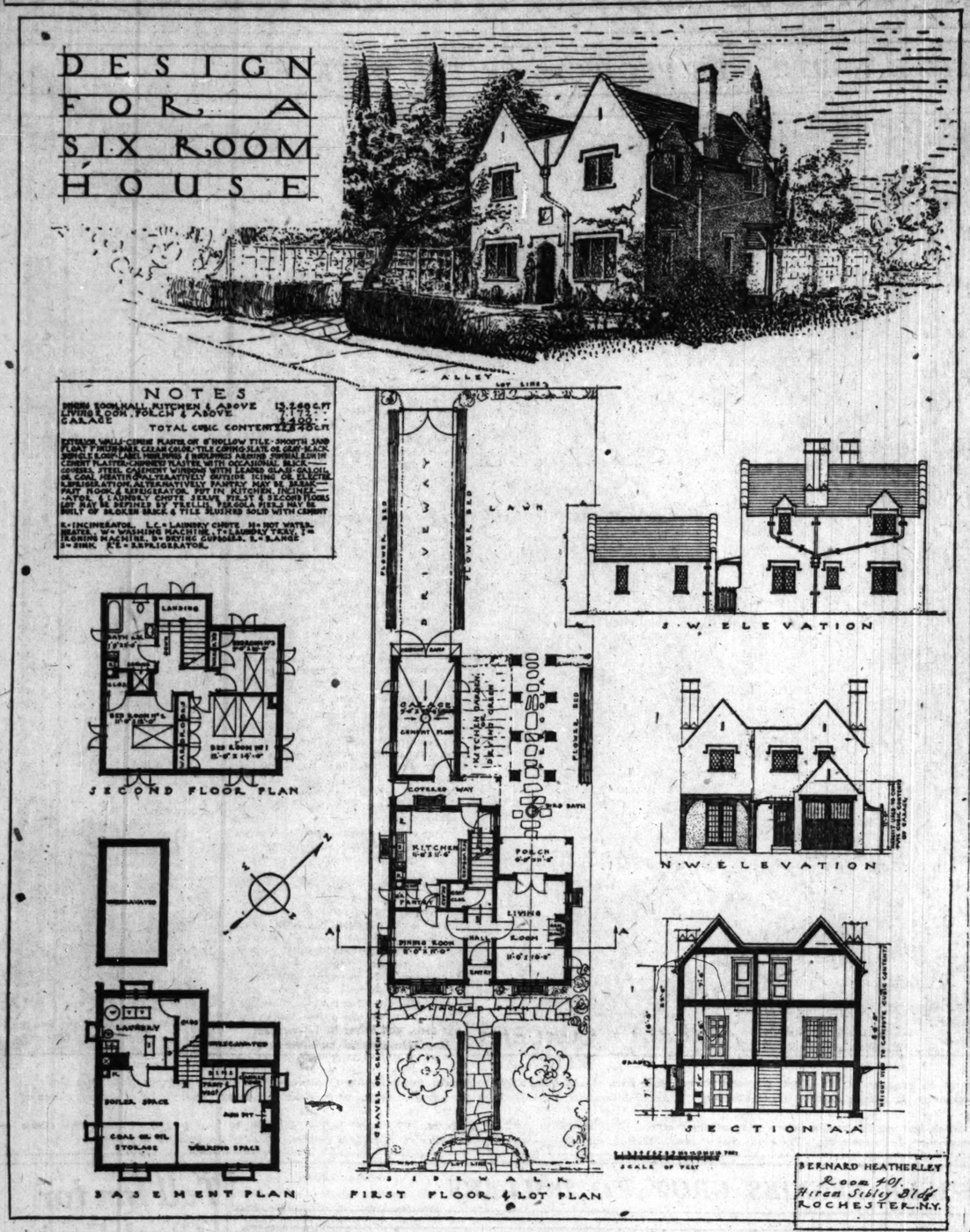
The cost of this house should range between $12,000 and $14,000.

JANUARY IS TIME TO THINK ABOUT LANDSCAPING

January is an excellent month to think about the landscaping problems to be met in the spring.

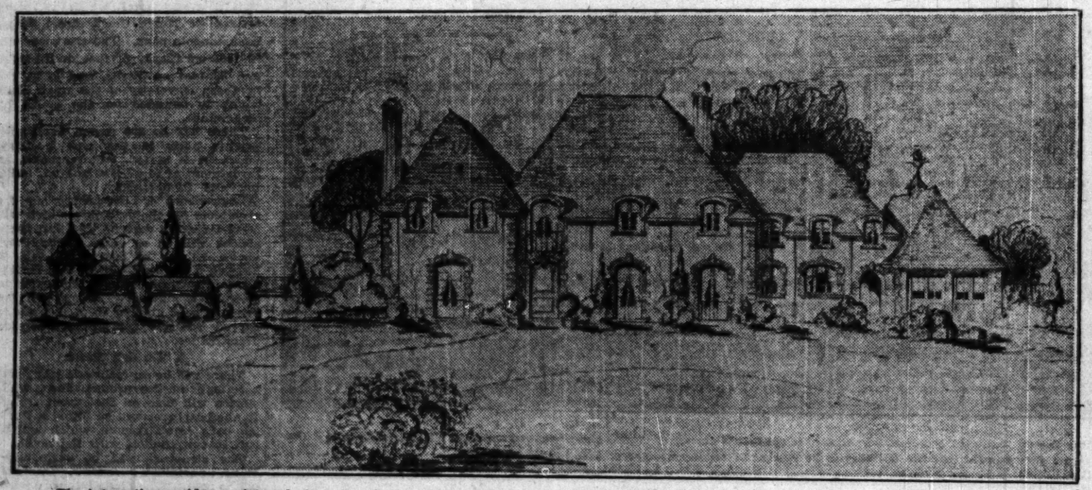
If one makes out a list of what is going to be necessary, and most of these necessities will come under these classifications: lawns, food, flowers, and shrubbery, one will read with added interest all that appears in magazines and papers on landscaping hints. And incidentally one may perhaps save here and there from the family budget so that when spring arrives, one has both the ideas and the money for the landscaping end of home owning.

REMINISCENT OF LATE TUDOR DAYS



A six room house of cream cement plaster walls on hollow tile, with roof of slate or black shingles. Its style is an adaptation of that evolved in the days of the late Tudors. Designed by Bernard Heatherley, 400 Hiram Sibley building, Rochester, N. Y. A Tribune Competition house.

FRENCH HOME AT LAKE FOREST



The interesting residence pictured above is a home nearing completion on H. K. Turnbull's Deerpath Hill estate at Lake Forest. Designed by Anderson & Ticknor, the architecture is French. The building is of hollow tile construction, surfaced with a smooth white cement finish. It has a heavy slate roof. The trim is of red and henna colored brick. Jerome Robert Cerny prepared this rendering.

Answers to Questions on Home Owning

Consult a Bank.

Dear Mrs. Bargelt: I have just purchased plans for a new house, but have been told that they are too exaggerated in style and that I will have a hard time getting a mortgage on it. What shall I do? S. W.

Answer: Submit your plans to your local bank to see if you can secure a mortgage.

Stripping Saves Loss.

Dear Mrs. Bargelt: Is it true that there is any perceptible air leakage around the sash of an unstripped wood window? What is the actual difference between this window and the stripped window? G. S.

Answer—It has been estimated by some authorities that for every running foot around the sash of an unstripped wood window there is an air leakage of 49 cubic feet an hour against the loss with a well weather stripped window of less than 4 cubic feet. The heat loss therefore is about 12 times as great at this estimate for the plain window as for the window protected by stripping. I cannot guarantee the accuracy of this estimate. Authorities differ somewhat but the main fact—that there is a big difference, remains obvious.

Concerning Provencal Home.

Dear Mrs. Bargelt: We are having a Provençal home built. While we are not going to carry out the interior very faithfully in the French spirit, I would like a suggestion for the walls and floor of entrance hall and for living room ceiling and floor. We have decided on woodwork and dado paneling of jade green for living room walls.—D. F.

Answer: Your entrance hall floor can be of large squares of cork laid in colored cement stained and waxed, or slate slabs, or rubber tiling; the walls of rough plaster with sand finish. The living room ceiling can be of rough floated sand plaster and floor of wide squares of oak and chestnut wood stained with walnut dye and linseed oil. Brick, sandpapered and waxed and oiled, might also be used. These are but a few suggestions. The Provençal house permits many treatment possibilities.

Answers to Quiz

1. English, French, Italian, Spanish and Gothic.
2. Not according to reports from prominent foresters.
3. At the present time more than 4,500.
4. Apt to prove ineffective because they are too weak and pale to form a background for deeper colors.
5. The use of strong contrast; light, semi-transparent shades produce a gentle contrast.
6. Adjustable glove drier.
7. From Elizabethan England.
8. Soil which is easily cultivated and soil which is worked with difficulty.
9. Riders pasted to bids made by heating contractors, insuring that the purchaser will get precisely what he pays for; an adequate heating plant in every way, installed up to definite standards.
10. This idea is national in its intention to make widespread good heating plants.

MANY TYPES OF WOOD SUITED FOR INTERIOR TRIM

Under the term "interior trim" comes a variety of items. These are door casings, window casings, baseboards, molding, wainscoting, etc.

The woods to be preferred for interior trim should be hard enough to allow a smooth finish after they have been dressed, yet soft enough to be easily machined.

Among the hard woods used for interior trim are oak, chestnut, red gum, birches, black walnut, maples, yellow poplar, beech, basswood, and cottonwood.

Pine, fir, cypress, hemlock and redwood are among the soft woods. Hemlock takes a polish well, redwood is known for its rich color. White and yellow pine and eastern spruce take paint well and hold it.

If the finish is to be treated with an oil or varnish and the natural color of the wood will show, a high quality of wood is necessary. But if the trim is to be painted, a less expensive material is satisfactory—providing that material is capable of holding paint.

CONCRETE FLOOR IN HOME REDUCES PERIL FROM FIRE

Also Cuts Repair Bills and Keeps Out Dirt.

BY HOMER GRANT.

Jeremiah spoke words of cheer in comparison to those uttered by some home owners when the use of concrete flooring in their home is mentioned. They may have heard of many of its practical features; they may want a house as nearly fireproof as they can afford but—

"I don't want a floor to look like a sidewalk." Or "I don't want my basement floors brought upstairs" or "concrete floors are damp—don't tell me."

And the average home owner has to be "shown" before he will be convinced of the beauty and sanitation possible in concrete floorings as they are now offered to the public. Certainly there is much interested discussion current today on the future possibilities of concrete floors in the homes of tomorrow.

The practical features of the concrete floor are those which naturally appeal to any practical home owner, and most home owners are by nature practical in their attitude towards what affects the stability and longevity of the houses they own.

Fire Safety Main Point.

But in the last analysis the extent of the future popularity of the concrete floor will depend largely on the understanding of the public regarding the attractiveness of its different surfacings.

Fire safety is one of its most outstanding points, for the concrete first floor slab prevents the passage of flames up from coal pile, furnace or basement garage—if one has a built-in basement garage.

Then again concrete flooring eliminates many troubles which often develop after a house has stood for several years, causing the home owner repair bills or interfering with the resale value of the house.

For instance water does not penetrate a concrete floor easily. Broken water pipes, overflowing water pipes do not work such damage on the ceiling below. Vibration is eliminated, as are squeaking and sagging floors.

Keeps Out Dirt.

Another virtue claimed for this type of floor by a home owner of fourteen years experience is that it prevents coal dust and other dirt from seeping through into the upper stories from the basement. He says that the concrete floor especially proves its worth during the delivery of coal.

Another construction point is the fact that concrete floor slabs afford greater strength and stability to the walls. Ordinary floor joints, moving slightly, can crack a wall or ceiling plaster. Concrete floor slabs, not moving appreciably if built correctly, eliminate this danger.

Hardwood flooring, oak, maple, etc., can be nailed directly to the wooden sleepers embedded in the concrete. The firm concrete support does away with any cracking or warping of the wood and the home owner who prefers the floor surfacing of lovely hardwood can still have it, even with the fire safe concrete underflooring.

Many Popular Surfacings.

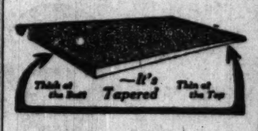
Or other popular surfacings, such as linoleum, rubber tile, cork tile, can be well cemented to concrete slab. There is no danger of any pulling loose here, or warping, as these surfacings become an integral part of the concrete. Then, lastly, comes the concrete floor, standing on its own merits, uncovered by any other surfacing, but so treated as to afford really lovely effects. A concrete floor may be made to look like a tile flooring, or it can be stained and waxed in handsome dark shades without any pattern attempt.

There are many pigment preparations for concrete, various reds, yellows and soft browns which combine well with the neutral gray of the concrete and result in effective dark tones. Designs in contrasting colors can be worked out if desired, interesting appearances created by the different stains, charming effects produced by waterproof enamels.

Deserves Consideration.

In the light of all the advancement made in the fields of fireproof construction, weatherproof and age proof construction, in residence work as well as along all building lines, this feature of concrete flooring is well deserving of consideration.

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1. What are some of the interesting textures stucco can be given?
2. Is it true that there is a shortage of lumber in this country?
3. Approximately how many commercial and industrial uses are there for wood at the present time?
4. Why is it that light blue or pink walls are sometimes disappointing?
5. What should be avoided in the choice of a window shade?
6. What modern device permits gloves to be washed at home and come out smooth and shapely?
7. From what period and country were the early New England houses with overhanging second stories, steeply pointed roofs, and leaded casements derived?
8. In gardening parlance, what is meant by "light" soil and "heavy" soil?
9. What is meant by "certified heating"?
10. How widespread is this idea?

(Answers to these questions will be found on another part of this page.)

SEES AMERICA AS LEADING WORLD IN HOME DESIGN

Bernard Heatherley, architect, Rochester, New York, is designer of the six room house shown in the Home Builders' page today.



BERNARD HEATHERLEY.

"I cannot help but regard my student days among the glorious architectural heritage the old world possesses as invaluable," Mr. Heatherley writes. "No less valuable are my years of experience in America, now my home, and to which, particularly in house planning, the world owes an enormous debt.

"Nowhere as in America has house planning reached so nearly the ideal. I believe that the house plans evolved by pioneer architects have had as much to do with molding the high standard of life lived here, as the high standard of life has had to do, by its demands, with the evolution of the perfect plan.

"My experience has been gained in many varied fields—as an architect's should be. Besides my training in architectural schools and offices in London and Liverpool, I have spent periods specializing in the workshops of various craftsmen. Working in ship decoration, furniture, iron work, etc., have all proved extremely valuable in the practice of domestic and public architecture upon which I am now engaged."

LIGHT IN BED ROOM SHOWS IF DOOR IS LOCKED

Electricity will now inform you whether or not your house is locked up. An interesting automatic door switch of the battery type is placed beneath the strike plate of the inside door lock opposite the bolt and operated by the bolt. When the bolt is thrown and the door locked the switch opens a low voltage circuit operating on the bell ringing transformer and controls a pilot light in the main bedroom which indicate whether the house is locked or not.

The illuminated house number is a well known modern device which is invaluable for the passing stranger or friend seeking to find his way after dark.

In connection with this there is a momentary contact switch operating an overhead domelight. A touch of the switch illuminates the door and enables one to find the key hole. Releasing the switch extinguishes the light and there is no danger that one will forget to turn the light off because it won't remain lighted unless one holds the switch button.

Then, too, in connection with this modern entrance lighting one should not forget the front door bell, push button which has luminous center.

FEW GUIDEPOSTS TOWARD SAVING IN HOME BUILDING

Eliminate Frills, but Use Best of Materials.

Here are a few practical pointers in house building economics which may save you more than a few hundred dollars when it comes to building the future home.

There are two kinds of economy. One, economy through substitution of cheap materials for expensive ones. This decidedly is not wise economy for it spells extravagance too often when quick depreciation sets in.

The other economy is the economy of house shape and also of elimination. This is common sense economy. The elimination of nonessentials, of fussiness of detail, of elaboration in trim, of expensive porch work, high priced gables, grilles, fancy roof lines and ornate dormers.

Square House Economical.

First, from point of view of economy, the square house is the economical house. It does not have to be a homely, boxlike structure, for it can be designed to present desirable features of dignity and architectural charm.

There is little lost space in a square house; moreover it is easy to work in, easy to heat, and because its rooms are located at each corner of the dwelling, it can easily be given abundant ventilation. And because it is a perfect cube, it contains the most space to its wall area which is another building economy point.

As for the roof, a simple hip roof usually saves money, over against the steeply pitched roof. Gables over bay windows, dormers, wide eaves all cost money.

Porches with heavy columns are less from cheap and lighter porch columns can be used as well.

Saving in Cellar and Attic.

Then, too, a part of the cellar can be left unexcavated and the attic eliminated. Every foot of attic and cellar space costs money. If an attic is included in the house plan, let it be finished for actual use. It will thus prove an investment in house space and not be an extravagance because of costly, wasted floor area.

The cellar is being left out entirely in some homes, even in this Chicago territory. Needless to say where this is done there must be a well built first floor of concrete, well waterproofed with foundations beneath. On this concrete slab a finished wood floor may be laid and the furnace placed in a room a little below the first level.

The modern cellar is certainly diminishing in size. If it does not at time do a complete fade out, it will be because it has been made such a useful member of the house family that it cannot possibly be eliminated.

HOW TO TELL IF YOUR HOUSE IS IN NEED OF PAINT

The true economy in keeping a house well painted cannot be overestimated.

If one is in doubt whether a painting job is necessary, as a deterioration preventive, there is a simple test which will tell the tale.

If in passing the fingers over a piece of the painted exterior, a powdery substance comes off, this is an indication that the house should probably be repainted. For it means that the oil has dried and that only the pigments are left. In paint the binder ingredient which is protective is the oil; ergo, deterioration is in sight and should be stopped.

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BUILDING IN THE CHICAGO AREA MAY EXCEED '27

Forum Predictions Are Optimistic.

(Continued from first page.)

ing volume of this country during 1927 has been well over seven billion dollars.

Former Forecast Conservative.

"In January of 1927 the Architectural Forum issued a forecast that building activity for the year would be 10 or 13 per cent less than in 1926," the forecast continues. "Events have proven this forecast to have been more than safely conservative, because the actual building construction, not including public works and utilities, was evidently only about 6 per cent less than 1926.

"The difference between forecast and fact was therefore on the safe side and this fact is pointed out in view of the peculiar difficulties of establishing our forecast for the year 1928."

One of the Best of Its Kind.

THE TRIBUNE has found the Architectural Forum's annual forecast to be one of the most accurate and comprehensive of any made. For several years the Forum has carried out a national survey among architects, obtaining confidential reports of work actually on the boards or seriously contemplated to reach the contract stage in the following year.

"Having these figures in hand it has been found possible to apply a series of ratios which have resulted each year in a fairly close approximation of actual figures ultimately recorded," said Mr. Taylor.

"Primarily, of course, this forecast deals with work carried out through architects' offices, but with the exception of small residential work [houses under $10,000] and factory buildings, the bulk of the building in this country is controlled by architects."

LOCAL CHARITIES TO BENEFIT BY 50 YEAR LEASE

The F. & W. Brand company, which operates a 5-10-25 cent store chain, has leased the property at 7814-18 South Halsted street, 50x117, from the People' Stock Yards State bank and Mitchell D. Follansbee, executors and trustees of the estate of Albert W. Klingbell, for fifty years.

On May 1, 1928, the lessees will wreck the present one story structure and erect a modern two story and basement building. They will occupy the entire main floor and basement. The second floor will have offices.

Mark Levy & Brother, only brokers in the deal, state that the total net rental for the entire term will be $506,000, or an average annual net rental of $10,100. On a 6 per cent basis, this gives the property a value of $168,333, or $3,366 a front foot.

Albert W. Klingbell died in 1926, leaving an estate of approximately $425,000, the income of which was divided between a brother and a sister and the Chicago chapter of the American Red Cross, the Alexian Brothers' hospital and the German Old Peoples' home. The brother survived Mr. Klingbell only fourteen months and on the death of the sister, Ida Korte, the whole income of the estate is to be paid annually to the Chicago Community trust.

PARAMOUNT TO MARKET 11 ACRES AT NILES CENTER

Eleven acres at the southeast corner of Simpson street and Keeler avenue, Niles Center, have been purchased by the Paramount Realty corporation from a syndicate headed by Otto Otterstrom of Nelson Brothers and the Flossy Dental laboratories of Evanston. The price was not disclosed. Frank R. Mason, vice president of the Paramount company, states that the property will be marketed at once. It is adjacent to the firm's Orchard and Crawford and Ridge Terminal subdivisions. McNab, Holmes & Long were attorneys for the buyer and Pickett & Holt acted as brokers for both parties.

$320,000 FLATS XMAS PRESENT OF DOCTOR TO WIFE

The Madison and Kedzie Trust and Savings bank, trustee, has sold to Coriane C. Rust the Hinman Manor apartments, 547-55 Hinman avenue, Evanston, for a reported $320,000, subject to $326,000. As part payment the purchaser gave twelve flats at Early and Magnolia, subject to $47,500. Dr. Austin Rust, the real purchaser, had the property conveyed to his wife as a Christmas present. H. J. Goldberg of R. A. Hastings & Co. represented the buyer and Mr. Juelson of Rutherford & Harding acted for the seller.

PLAN 12 STORY SHERIDAN ROAD FLAT BUILDING

Tentative plans are under way for a twelve story apartment building on the east side of Sheridan road, between Albion and Loyola. The 350x165 site was acquired by Marks Bros. in 1921 and recently sold to undisclosed parties.

Figures for the Week

TRANSFERS.

	No.	Amount.
Last week	1,422	$3,352,251
Same wk. last yr.	1,307	3,034,501

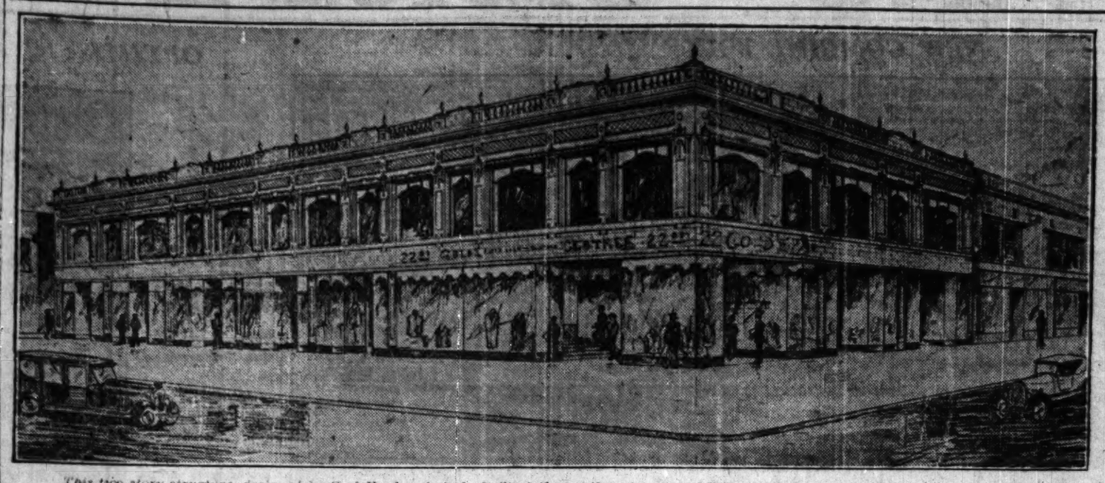
TRUST DEEDS, MORTGAGES.

	No.	Amount.
Last week	1,438	$20,978,901
Same wk. last yr.	1,639	15,939,819

BUILDING PERMITS.

	No.	Cost.
Last week	79	$1,832,000
Same wk. last yr.	95	3,269,600

NEW BUILDING FOR THE WILSON AVENUE DISTRICT



This two story structure, designed by Carl Hauber, is to be built at the southwest corner of Wilson and Kenmore by John C. Krietenstein, who has leased the entire second floor and the corner store to the Golde Clothes Shops, Inc., through Cerf & Ehrenhalt. It'll have foundations for two more stories.

CLEANING PLANT FOR NORTHWEST SIDE



New plant being erected by the Northwest Cleaners and Dyers at Western, Station, and Manitou, from plans drawn by M. Louis Kroman. It is stated the project will represent an investment of $175,000, in which connection Lackner, Butz & Co. have made a $60,000 loan. Completion is scheduled for March 15, 1928. The Callner Construction company has the contract. Herbert Joseph prepared this rendering.

KANKAKEE OFFICE BUILDING



Kankakee might be said to be a Chicago suburb, so we'll show a picture of how that town's latest office building will look on completion. It will be located at the northwest corner of Merchant and Schuyler. One unit is already completed, and work is to start shortly on the other. Edward A. Nitsche is architect. Harry L. Topping is owner.

ERECT 30 HOMES IN VICINITY OF ROSCOE-AUSTIN

3 Units Slated to Cost $825,000.

Construction has started on the first unit of a group of three bungalow developments in the Roscoe-Austin district which it is stated will represent a total investment of $825,000. Serrin & Hildebrand are the builders and owners.

The first unit will consist of thirty brick residences of five and six rooms each, to sell for $9,000 or $10,000. They are being erected on both sides of Roscoe and Newport, just east of Austin avenue. Designed by E. Brauchen, the architecture will be of the conventional type adopted for bungalows in the city, with only slight variations in the fronts.

James B. Serrin calls the bungalows "certified homes," which means that they are erected in accordance with the code of ethics as set forth by the National Better Home Builders' association. He reports that 1927 was his firm's best year, it having done twice the business of 1926.

The bungalows now under construction have sites 30x125 feet. They are to be ready for spring occupancy. The Irving National Mortgage company is underwriting first mortgage loans on the entire program, the second two units of which will get under way later in the year. Robert E. Schreiber is exclusive sales agent.

POSTAL WORKERS TO ASK CONGRESS FOR HIGHER WAGE

Want Shorter Hours for Night Men.

BY THOMAS WREN.

This session of congress will be asked to raise the wages of postal workers and also to improve their working conditions, according to Thomas F. Flaherty, the secretary-treasurer of the National Federation of Post Office Clerks.



SOL COHEN. [Moffett Photo.]

Mr. Flaherty said one of the leading issues that will be brought before congress is the time differential bill for the night workers in postal service.

"This legislation would give night workers a work shift of six hours and the pay of eight hours," said Flaherty.

"Any time between 6 o'clock in the evening and 6 o'clock in the morning would be classed as night work." A wage increase of $200 a year will be sought."

Sol Cohen, head of the Chicago Post Office Clerk's union, pointed to the necessity of legislation improving conditions during the seventieth congress.

"A large percentage of the employés in the Chicago post office," he said, "are night workers who must submit to an exacting task that requires memory, accuracy and speed.

"Most of them can become proficient only after years of study. It is only fair to the night workers to reduce their work shifts from eight to six hours.

"Pay of post office clerks is by no means adequate. It has not kept step with the wages of millions of workers in the competitive industrial field."

Complaint will be registered against the speed-up practice.

PLAN TWO STORY BUILDING FOR WILSON-KENMORE

Golde Clothes Shops in Upper Floor.

Plans have been completed and work is to start at once on a two story building to be erected at the southwest corner of Wilson and Kenmore avenues by John C. Krietenstein, who already has leased the entire upper floor and the corner store to the Golde Clothes Shops. This will be the fifth Chicago location for this clothing concern.

Plans for the new structure, by Architect Carl Hauber, call for foundations for two additional stories, which will be added when uptown conditions warrant it. It is planned to have the building ready for occupancy by April 1, 1928.

The new building will front fifty feet on Wilson avenue and 125 feet on Kenmore avenue. There'll be three stores opening on Wilson avenue and four stores on the Kenmore avenue side. The cost is estimated at $75,000. This site was once occupied by the old Sheridan moving picture house.

The length of the Golde term and the rental were not disclosed by the brokers in the deal, Cerf & Ehrenhalt. This firm states its intention to establish this corner as a men's shopping building.

Joseph Grossman was attorney representing F. M. Hahn of the Golde Clothes Shops and George Steinbrecher was attorney for Mr. Krietenstein.

REALTY CONCERN TO LET WORKERS SHARE EARNINGS

The Metropolitan Realty company announces that at the end of 1928 all office employés and sales members of the organization will be paid a bonus equivalent to ten per sent of their earnings in the form of stock in the company. This bonus system is to continue over ten years at the completion of which time it is hoped to have the firm the first cooperative selling organization in the country.

An advisory board, composed of officers, directors and heads of departments, will direct the firm. Twenty-one people constitute this board. Future plans of the concern contemplate building and bond and mortgage departments. The firm is now marketing its tenth subdivision in the Niles Center district, with five more to come.

1928 YEAR BOOK OF REALTORS IS JUST OFF PRESS

The Chicago Real Estate board's year book for 1928 is just off the press. This volume contains laws, ordinances, city regulations, commission charges and similar information of interest to real estate dealers, property owners, lawyers, etc. It also contains a list of all Chicago realtors and contains blank pages in the form of a calendar, one for each day of the year, which may be used as a daily memorandum note book.

TO BUILD AT LAKE AND KILPATRICK.

Franklin M. and Harry J. Miller have bought the southeast corner of Lake and Kilpatrick, 184x135, from the Western Fuel company, and contemplate erecting an automobile service station and storage plant.

REALTY MARKET THROUGHOUT U. S. STABLE IN 1927

Residential Rents Show Some Decline.

Real estate activity throughout the United States and Canada during 1927 generally found itself in a stabilized condition, according to a survey of the real estate market which has just been completed by the National Association of Real Estate Boards.

Of the 310 cities covered by the survey 40 per cent report the market to be somewhat less active than last year, 35 per cent report it at the same level as last year, and 25 per cent report a greater activity than last year. Selling prices are reported higher in 14 per cent of the cities, the same as those of last year in 57 per cent of the cities and lower in 29 per cent.

All the cities having a population of 500,000 or more reported prices to be the same as last year.

The total number of real estate transfers recorded for the country as a whole, as indicated in 41 typical cities, has been substantially equal to the number recorded in 1926, according to the tabulation of official reports of the number of transfers and conveyances recorded as made by the National Association of Real Estate Boards. While the trend of the monthly index of real estate market activity compiled by the association from the official reports of transfers and conveyances recorded in the 41 typical cities has been downward since February, 1927, the total number of transfers represented by the index is practically equal to any year on record.

Rentals Show Decline.

Incoming data for the next monthly index indicate that the curve will turn upward toward the first of 1928, as it has done in ten out of twelve years during which the index has been compiled.

Rentals for all types of dwellings show a downward trend, as compared with last year, for the United States.

The large majority of cities reported the rents of central business property to be the same as or higher than a year ago.

Rents in single family dwellings are reported stationary in 66 per cent of the cities, higher in 10 per cent, and lower in 24 per cent than they were at this time last year. Apartment rents are reported stationary in 68 per cent of the cities, higher in 9 per cent, and lower in 23 per cent. Kitchenette apartments show a still more stabilized condition, with rents stationary in 73 per cent of the cities, higher in 9 per cent, and lower in 18 per cent.

Rents in central business property are reported stationary in 57 per cent of the cities, higher in 30 per cent, and lower in 13 per cent.

Office building rents in central business districts are reported the same as last year in 78 per cent of the cities, as higher in 11 per cent and lower in 11 per cent, a highly stabilized condition.

Residence Building.

As to degree of existing overbuilding or underbuilding, 30 per cent of the cities reporting indicate some oversupply of business buildings, 13 per cent a shortage of this type of structure, and 57 per cent a normal supply. In single family residences 28 per cent of the cities report a shortage, 48 per cent a normal supply, and 24 per cent an oversupply.

In apartment buildings 32 per cent of the cities report a shortage, 25 per cent an oversupply, 43 per cent a normal supply.

The survey shows that the principal decline in real estate activity this year took place in the subdivision market, where 46 per cent of the replies report the same activity as last year, 44 per cent less activity and 16 per cent report more activity.

Percy Wilson Distributes Cash Prizes to Employes

A belated announcement from Percy Wilson & Co., states that Christmas presents and cash prizes totaling $5,000 were distributed to their salespeople. Service pins were awarded the executives and sales managers.

The firm lists as its year's achievements the subdividing of Arterial hill, Broadgate, Southgate, Parkside addition to Arterial hill and Shilling highlands. A turkey dinner was served at the Wilson field office on Dec. 25th.

BROCKMAN'S REPORT TO REAL ESTATORS TELLS OF GOOD YEAR

President Albert J. Brockman's report for the year 1927 to be presented at the annual meeting of the Cook County Real Estate board next Tuesday evening, to be held in the board rooms in the Conway building, will indicate a successful year in all of the organization's activities, according to an advance statement issued.

"The invested reserve of the board has been increased about 30 per cent during the last year and for the first time in the history of the board the general fund has a considerable balance to carry forward, thus enabling increased expenditures for the benefit of the members at the beginning of the year instead of awaiting the receipts of dues for that purpose," the statement reads.

"The Real Property institute has been very successful. The board's service to its members has been greatly increased during the last year through the medium of furnishing real estate ownership information, the protection of members, insurance interests and brokers' operations in the real estate market of Chicago which in conducted every Tuesday afternoon in the board rooms.

"The public service of the board has likewise received increased attention during the last year. President Brockman as a member of the joint commission for real estate valuation has represented the members of the board in that capacity in the effort to bring about improved administration in the offices of the board of assessors and the board of review."

PLAN DINNER FOR ALD. O'TOOLE AT HOTEL SHERMAN

Incidental to the celebration of the fifth anniversary of the adoption of the Chicago zoning ordinance, a testimonial dinner is to be given to Alderman William R. O'Toole, chairman of the committee on buildings and zoning, on Saturday, Jan. 14, 1928, at at Hotel Sherman, at 6 p. m. The following committee is in charge of the dinner: Alderman E. J. Kaindl, John P. Boyle, John J. Sullivan, Charles Bostrom, Joseph Brittain, H. W. Elmore, George O. Fairweather, Paul Gerhardt, William Artingstall, Thomas J. Courtney, Charles H. Wacker and Patrick Sullivan.



WM. R. O'TOOLE.

PLAN FACTORY AT MAPLEWOOD AND MONTROSE

Kurt Rosenthal has bought the northeast corner of Montrose and Maplewood avenues, 84x125, and is to erect a three story store and factory building which already has been rented to Carson, Pirie, Scott & Co., for fifteen years at a term rental of $142,500. It will be used by the lessees for the manufacture of ladies' house dresses.

The architects are Olsen & Urbain and the builders will be Rosenthal, Mayer & Lewis, Inc. The total investment it is reported, will be in the neighborhood of $110,000.

ARCHIBALD TO BUILD AT WELLS AND MADISON

H. Teller Archibald, head of the Fannie May Candy company, will start work at once on wrecking the old buildings at the northwest corner of Madison and Wells, to make way for a one story building. Contracts have been let to the Solomon-Waterton company. This corner eventually is to be improved with a tall building.

BUYS WINNETKA RESIDENCE.

Mrs. Mary Wells has bought the brick residence at the northwest corner of Hill and Chestnut, Winnetka, from George R. Roehm for a reported $65,000, through McGuire & Orr.

SEES PLENTY OF 1928 FUNDS FOR SOUND BUILDING

Cody Trust Company Is Optimistic.

Although 1928 construction may not equal the figures of the year just closed, according to the Cody Trust company's month end review, just issued, a high volume of building activity is predicted with a building permit volume in the neighborhood of $325,000,000. The 1927 total for the city approximated $350,000,000.

"The post-war building shortage has been ended definitely for all classes of structures except schools and institutions," the review states. "Nevertheless, there are several factors which insure a good if not a record year for the city in 1928.

"The first is the money outlook which may function, nevertheless, in something of a dual role. There will ben an ample supply for the financing of all sound construction projects. There has been some talk in the financial world of a firming of money rates as the year progresses. This may have the effect of forcing into the open much earlier than was originally intended many large building projects whose backers seek to take advantage of the lowest possible financing terms.

"Such a development may make for new high monthly records in permits taken out during the first two quarters, but it should be followed by a tapering off process later.

Sees Air Right Activity.

"The second factor making for a high rate of activity is the recent approval by the Illinois commerce commission of the use of railroad 'air rights' for two large building projects. Several well located tracts are made available for skyscrapers and warehouses by the precedent thus established and it is probable that this new opportunity for development will be made use of.

"Factor number three is the small house situation. The marked improvement in the heating, lighting, and plumbing facilities available for the average family is rapidly placing the house built fifteen years and more ago in the same class with the used car as regards market value. The demand is for the modern and it is being satisfied through the sale of these sharply depreciated older dwellings and the construction of new ones.

"There is also a large number of subdivision lots whose final payments mature during the winter of 1927-28. Their owners acquired these lots in most instances for home building purposes. The paradox is in prospect of a high rate of small house construction in this field, while bungalows built by small speculators are proving difficult to sell.

Flat Vacancies Increase.

"These favorable factors might make for a record year in building, were it not for the presence of several which are adverse.

"Apartment vacancies are on the increase. They are not unduly high at present, but they will serve to put a damper on the speculative enthusiasm in this class of construction.

"It is this mixture of conditions which suggests a moderate decline in Chicago building next year. We doubt if the value of the permits will drop as low as those of the last presidential election — $296,000,000. Probably it will be in the neighborhood of $325,000,000.

"With this level of activity, building labor should be well employed in Cook county during 1928. Material jobbers and manufacturers should continue moderately active. There will, however, be a healthy atmosphere of competition and both jobs and profits will go to the alert and the efficient."

LEASES CORNER FOR CAFE.

J. Blonski has leased the corner store at the southwest corner of Bryn Mawr and Winthrop to Kitsos & Co. for a restaurant for ten years at a term rental of approximately $68,000, according to Friberg & Co., brokers for the lessees. J. Shapiro represented the owner.

LOOKING BACKWARD

To Jan. 1, 1918; 10 Years Ago Today

Evidences of improved conditions with respect to office buildings is found in the annual reports of the First National and the Continental and Commercial National banks. They both show gains as compared with the previous year, the statement being made that the Continental and Commercial has at present ninety-nine per cent of its available space rented and also has a considerable waiting list.



JAMES B. FORGAN.

James B. Forgan says in his statement to the shareholders that the rent roll of the First National Bank building shows an increase of more than six per cent.

Fred Johnson has acquired from John J. Johnson the apartment property in Kimball avenue, 271 feet north of Lawrence avenue, 60x125 feet, east front, for an indicated price of $30,000, subject to an incumbrance of $15,000.

To Jan. 1, 1908; 20 Years Ago Today

Burt J. Fitzgerald, for $215,000, conveyed to Fielding L. Marshall and William Waller the property known as the new Lincoln park subdivision, at the southwest corner of North Park avenue and Belden avenue, fronting also on Webster and North Clark and Sedgwick streets, except 427 feet on Belden and 177 feet on Webster. The property was acquired from the University of Chicago in connection with the purchase by the latter of the Lees building, at 147-53 5th avenue. It was conveyed to the university by Mrs. Emmons Blaine. Mr. Fitzgerald sold frontage on Belden avenue for about $40,000, and also expended about $10,000 in putting through and improving Anita terrace, running from North Clark street to Newton park avenue. It is said that Mr. Marshall and Mr. Waller contemplate improving the Anita terrace front with apartment buildings.



MRS. EMMONS BLAINE.

To Jan. 1, 1898; 30 Years Ago Today

J. F. and J. P. Doerr have designed for C. A. Londelius a three story apartment house to be built at 518-26 56th street. It will be constructed of pressed brick and stone, the interior being finished in hardwood, and it will be heated by steam. It will cost $50,000.



J. P. DOERR. [TRIBUNE Photo.]

Collins & Morris bought from John A. Cudahy the lot 133x160 feet at the northwest corner of Prairie avenue and 60th street for $15,800. The purchasers will build a fine apartment house on the site to cost $75,000. The building will be three stories high, constructed of light pressed brick and cut stone. It will be finished in hardwood.

Frank Knapp has transferred to C. J. Hambleton the property at the northwest corner of Wrightwood avenue and Dayton street, 126x125 feet, for $34,000.

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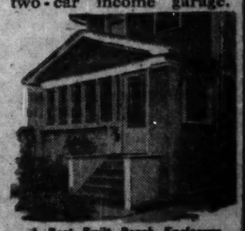
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FARM AND GARDEN

Greater Efficiency Is Farmers' Motto for the Coming Year

Operating Costs Must Be Cut Down to Gain Profits.

BY FRANK RIDGWAY.

IN 1928 much of the agricultural relief must come by farmers turning to the task of organizing their farms so that they can be operated more efficiently. No one seems to doubt that farm earnings are so low that this nation cannot maintain a stable agriculture. Farmers have the country apparently convinced that they should get more for their work, but there is much debate over the plan of adding to the producer's income.

There is no one to kick where the farmer whittles down his production costs and thereby adds to his net profits. Differences of as much as $5,000 a year may occur between the net earnings of farmers in the same community, all because of the way the farms are organized and operated, according to H. C. M. Case, head of the farm organization and management department, University of Illinois. But the earnings on the better farms are the result of years of definite effort to establish a profitable system of farming, Mr. Case finds in reviewing the records of farms in the heart of the corn belt.

Based on Facts.

His views are not based on guesses, but on five year records of fifty-one Woodford county farms in central Illinois, where he found that usually the difference in earnings vary more than 10 per cent on the investment between the high farmer and the low farmer in any one year.

"As an average for the five year period, the best farm made 8 1-3 per cent more on the investment than the farm with the lowest earnings, a farm that lost money. The average investment on these farms was $59,225. Hence the difference in the earnings between the high and low farms computed on the average investment would amount to approximately $5,000 a year. For the five year period the difference would amount to approximately $25,000," said this farm management expert.

This difference in five years would be enough to pay cash for half the cost of a 250 acre farm at $200 an acre.

Why Profits Accrued.

The successful farmers followed certain principles in farming while those less successful failed to observe them. In outlining these principles of factors influencing earnings on Illinois farms, Mr. Case finds that good yields help reduce costs; the higher profit crops should be selected; productive live stock reduce costs; good live stock well handled add to the farm income; available man labor must be used advantageously; the supply of horse and mechanical power should fit the farm needs; buildings, machinery and other equipment costs must be under control; production should be planned in accordance with market demands; a good farm layout makes for economical operation; a large volume of business is necessary for profitable farming, and diversity of production is desirable.

One of the important steps in reducing production costs and thereby adding to the farmer's income has come about through the use of improved machinery which is helping to eliminate man labor and save crops that have previously gone to waste, making it possible to do work at the proper time. The greatest improvement has come about in the harvesting of grains.

Reducing the Bills.

E. W. Lehmann, head of the farm mechanics department at the University of Illinois, shows that possibilities of reducing the farmers' yearly bill for the harvesting of small grains with the combined harvester-thrasher, formerly used only in the far west. The use of the combine for four seasons in Illinois has shown that this new outfit in the middle west has striking advantages in the saving of grain and in reducing power and labor required in thrashing.

There are more than 300 combined harvester-thrashers being used in Illinois in the harvesting and thrashing of soy beans, wheat, oats, sweet clover, red clover, timothy, alsike, buckwheat, rye, and barley, according to Mr. Lehmann. He says that tests of the old mower and thrasher method of harvesting soy beans and of the binder and thrasher method show an average loss of about 30 per cent of the crop.

In contrast, the total loss in harvesting beans with the combine has been less than 10 per cent. Reports from individual farmers indicate that the cost of the combine method of harvesting wheat is about one-half the cost where it is handled by the old binder-thrasher method.

Tested Since 1925.

Mr. Lehmann has been testing the efficiency of the combined harvester-thrasher since 1925. A cooperative project is now under way in which agronomists of the university are studying the characteristics of different varieties of crops, planting, and other factors in relation to the combine. Farm management specialists are making a detailed study of costs, too, he said.

In records kept on Charles Johnson's farm in Ellis county, Oklahoma, by Hyer, county agent, it was found that it cost $3 an acre to handle sweet clover with a combined harvester-thrasher, while with the old binder-thrasher method the cost was $12 an acre, or $9 an acre more. Further saving was brought about by catching more of the seed with the combine in a sweet clover field, where the yield was seven bushels to the acre.

Great strides have been made recently in the development of attachments for the combine which will widen the use of this revolutionary machine. Reports from the grain fields of the Pacific coast and the northwest on the use of the combine in handling bound grain and seed crops either loose in windrows or in bundles and stooks or shocks show that it is now practical.

The new attachments for the combine make it possible to overcome the handicap of harvesting grain heavily infested with weeds or where a field is ripening unevenly. The season for using the combines also has been greatly lengthened. Where weedy grain fields are harvested with the combine, which cuts and immediately thrashes the grain all in one operation, there is danger of the grain coming out with a relatively high percentage of moisture.

Handicaps Overcome.

F. H. Higgins of San Leandro, Cal., says that there are three attachments to the regular combine harvester-thrasher. There is the windrow header, which heads the grain, as done in the old days, but drops it alongside the machine in a neat windrow on top of the stubble, where air can pass all around it and quickly dry it out. The second attachment is a windrow pick-up, which gently lifts the dried windrow of cut grain when it is ready for the combine. It feeds it into the combine in an endless carpet and functions as a regular combine. The third attachment is a pickup feeder, which handles the bundles or shocks of grain where it has been cut by the binder, the knives cutting the bands and the feeder mechanism holding back the material to feed it evenly into the thrashing part of the combine.

C. D. Kinsman, formerly of Purdue university and later with the federal department of agriculture, has done much of the experimental work with these new attachments. He has seen the pickups successfully handle beans, rice, sweet clover, weedy wheat, barley, oats, Egyptian corn, kaffir, dwarf Milo maize, and most of the field seed crops.

Many of the pickup attachments were used in the Dakotas, California, and western Canada last season.

Shortage of Funds Halts Michigan Tuberculosis Work

GOV. F. W. GREEN officially stopped all tuberculosis eradication work in Michigan this morning because state funds have become exhausted. Health authorities of Chicago, Detroit, and other cities and towns that require the tuberculin testing of cattle are deeply concerned over the governor's action and the effect it will have on future pure milk supplies.

Detroit's new milk ordinance, quite similar to the one now rigidly enforced in Chicago, requiring that all milk come from tuberculin tested cattle under state and federal supervision, went into effect this morning. This has added to the seriousness of the situation in Michigan, where both the retesting and initial testing work has been stopped, making it impossible for many of the dairymen with qualified herds to repeat the test and keep their cows on the approved list of such cities as Chicago and Detroit, according to authorities.

At a Standstill.

Live stock interests at the terminal markets are taking an interest in the Michigan governor's action. H. R. Smith, live stock commissioner of the National Live Stock exchange, Chicago, said yesterday that all tuberculosis eradication work in Michigan must be discontinued immediately unless Gov. Green authorizes the use of an emergency fund or calls a special session of the legislature to bring relief, as was done in Wisconsin. Unless money is made available Michigan's testing work will be kept at a standstill for six months, until the next fiscal year's appropriation becomes available July 1, 1928.

"It is a regrettable situation," said Mr. Smith. "Michigan up to this time has been a leader in the eradication of tuberculosis from its cattle. All of the cattle in forty-nine out of the eighty-three counties in the state have been tuberculin tested, the reactors slaughtered, and the premises disinfected. These counties are now practically free from tuberculosis and are designated by the state and federal government as modified accredited areas. Only one other state, North Carolina, has more accredited counties and there is very little tuberculosis in North Carolina, some counties showing no reactors whatever.

State Funds Exhausted.

"Only four counties in the entire state of Michigan have failed, as yet, to provide funds with which to cooperate with the federal government and the state in the cleaning up of tuberculosis. The federal fund and county funds are ample, but neither can be used without state funds, which are exhausted. If adequate funds had been provided by the last Michigan legislature, the entire state would be practically free from this disease by 1930.

"During the last few years Michigan has been spending $250,000 a year out of the state funds on this project. Legislative hearings attended by farmers and others from all parts of the state were held in Lansing last winter to show how $100,000 per year additional would be needed this biennium because of the demands from Detroit and other cities for pure milk from herds tested for tuberculosis and known to be free. Gov. Green not only refused the additional $100,000 per year, but he cut the regular appropriation $37,500, allowing only $212,000.

"Heretofore when the regular appropriation was used up in the payment of indemnities and other necessary expenses incident to the application of the tuberculin test in the various counties, the predecessors of Gov. Green have authorized the use of a limited amount of money from so-called emergency funds to carry the work along until the regular appropriations would be available. Apparently Gov. Green refused to do this. Unless the situation is met, all the federal and state men engaged in tuberculosis eradication will be withdrawn from the state of Michigan. This is a calamitous situation to the live stock owners of the state, because up to this time Michigan has been in a position to supply the eastern states with clean cattle at very satisfactory prices to the farmers of the state. This stopping of the work is not only a blow to the farmers, but it is a misfortune to every consumer of milk in the state.

"Last April a year ago Gov. Blaine of Wisconsin called a special session of the legislature at the time when the tuberculosis eradication fund became exhausted. The Wisconsin legislature was in session just one day and it was called for no other purpose but to appropriate an emergency fund of $450,000 to carry the work in that state until the next appropriation became available. There was not a single dissenting vote in either house. This is a matter of just as much importance to the people of Michigan as to the people of Wisconsin, and action of some kind is greatly to be desired," Mr. Smith said.

When Dr. Arnold H. Kegel, health commissioner of Chicago, learned that the testing work was to be stopped in Michigan he immediately reviewed the records in the dairy division to see how much of the city's milk supply coming from that state would be affected by Gov. Green's orders.

The new health commissioner declared that during his administration the strict supervision of all milk coming into Chicago will be continued. He explained that Chicago receives 2,000 gallons of cream daily from Michigan, which amounts to about 5 per cent of the total cream supply of the city. This is shipped from five plants located at Charlotte, Galien, Hopkins, Otsego, and Zeeland. These plants hold permits issued by the health department to ship milk or cream to Chicago. The milk supply for these plants is produced on 1,863 farms in Allegan, Barry, Berrien, Eaton, Ingham, Jackson, Ottawa, and Van Buren counties. All of these counties, except Jackson [in which only six herds delivering to these plants are located], have been declared modified accredited areas, in which the percentage of reactors was below one-half of one per cent.

In Chicago.

"The Chicago department of health," said Dr. Kegel, "has expended approximately $9,000 during the last four years on the inspection and grading of the farms and plants in Michigan. This represents an investment which would be wiped out should it be necessary to shut off these five plants, due to failure to maintain the herds supplying them under state and federal supervision. There would probably be no immediate danger of this, due to the fact that these plants, shipping to Chicago, are all located in modified accredited counties.

"However, the retests on individual herds must be kept up to date, or it is necessary to bar this product from the Chicago market," warned the commissioner.

"The five states from which Chicago draws her milk and cream supply have made splendid progress under the state-federal cooperative tuberculosis eradication plan, and the Chicago department of health would regret very much to see the program in any state crippled, or even suspended for a several months' period," he said.

Fine Record to Date.

It is claimed that no other state has a better record than Michigan in its eradication work. If the testing is stopped for six months it would cost many times the amount of money needed to keep the work going until July 1, when the new appropriation will become available, according to Mr. Smith.

At the present time there are fourteen federal inspectors in Michigan. If the work stops these men will be transferred to other fields and men who are in a position to know say that there will not be the slightest hope of ever having as many return if the work is again taken up. There are also fifteen county veterinarians in the eradication work in Michigan who will have to look for other positions and many of them are not expected to return if they are taken away.

NEW COMBINE WAY



[Photo Courtesy F. H. Higgins.]

WINDROW PICK-UP—Pacific coast grain growers are demonstrating how easily oats are picked up with a combined harvester-thrasher attachment. The grain as shown here is first cut with the windrow header, which heads the grain and drops it alongside the combine in a neat windrow on top of the stubble, where air passes all around it and quickly dries it out.

With this attachment the grain farmer can start harvesting small grain a day or two earlier than he can even with the old binder method. This attachment aids in the harvesting of weedy wheat and other small grain.

FEEDER PICK-UP ATTACHMENT



[Photo Courtesy F. H. Higgins.]

WHERE PITCHFORKS ARE NOT NEEDED—With the combined harvester-thrasher attachment oats (shown in this picture) and other small grain in the shock can be picked up and elevated into the thrasher. This machine cuts the bands and evenly feeds the straw into the thrashing mechanism.

With this attachment, unevenly ripened fields may be cut and shocked and later thrashed with the combine. Under this plan all the labor of loading the bundles from the shock, hauling to a thrashing machine and unloading them is done away with and the cost of harvesting and thrashing is greatly lessened.

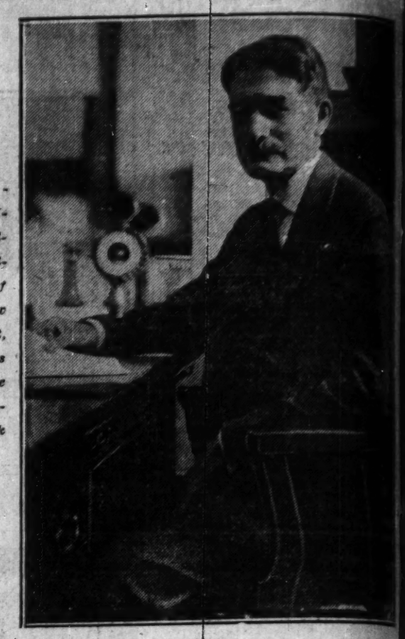
More Motor Trucks Bring Live Stock to Markets

THE INCREASED USE of motor trucks in the hauling of live stock direct from the farm to the terminal markets is indicated in a recent report of the Minnesota highway department. Analysis of one day's shipments to the Union Stock yards at South St. Paul, Minn., shows that on Nov. 29, shipments were received from 162 towns by truck. There were 473 loads, representing 648 separate consignments. Sixty-three per cent came distances of fifty miles or less, but 177 loads, or 37 per cent, came 51 to 110 miles.

The total number of cattle, hogs, calves and sheep received by truck during the first eleven months of 1927 was 550,772, compared to 519,443 in twelve months in 1927. Receipts so far this year are more than eight times as great as in 1920, the year before the trunk highway system was put into effect, says the report.

"Bringing live stock direct over the highways reduces the number of loading and unloading operations, shortens the time from farm to market, and usually brings the stock to the packing houses in better condition," says T. E. Good, president of the South St. Paul yards.

OPTIMISTIC ABOUT FARM



DEAN HERBERT W. MUMFORD of the College of Agriculture, University of Illinois, issues New Year's statement, focusing nation's attention on five bright spots in agriculture's outlook for 1928.

H. W. Mumford Finds Bright Spots in Farm Outlook

IN contrast to the gloom that comes along with many farm relief discussions, there is obvious optimism in the new year's statement dealing with agriculture's outlook issued this morning by Herbert W. Mumford, dean of the college of agriculture, University of Illinois, Urbana, Ill.

Dean Mumford says that while prosperity for the corn belt farmer is not just around the corner waiting to be ushered in, there are at least five bright spots to keep the outlook from being all black as the new season opens.

Bright Spots.

Here are his bright spots:

"Intelligent interest by other industries in the agricultural depression; increased efficiency on the part of the individual farmer; a shift of surplus labor from the farm to the city; broader opportunities for improved standards of living on the farm, and better farm organization."

"Social and economic equality for farming and farmers is a challenge to every citizen, be he farmer, banker or business man, to make such contributions in thought and action as may add something to the desired result. The prize of a readjusted agriculture with restored opportunity to young farmers is so great that I have faith in the forces at work in its accomplishment," Dean Mumford said.

Four different reports on the agricultural situation made within the last few years by different interests are cited by Dean Mumford as evidence that "it is doubtful if other industries have ever taken as intelligent interest in an agricultural depression as they have and are taking in this one."

Opinions of Expert.

Commenting on the increased efficiency of the individual farmer, he said, "It cannot be successfully maintained that the present agricultural distress of farmers in general is due to their inefficiency."

Dean Mumford believes that the shift of population from the farm to the city is to be a good thing for agriculture, because "agriculture needs fewer rather than more workers. Farming is not benefited by having to act as the haven for the unemployed."

Turning to the question of farm organization, he continued: "I believe it true that there were never as many farmers organized who had an intelligent reason for being organized as at the present time. In spite of the criticism that farmers cannot agree on what they want, the facts are that they agree about as well, probably better, than any other six million people that could be assembled and they are making encouraging progress in their ability to cooperate and work together."

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NEWS OF CHICAGO SOCIETY

Social Calendar Lists Gala Affairs

By Mildred Jaklon.

In a day or two the social city will have returned to normalcy, with only memories remaining of the mad, glad holidays that have just passed. The polite conventionality of New Year's calls, one of the few remnants of formality long dead, helps to establish the even tenor of smart ways after the hectic régime of collegiate youth. Mr. and Mrs. William Stanton Munroe, Mr. and Mrs. Kellogg Fairbank, and Mrs. Joseph E. Long are among those who will have informal New Year's parties, and John Robert Leonard, Daniel Leonard, and the Hibbard Casselberrys will give their annual New Year's affair, a tea dance, from 4 to 7 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at Mr. Leonard's residence, "Wildacre," in Winnetka.

The social calendar includes for the week, also, the Twelfth Night ball at the Stevens hotel on Friday evening, and the unique party ten of the season's most promising buds are to give on Saturday evening at the Casino. The Junior league announces the première of its second play of the winter, "The Land of Oz," at the Harris theater on Saturday morning.

A number of affairs are being planned for Prince and Princess A. Obolensky of Paris who are expected to arrive tomorrow, but they have not been made definite yet, pending the destinations and plans of the visitors.

WEDDINGS

No wedding or engagement announcement will be published in The Tribune unless it bears the signature, address, and telephone number of a parent of either the bride or bridegroom. Announcements should reach the society editor not later than the Wednesday morning preceding the Sunday they are to be published.

Miss Thelma Fowler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Parker Fowler of Evanston, was married on Dec. 23 to Albert Ruggles Mathias, son of Lee Darling Mathias and of Mrs. John H. Harries of Chicago. Mr. and Mrs. Mathias are at home at 244 East Pearson street.

Announcement has been made by Mr. and Mrs. Herbert R. Bell of Hammond, Ind., of the marriage of their daughter, Grace Woodhull, to Donald Cutler Blanke, son of Mrs. Everett N. Blanke of Greenwich, Conn., which took place on Dec. 13 in New York City.

Mrs. D. D. Culver of Aurora, Ill., announces the marriage of her daughter, Mildred, to Lloyd W. McDowell of Fort Madison, Ia., which took place on Christmas day.

The marriage is announced of Miss Dorothy Ruckelshausen, daughter of Mrs. Henry Ruckelshausen of Oak Park, to Lloyd W. Jacobs of Norwood, O., which took place on Christmas eve.

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Rose Askenos, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Askenos of Benton Harbor, Mich., to Hyman Cohn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cohn of 1923 Humboldt boulevard.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry M. Rosenblum of Waukegan, Ill., announce the marriage of their daughter, Berdice, to Hibbert B. Deal of Chicago on Dec. 22.

Mrs. Jennie Moshinsky of 1406 South Albany avenue announces the marriage of her daughter, Ione, to Benjamin Goldfarb, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Goldfarb.

The marriage of Miss Lillian Chavkin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Chavkin of 2701 Haddon avenue, to Leonard Louis Sutker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harris Sutker of 1517 South Spaulding avenue, takes place today.

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Sylvia B. Jacobson of Boughton, Wis., to Howard W. Dexter of 1525 East 67th place.

ENGAGEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Arian W. Converse of Winnetka announce the engagement of their daughter, Marcia Burnham, to Donald Olin Cady of Meriden, Conn., son of Mrs. H. Olin Cady of Evanston.

Announcement is made by Mr. and Mrs. John J. Lassahn of 2416 Winona street of the engagement of their daughter, Adele, to Franklin Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell D. Miller of Helena, Mont.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Campbell of 5459 Dorchester avenue announce the engagement of their niece, Lucile Elsie Bowman, to Courtland D. Banks, son of Mrs. Ralph P. Higgins of 4451 Greenwood avenue.

Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Jeannette Molsner, niece of Mr. and Mrs. William Molsner of 2129 Eastwood avenue, to George Kaufman of Chicago.

The engagement is announced of Miss Hazel Wexberg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Wexberg of 3027 Logan boulevard, to Ernest E. Strauss, son of Mrs. David Strauss of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Mooney of Glen Center announce the engagement of their daughter, Marjorie Ruth, to Julian W. Jackson of 5658 South Park way.

Announcement is made by Mr. and Mrs. Bernard F. Knauer of 1315 Norwood street of the engagement of their daughter, Margaret Helen, to Paul Gideon Zaring, son of Mrs. Irene B. Zaring of Chicago.

The engagement is announced of Miss Ellen Le Count, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. E. R. Le Count of 5757 Kenwood avenue, to Miller Koeper, son of Mr. Paul Koeper.

Henry J. Lehmann of Beverly Hills announces the engagement of his daughter, Lorraine Dixon, to William Sullivan, son of Michael Sullivan of Edgeport, Conn.

Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Lydia Joan Bylow of Chicago, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Bylow of Neenah, Wis., to D. Darnold of Kansas City, Mo.

The engagement is announced of Miss Margaret Bowmer Atkinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Bowmer Atkinson of Berwyn, to Frank Wood Giles Williams of Oak Park, son of Mrs. Frank Henry Williams of New Haven, Conn.

The engagement is announced of Miss Cerna Weinstein, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Weinstein of 3844 Congress street, to Milton Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Johnson of 1614 Columbia avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mautner of 1253 Glenlake avenue announce the engagement of their daughter, Louise, to David Paul Greenwald, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Greenwald of Hammond, Ind.

Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Evelyn Ehrenberg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Morris H. Ehrenberg of 3224 Roscoe street, to Manning L. Ware, son of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Ware of 3509 Medill avenue.

The engagement is announced of Miss Virginia Rose Mary Fruin, daughter of Mrs. Lillian M. Fruin of 2506 West Marquette road, to Joseph Francis Naughton, son of Mrs. Mary Naughton of 8141 Luella avenue.

S. A. Grimblot of 6259 Winthrop avenue announces the engagement of his daughter, Isabell, to Harry Lewis, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Lewis of 1618 North Shore avenue.

Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Rosalind E. Chaim, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Chaim of 1521 East 60th street, to Harold Newman, son of Mrs. Jack Newman of 2256 East 70th street.

The engagement is announced of Miss Jeanne Kosvick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harris Kosvick of 5728 South Park avenue, to Irving E. Keer, son of Mr. and Mrs. I. Keer of 6345 Ridgeland avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Brotine of 1319 South Harding avenue announce the engagement of their daughter, Anne, to Julius Sloan, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Sloan of 1458 Roosevelt road.

Announcement is made by Mrs. Bertha Davidson of 2236 East 70th street of the engagement of her daughter, Sylvia, to Sidney Newman of Chicago.

The engagement is announced of Miss Edythe Violet Nelson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nelson, to Leonard Allan Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Henry Williams of 2632 Hampden court.

Mr. and Mrs. David Novak of 907 Winona street announce the engagement of their sister, Emily Ginsburgh, to Charles Rubin of 2 South Mayfield avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolpe Armer of 840 Ainslie street announce the engagement of their daughter, Dorothy, to Jules J. Zohler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Zohler of 5838 South Park avenue.

The engagement is announced of Miss Shirley Shella Zimbler, daughter of Mrs. B. Zimbler of 1829 South Clifton Park avenue, to Dave Bernstein, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bernstein of 4110 Jackson boulevard.

Announcement is made by Mr. and Mrs. David Berman of 1240 South St. Louis avenue of the engagement of their daughter, Evelyn Helen, to George Friedman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Friedman of Chicago.

Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Gertrude Rubin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Rubin of 5405 Ingleside avenue, to Oscar Rifkind.

The engagement is announced of Miss Fannie J. Deutelbaum of 851 Drexel square to Edward I. Friedman.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Laskey of 1401 Olive avenue announce the engagement of their daughter, Martha Jeanne, to Leo Sussland, son of Mrs. Jennie Sussland of 1921 Estes avenue.

The engagement is announced of Miss Rhoda Cohen, daughter of Mr and Mrs. Joseph Cohen of 1318 South Kedzie avenue, to William Levine of 3628 Lexington street.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Dorticos of Park Ridge announce the engagement of their daughter, Carmencita, to Arthur Fergus Mead of Newark, N. J. The wedding will take place in the early summer.

Announcement is made by Mr. and Mrs. George R. Schoof of 3248 Fullerton avenue of the engagement of their daughter, Marjorie, to Henry P. Birkemeier, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Birkemeier of 6114 North Campbell avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Epstein of 5452 Ellis avenue announce the engagement of their daughter, Ruth, to Samuel H. Stern, of Omaha, Neb., and Chicago.

The engagement is announced of



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MRS. THORNE DONNELLEY, MASON PHELPS, MRS. WILLIAM E. CLOW JR., MRS. FARWELL WINSTON, AND WILLIAM E. CLOW JR.

THE Winter club in Lake Forest is promoting ice sports and skating among its members and their families. A large and jolly crowd turned out on Monday for a program of fancy skating by some imported performers. Donald B. Douglas, Hempstead Washburne, Thorne Donnelley, A. B. Dick Jr., and John H. McIlvaine Jr. are among the ringleaders in the arrangements. One of the amusing features of the affair was the bull fight staged by Mr. McIlvaine and Mr. Donnelley as the bull, and A. B. Dick Jr. as the matador.

Chronicler Looks Back Over the Year

By Mme. X.

GOOD-BY, 1927! Hail, 1928! And a Happy New Year to all my readers!

One more lap of what the late Charles Frohman, victim of the sinking of the Lusitania, called "the great adventure" has ended. It is the moment to pause and take a look, both back over the past and forward into the future. What changes have come in that social outfit which is supposed to be the especial concern of this pillar of polite piffle? How are our customs, manners, fashions, and outlook altered? Along what route are we going? Who of those with whom we have been traveling have solved the great riddle? Whither is this mighty experiment tending and what is our part in its direction?

These are many questions and this is the moment for asking them. As to our customs, manners, fashions, and outlook—to the unbiased observer it seems that a custom, one more honored in the breach than in the observance, that of drinking too much, which certainly prevailed not so many years ago, in the period immediately following the passing of the eighteenth amendment, is, in social circles, slowly diminishing and passing away. Not that we do not see our good friends occasionally under the influence of liquor, but it is not nearly so universal as it was, and especially among women and young girls is it becoming much rarer.

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A Practical Reason.

It must be confessed that, perhaps, the chief motive for this change among the fair sex lies not so much in the horror of putting that in the mouth that doth steal the soul away as because it has proved destructive of health and good looks. It is a curious fact that women who become addicts to this habit lose whatever they may have in the way of beauty much more completely and permanently than do men. A reformed man drunkard can become again attractive in appearance. A woman who has once been marked by the habit is never henceforth fair to look upon.

Our manners, too, have improved in the last few years, even in the year just gone. You see fewer young men in the casual attire of dinner coat and black tie at formal parties. The youth of the day is also much more punctilious in its attitude toward the elders of the tribe. That bumptiousness which became so evident directly after the war, that tendency to assert freedom and independence among this contingent is not nearly so obvious as formerly.

The fashions for women which govern our outward appearance and our backgrounds have developed along some interesting lines. While the skirts may be as short as they were last year, there are appearing at the sides or in the back draperies that fly out and sweep about the shorter under skirt in a way to suggest an approaching return to longer dresses. The slinking outline and utter annihilation of any evidence of hips is giving way to a bouffant treatment at the waist line that looks ominous to those femmes who are inclined to be both short and plump.

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Designed for the Slim.

These newer frocks are so evidently designed for the tall and slim that the rest of womankind can only beseech that their squatter outlines also will be considered. Are the walking bird cages of the Spanish Infantas returning to make life a burden? It is to be hoped not. Also, we pray the powers that govern modes not to withdraw entirely those healthgiving short skirts and loose blouses. And we beg them to leave us the small, close fitting hats that shade the eyes and make us independent of strong breezes.

As to the immediate outlook of the social world, it is both interesting and cheerful. While there are many of our social leaders who are already beginning to pack up their trunks in order to flit to warmer climes, there will be enough of this hospitable contingent left to fill our days with entertainment and our evenings with gayety. It is hardly probable that January, however, will see as many big balls as did departed December, whose lists were full of these festive affairs. The two principal events of this kind that are ahead on our calendars are the Twelfth Night ball, which will take place Jan. 6, and second Assembly ball, dated for Jan. 9.

Never were there more sumptuous invitations sent out by any ball committee than those lustrous silver and gilt bids issued by the Twelve Knights in charge of these historic and brilliant Twelfth Night balls. These affairs have far outgrown their origin, that was the jolly and informal dances the late Billy Gamble invented, got up and managed practically alone and unaided, and to which he first gave the name Butchers and Bakers, later changing it to Twelfth Night ball.

This year this gay contingent has selected one of the most poetic, imaginative, exquisite stories in history as the episode to be illustrated by the guests and the ball room. Nothing in all literature and ancient records is quite so fascinating as the legend of Atlantis, the lost island in the ocean off the northwest coast of Africa, which with its inhabitants and civilization is said to have disappeared beneath the waves. There are those who believe that these strange tales, handed down by word of mouth for countless generations, were founded on fact; that once there existed such an island peopled by a race far ahead of the rest of their contemporaries in civilization and accomplishments. By some it was believed to be a sort of matriarchy, a forerunner of today when women are supposed to be coming to the fore as custodians of culture and ideals.

In the surging mists of the unfathomable past the vision of Atlantis rises in prismatic splendor. Those seeking to express it in costume can indulge all their fervid and brilliant imaginings. The ball ought to be one of the most colorful and exquisite of the long line of these fancy dress dances. If, like some, you thought the ornamental invitation was a Christmas card or advertisement, hasten to retrieve it and

SOCIETY PERSONALS

Senator and Mrs. James E. MacMurray of the Hotel Windermere are to depart on Saturday for a trip around the world.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Malloch of 1532 Thome avenue have had as their guests for the holidays their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Vilas M. Swan of Rochester, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel S. Hork of 3520 Sheridan road announce the birth of a daughter on Dec. 22 at St. Luke's hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Rose have returned from their wedding trip and are residing at the Flamingo hotel. Mrs. Rose was Miss Reeva Alfremow before her marriage, which took place on Thanksgiving day.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Anderson of 6846 Euclid avenue and their niece, Miss Lucile Caroline Berggren, departed on Wednesday to motor to Miami, Fla., where they plan to be for the remainder of the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Granville Revere Lewis III. of Wilmette have returned from a sojourn in New York City, Baltimore, and Lynchburg, Va. Mrs. Lewis was formerly Miss Natalie Madeline Yonkers. Her sister, Mrs. George Albert Zabriskie, and the latter's small son have also returned from New York City, where they have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cornell Zabriskie.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar L. Goodspeed of 5706 Woodlawn avenue are sojourning at the Edgewater Golf hotel, between Gulfport and Biloxi, Miss.

Miss Grace Sollitt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sumner Sollitt of 3995 Ellis avenue, has been spending the holidays from her studies at Sweet Briar college with her parents. Miss Sollitt is a senior and editor in chief of the college weekly.

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prepare to accept it, or you will miss one of the gayest parties of 1928.

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The Second Assembly.

While some of those who attended the first Assembly ball of this season at the Congress hotel on Nov. 9 have departed for the west or the south or even further afield, there are enough of the well known folk, the very fabric of our social life, to provide a representative and brilliant gathering at the second of these annual fêtes. There is there a friendly atmosphere together with an elegance which makes these balls one of the loftiest of the winter's high spots.

To the young they may lack that element of final gayety which they think that they alone can impart, but to their elders who delight in these reunions there is a really chic and cosmopolitan air which is not to be attained without a certain knowledge of life and the world unattainable by mere youth.

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A Gay Month.

In the annals of our social doings, December, 1927, will go down as having been one of the gayest in Chicago's history. There were over twenty balls and dinner dances in those thirty-one days given by and for Chicago's "pretty werld." This does not include the many large dinners, the beautiful musicals, and other evening entertainments which enlivened the month.

On Dec. 2 the James Weber Linns gave a dinner dance at the Blackstone for their debutante daughter, Miss Elizabeth Linn. On the following evening Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Richardson were hosts at a dinner dance at the Casino to introduce their daughter, Miss Frances Richardson. That same evening Mr. and Mrs. Philip Hosmer introduced their daughter, Miss Jessie Hosmer, at a dinner dance given in the Fortnightly's rooms.

Dec. 9 saw the first of the two Assembly balls at the Congress hotel. Dec. 16 was the date of the Actors' Equity ball at the Aragon, one of the season's gayest affairs. That same evening Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Borland and Mr. and Mrs. James C. Hutchins gave a dinner dance at the Casino.

On the twentieth of the month Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rumsey were hosts at a ball at the Blackstone for their debutante daughter, Miss Elizabeth Rumsey, and for another debutante, Miss Barbara Neff. The night after at the same place another debutante, Miss Roberta Harvey, made her bow at a ball given by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Harvey.

Dec. 22 Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Munroe presented their daughter, Miss Josephine Munroe, also at a ball at the Blackstone. The same ballroom was selected by Robert Carr for the ball he gave the night after in honor of his debutante daughter, Miss Louise Carr.

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On Christmas Eve.

On Dec. 24 Mr. and Mrs. John Blair were hosts at a dinner dance in the French foyer of the Palmer house, the occasion being the debut of their daughter, Miss Elizabeth Blair.

In the Red Lacquer room of the same hostelry Miss Virginia Vilas and her brother, Royal C. Vilas Jr., invited their young friends to a dinner dance that night. On Dec. 26 Mr. and Mrs. James W. Morrisson were hosts at a dinner in honor of their daughter, Miss Rosemary Morrisson, in the Red Lacquer room of the Palmer house. Later that same evening Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Dennehy gave a ball at the Blackstone for their daughter, Miss Eleanor Dennehy.

The night after Mr. and Mrs. John D. C. Towne gave a ball at the Blackstone for Mrs. Towne's debutante daughter, Miss Dorothy Vilas. Mrs. Jacob Baur was hostess at a dinner dance that same evening for her subdeb daughter, Miss Rosemary Baur, at the Casino. Henry H. Porter gave a ball the succeeding evening at the Blackstone for one of the season's debutantes, Miss Louise Brewer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Harris Brewer. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brewster gave a dinner dance preceding the ball for Miss Brewer and the younger set at their residence, 2710 Lake View avenue.

That same evening Mr. and Mrs. Gustavus Swift and Mr. and Mrs. Huntington Henry gave a dance at the Casino for their young people. Mrs. Howard Shaw was hostess before this event at a dinner for her young daughter, Miss Frances Theodora Shaw.

On Dec. 30 Mr. and Mrs. Frank Logan gave a Russian ball at the Palmer house in honor of their granddaughter, Miss Josephine Munroe. The last night, the final effort of the year, the only large entertainment even smacking of society was the dance given at the Hal Tabarin by the members of the new Tavern club, so completely has Mr. Volstead undermined old established custom and destroyed that long accepted method of drinking out the old and drinking in the new year. Probably there are not nearly so many headaches this morning as used to be the case.

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New Year's Functions.

Today's most conspicuous social function is the buffet luncheon which Mr. and Mrs. Kellogg Fairbank are giving at their residence, 1244 North State street. This has become an institution and to have the first day of the year come and go without this opportunity to have a gay rendezvous with the various interesting folk who compose our society would seem a real hardship to most of us. The Fairbanks know and cherish many different kinds of people, including the literary, artistic, musical, fashionable, the young, and not so young, members of our older families and newcomers, so that one is sure there of ushering in the young year in as excellent company as can be gathered together in Chicago. The afternoon always ends in singing in which, one after another, the entire company joins.

Another annual event in the social world to usher in the new year is the reception which Mr. and Mrs. William Stanton Monroe and Miss Harriet Monroe are in the habit of giving on this day. This year, as 1928 is born on a Sunday, they are asking their friends in on the official New Year's day, which is tomorrow, when they will be received from four to seven o'clock at the Monroe apartment, 64 East Elm street.

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Empty Places.

Looking back once more on the year that has just passed into history, your chronicler notes many vacancies in the ranks of those who made up our social and civic life. Men and women of high standing among us, fellow citizens who meant much to Chicago, who were delightful companions, some of them childhood playmates to many of us, have passed out and on into that great silence that hems all of us in, from which we come and into which we go.

It seems as if more deaths came in the late winter or early spring than at any other period of the year. Between January 1 and May Ernest Hamill, Ambrose Cramer, George F. Porter, Benjamin Carpenter, Dexter Fairbank, Howard Shaw, Mrs. James Keeley (dear Gertrude Keeley!), all answered the great summons.

In the summer Ogden Armour, whose name was known around the globe, also left this warm and cheerful precincts of this life, while in the autumn came the shocking disaster which ended the lives of that devoted couple, Mr. and Mrs. John J. Mitchell. This necrological list is, I know, incomplete and inadequate. These all were friends and neighbors who, in their departure, left vacancies that never can be filled in the rest of the march. We must just close up ranks and go on our strange and mysterious road. Do you remember this ancient toast?

"Here's to Life!
Our entrance to it is naked and bare;
Our progress through it is heavy with care;
Our exit from it is to God knows where;
But if you're all right here you're all right there."

And these friends above cited were all right here, so we may be sure they're all right there.

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A Fine Performance.

The talent Chicago's society folk develop as they go along their chosen ways is always a matter of keen interest to the provider of this social pabulum. There is that exquisite, incredibly young, unbelievably determined, and perfectly plucky Elinor Patterson who is now in the delightful company presenting that whimsical and charming satire, "Behold This Dreamer," at the Blackstone theater. She seems more like an ethereal, mystical maiden when she first comes on the stage than a flesh and blood Miss. She plays her rôle from first to last consistently and efficiently, though preserving the same nunlike quality that gained her renown when she alternated with Lady Diana Manners and Iris Tree in "The Miracle" last year.

The piece itself is a delicious and very delicate satire, and the company is excellent. Young Glenn Hunter and that veteran of theaterdom, Thomas A. Wise, are irresistible, and are ably supported by the other actors, Patricia O'Hearn (utterly amusing), William Lorenz, Mary Jane Herring, J. J. Hyland, Edward Donnelly, and James Seeley. Each of those in the cast was so good in his or her rôle that the company was able to put over a subtle comedy which needed the best kind of acting to reach the average theatergoing public. Nor am I talking in this laudatory fashion because I am on the W. G. N. staff and Elinor Patterson is a great-granddaughter of the founder of THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE. I'm not supposed to be a dramatic critic and could stay off the subject with great propriety if I did not want to testify to the real pleasure I enjoyed at the Blackstone last Tuesday evening.

It was an unexpected enjoyment, I must confess. It is so seldom that one really likes those of our friends and social acquaintances who take to the stage. Even when they write very clever books the consciousness of their personalities stands between us and genuine pleasure in their work. As for giving a fair judgment on the merits or demerits of the achievements of our close kin, our blood relations, whether in literature, or art, or music, or the stage—well, it's not possible. In writing of Elinor Patterson I am dilating on one whom I don't know now, though I did when she was a little girl. Then to an outsider there was little indication of the present very unusual and purposeful personality.

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Irene Castle Takes Up Pen.

The other unexpected development of talent in a socially prominent young woman is the case of Mrs. Frederic McLaughlin, who is blossoming out into a writer of no mean order. In a series of articles she is now contributing to Liberty she is proving herself as adept with the pen as she was as a dancer when she set a new fashion in this oldest of human modes of expression.

She writes under the name she made so famous when, as Irene Castle, she delighted the gay world on both sides of the Atlantic with her grace and charm. In a serial called, "Things We Remember," now appearing, she gives an account both thrilling and humorous of her life from the time she married Vernon Castle, a man in his life as famous as she as a creator of a new mode of dancing. The latest chapter in this series is one of the most entertaining of recent contributions to current periodicals.

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Whither Are We Tending?

Whither, to return to my opening paragraph, is this age tending? Is it towards the greater happiness and satisfaction of the majority? I think that in this country it is. We are nowhere near the goal of our desires, but we are on the road toward it. We are in a transition era out of which promises to grew a better, higher civilization. We are casting off old superstitions, old customs, old ideas of what constitutes right and wrong. We are giving a greater value to truth as far as we can see it, and also to candor. The prudishness that prevailed during what we call the Victorian age is falling from us like a worn out garment. It covered a lot of nastiness. We are outgrowing traditions that bound our ancestors in chains. We are much farther along the path towards ultimate spiritual sanity and freedom than many of us realize, with a better sense of relative values.

It seems old fashioned, these days, to look up to people because of some fancied inherited superiority or caste. Kings and queens, princes and nobles and such like are becoming quaint relics of the past. Even wealth does not confer that exalted state it once did. Can a rich man get a high office, one in the gift of the people? He cannot. Have we ever elected a financial magnate to the presidency of the United States of America—the most powerful position today existing? We have not.

In our social life there is an increasing regard for the essentials in human companionship. Social leaders are also leaders in the philanthropies in a community. More and more are women beginning to understand their responsibilities to the state. The nineteenth amendment will in time be a reality to them, something which they will use to the advantage of the country.

Social usages, too, are becoming saner. Overeating is not nearly so prevalent as it was a generation or two ago. Work as an accompaniment to daily life is becoming the mode among the young women of the time. Few of them are contented with the former state of domestic inertia which tied them to the parental apron strings, waiting for marriage. In fact, if they don't get out of the home of their own accord their parents are apt to do so for them, turning them out to find their calling in the strenuous battle for existence.

Could our grandparents return they would find a very different state of things in daily life from that which they left behind them. The automobile, the radio, electricity in its many forms, have all changed the face of existence and released women from much former drudgery. Freedom and sanity, those are today's passwords.



MISS PRISCILLA HELENA ZAHN.
[De Haven Photo.]

Mr. and Mrs. Albert H. Zahn of the Sutherland hotel, 4659 Drexel boulevard, announce the engagement of their daughter, Priscilla Helena, to Burton Victor Baruszak, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Baruszak of 5421 Dorchester avenue.



MISS EVELYN WYNNE OLSON.
[Bloom Photo.]

Mr. and Mrs. Olof Olson of 532 Hinman avenue, Evanston, announce the engagement of their daughter, Evelyn Wynne, to E. Walter Erickson.



MRS. ROBERT SIM REINACH.
[Teloff Photo.]

Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Ginsburg of Muskogee, Okla., announce the marriage of their daughter, Eleanor, to Robert Sim Reinach. Mr. and Mrs. Reinach are to reside at 7657 Sheridan road.



MISS RUTH MARGUERITE KRAFTHEFER.
[Holbrook Photo.]

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Krafthefer of Wilmette announce the engagement of their daughter, Ruth Marguerite, to Edward B. Casey of 1515 Pratt boulevard.



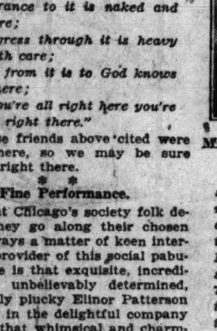
MISS HAZEL STROUBE ANDERSON.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Anderson of 5429 West 62d place announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Hazel Stroube, to Walter E. Marks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Marks of 1475 West 72d street, which will take place Jan. 7. Mr. Marks was 1926 captain of the University of Chicago football team, and is now football coach at Indiana State Normal college at Terre Haute, Ind., where he and his bride will reside.



MISS OLINE ELIZABETH TAYLOR.
[Boehlk Photo.]

Mr. and Mrs. Tracy J. Taylor of 5436 Harper avenue announce the engagement of their daughter, Oline Elizabeth, to Jacob Brandt Olwin, son of Mr. and Mrs. William G. Olwin of Peoria, Ill. Miss Taylor is a graduate of the National Kindergarten and Elementary college, and Mr. Olwin attended the University of Chicago, and is a member of Phi Kappa Sigma fraternity.



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WOMEN'S CLUB PAGE

Federation to Hold Midwinter Meeting

By Kate Webber.

HAPPY NEW YEAR!

Starting in with a whirl of activity — social, cultural, and civic—the women's clubs of the first ten districts, comprising Chicago and vicinity, are in a fair way to make the last half of the club season a red letter period.

The seventh congressional district of the Illinois Federation of Women's clubs is setting the pace for other districts by its midwinter meeting to be held on Thursday at the Albany Park Methodist church, Wilson and Albany avenues. A full program will take up both morning and afternoon sessions, with Mrs. Walter W. Seymour, state president, as guest and principal speaker after luncheon. Reports of district chairmen and plans of work for the remainder of the year will fill the morning.

The seventh district covers the northwest side of the city, embracing in addition the towns of Edison Park, Park Ridge, Norwood Park, Forest Glen, Mont Clare, Arlington Heights, Mount Prospect, Des Plaines, and Barrington. There are thirty-five clubs in the membership, with a total of 1,200 women, and the district is, of course, affiliated with the state federation and has been since 1898. The district has coöperated with the state in each of its sixteen departments of work, and has paid to the endowment in excess of $3,000.

Study Classes Featured.

During the last season the district has attempted a unique bit of work by organizing and financing study classes, which have become so popular that they promise to become regular features of the district activity. Since October Dr. Franklin Bliss Snyder has conducted literature classes each week and, beginning in late February, Miss Caroline McIlvaine will give a course of illustrated lectures on the history of the state.

Another group of women in the community have completed a ten hour course in parliamentary law under Mrs. Maurice H. Lieber, and this month will take up a course in public speaking.

All departments of the district are active. The philanthropic department concentrates its work on the four settlement houses in the district. One large affair is given each year to finance the department's activities. The affair this year is to be a card party on Feb. 29 at the Edgewater Beach hotel.

District Park Created.

The conservation department has been instrumeutal in having a strip of land in the Edgebrook forest preserve set aside as a district park. Bird baths, rustic seats, a monumental arch, and a flagpole will be placed there as testimonials to the district work.

Mrs. Ole Jensen is chairman of the friendly coöperation with ex-service men committee, which has just completed a splendid bit of Christmas cheer work for former soldiers. The week before Christmas members went to Elgin laden with 1,500 packages for the 430 world war veterans at the hospital there. This is typical of the work carried on constantly by this department. Similar parties have been given at the Municipal Tuberculosis sanitarium, Great Lakes hospital, and North Chicago hospital.

The district has had fourteen presidents, most of whom are still interested in, and many of them active in club work, one having died. Officers for the current year are Mrs. J. M. Laventhal, president; Mrs. W. E. Adams and Mrs. F. J. Fielding, vice presidents; Mrs. T. A. Jordan, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Charles Peters, recording secretary; Mrs. John S. Eipper, treasurer.



MRS. DUDLEY J. STEVISON.



MRS. EDWIN O. GRIFFENHAGEN. [Bayhuff-Richter Photo.]



MRS. J. M. LAVENTHAL. [Montfort Photo.]

THE Woodlawn Woman's club, with a membership of more than 300 women, is beginning the last half of one of the most interesting seasons in its career, under the leadership of the president, Mrs. Dudley J. Stevison. New departments recently added to the club are the junior members, the information bureau, and the committee which keeps account of members who are ill or incapacitated for active work.

The Chicago College club will keep open house tomorrow afternoon at its attractive quarters at 196 East Delaware place. Mrs. Edwin O. Griffenhagen, president, the officers and a large committee will receive the guests.

Mrs. J. M. Laventhal is president of the seventh congressional district, Illinois Federation of Women's Clubs, which will have its midwinter meeting on Thursday at the Albany Park Methodist church. An account of the district activities may be found in today's club news.



MRS. FRANK M. FULTON,

The Chicago Woman's Ideal club, of which Mrs. Frank M. Fulton is president, will give a program of music and theatricals next Saturday evening at the Blackstone for the husbands of members. Mrs. Serai Goldman is chairman of the program for the evening, which will have stars in theatrical productions now appearing as headliners. Sidney Smith of The Tribune also will speak.

DOWNTOWN CLUBS

The board of directors of the first district, I. F. W. C., will meet tomorrow morning at headquarters. There will be a meeting of the public welfare department at 2 o'clock. On Tuesday morning the literature department will meet, and the committee on coöperation with war veterans will meet on Wednesday morning, as will the legislative committee. There will be a meeting of the education department on Friday morning.

Two dramas, "Ropes" and the "The Flattering Word," will be presented at the Chicago Woman's club next Wednesday at 2 o'clock by the Chicago Art theater.

Tomorrow will be a holiday, the rooms to be closed all day. On Tuesday there will be a special meeting of the board of managers at 10 o'clock, and at the same hour the house committee will meet. At 11 o'clock the book review group will meet. The two classes in Italian will meet at the usual hours.

On Wednesday there will be an executive committee meeting of the education and philosophy department at 10 o'clock, followed by a business meeting of the department at 10:30 o'clock. At 10:30 the art class will meet to continue the study of monuments and mural decorations in Illinois. The three classes in French will meet at the usual hours.

On Thursday the English study class will meet at 10:30 to study character sketches. On Friday the class in current events will meet. On Saturday the American speech committee will meet at 11 o'clock, and at 12:30 o'clock the education and philosophy department will give a luncheon, when Hughes Mearns of New York university will speak on "The Conservation of Youth Power."

Events of the week at the Woman's city club include the meeting of the education of the adult foreigner committee on Wednesday at 11:45 o'clock, and at 2:30 George Utley of Newberry library will speak on "European Libraries," before the book review committee. On Thursday at noon the civic city committee will have a meeting. The recreation committee will have a self-service luncheon on Friday and at 1 o'clock the municipal citizenship committee will meet for luncheon when Shelby Singleton, secretary of the Citizens' association of Chicago, will speak on "What Is Chicago's Method of Filling the Office of Adult Probation Officer."

The midwinter business meeting of the Chicago Woman's Aid will be held on Tuesday at 2 o'clock, when reports of committees and delegates will be given by the various chairmen. On Thursday at 11 o'clock the first of a series of lectures of the civics and philanthropy department will be given by Irving St. John Tucker.

Mrs. May Wood Simons, president, and the directors of the Woman's University club have extended invitations for a housewarming on Thursday from 2 until 5 o'clock in the new club rooms, 5 North Wabash avenue.

Mrs. Allen Howes will speak on the origin and progress of French music to the 18th century on Tuesday at the meeting of Le Cercle Français. There also will be music.

Dr. Gilmore Scott of Franklin college, Franklin, Ind., will speak at the meeting of the Daughters of Indiana on Tuesday afternoon.

Dr. Frank Nugent Freeman, Dr. Herman Adler, and Dr. Julius Toren will speak at the meeting of the Central Council of Childhood Education on Saturday at 11 o'clock in the Central Eleanor club rooms.

Miss Anna Lynch will be the guest at a luncheon to be given on Saturday at 12:30 o'clock by the Chicago College club. A card party followed by tea also will be given on that day.

A luncheon will be given on Jan. 4 at Marshall Field's by the Colonial Coverlet Guild of America. G. M. Moritz will speak.

Henry Turner Bailey of the Cleveland public schools will speak at the meeting of the Catholic Woman's league on Saturday afternoon, after which there will be a social hour.

There will be a meeting of the Daughters of the Renaissance on Tuesday afternoon at the usual time and place.

The January meeting of the Osteopathic Woman's club will be held on Thursday at the Eleanor club rooms, with Dr. Fannie E. Carpenter as the speaker.

The monthly luncheon meeting of the P. E. O. sorority will be held on Wednesday at 12 o'clock at Marshall Field's.

"The Evolution of Dress" will be the subject of the meeting of the Chicago Woman's Ideal club on Thursday at the Blackstone. The club will give its annual dinner dance on Saturday evening at the Blackstone.

The executive committee of the Cook County W. C. T. U. will meet on Tuesday at 2 o'clock in room 811 Capitol building. County department directors will give reports, as will local union presidents.

Mrs. John E. Gilchrist will speak at the meeting of the Dames of the Loyal Legion tomorrow at the Morrison hotel.

NORTH SIDE CLUBS

Mrs. Arthur L. Farwell of 1301 Ritchie court is giving the use of her house for the first of a series of lectures on child study on Thursday at 3 o'clock. The lectures are being sponsored by the board of directors of the Lower North Child Guidance center, which is maintained at 1120 North Clark street under the supervision of the Institute for Juvenile Research of the University of Chicago. It serves the community by examining and treating children who manifest behavior difficulties in home, school or community. Mrs. George B. Foster is chairman of ticket sales.

Mrs. Charles W. Hubbard will speak on "The Arts and Crafts of China" at the meeting of the Rogers Park Woman's club on Tuesday afternoon.

The monthly meeting of the Uptown League of Women Voters will be held on Wednesday at the Algonquin hotel, when William F. Mulvihill will speak on "Our Waterways."

Legislation which affects the home will be the subject for discussion at the noon meeting of the Lake View Woman's club on Tuesday. Victor S. Yarros will speak at 2:30 o'clock.

The Irving Park Woman's club will give a dinner dance on Saturday evening at the Edgewater Beach hotel.

Correct table settings and decorations will be discussed at the meeting of the Sauganash Woman's club on Tuesday afternoon, and there also will be music.

Genevieve Forbes Herrick will speak at the meeting of the Temple Emanuel Sisterhood on Tuesday afternoon.

A mothers' and daughters' program will feature the meeting of the Mount Sinai Hospital Service club on Tuesday afternoon at the Edgewater Beach hotel.

There will be a business meeting of the Virginia Colony club on Wednesday at 12 o'clock at the Belden Stratford hotel, after which there will be luncheon and cards.

The Altar and Rosary society of St. Thomas of Canterbury church will give a card party tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock at 4827 Kenmore avenue.

A musical will be given at the meeting of the Joyce Kilmer league on Tuesday evening at the Rogers Park Woman's club.

SOUTH SIDE CLUBS

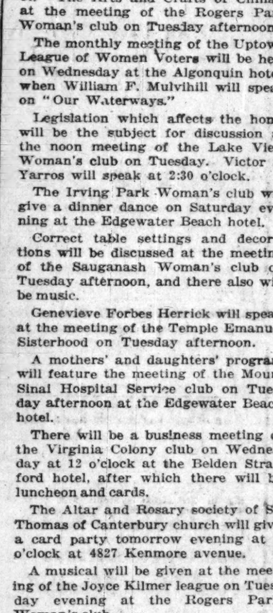
Prof. Davis Edwards will give an interpretation of Deems Taylor's "The King's Henchman" on Friday afternoon before the members of the Arché club. The art class will meet at 11 o'clock.

Mrs. Thomas M. Lineweaver will speak on "New Gateways to Education for Women Workers in Industry" on Tuesday afternoon at the meeting of the Windsor Park Woman's club.

Rufus W. Putnam and Prof. Jerome Kerwin will speak on "The Problems of Water Power" at a dinner to be given on Tuesday evening at 6:30 o'clock at 6207 University avenue under the auspices of the Sixth Ward League of Women Voters.

The Chrysolite club will hold its first meeting of the new year on Tuesday at the Windermere hotel. A business meeting of the executive board at 10 o'clock will be followed by a business and industrial meeting, luncheon, and a card party for members and guests.

ENGAGED



MISS ANNETTE EDITH HELLER. [Roehlk Photo.]

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Heller of 4937 Woodlawn avenue have announced the engagement of their daughter, Annette Edith, to Alan J. Altheimer of 4858 Drexel boulevard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice L. Altheimer of Little Rock, Ark. Miss Heller is a student at the Sherwood School of Music, and Mr. Altheimer is a graduate of the Columbia University School of Law, '25.

CLUB ETHICS - - - *By Maude Swalm Evans*

"IT'S time for New Year's resolutions again. I suppose you have yours all down in black and white," said the secretary when she talked with the treasurer at a holiday gathering. "You're always on time with everything."

"I've been thinking about that resolution business," answered the treasurer, "and I've decided it would be lots more exciting to draw up resolutions for someone else rather than for oneself."

"I'm sure it would be, now I think of it," affirmed the secretary. "Take, for instance, the member of our club who always writes fault-finding, sarcastic letters to me when anything in the club goes contrary to her liking. I've had three from her so far this week."

"How would this do? 'Resolved, that hereafter when I write a letter that isn't happy and courteous I'll mail it to myself and find out now it sounds when it's cold.'"

"Fine!" commended the secretary. "And there's the member who is always right and is always admitting it—you know her?"

"Here's one for her," replied the treasurer. 'Resolved, that I'll admit I'm wrong once in a while, during the coming year, whether or not I think I am'."

"'We're getting along famously," laughed the secretary. "How about the one who takes office and doesn't do the work. What have you for her?"

"She's probably discovered that the reward of work well done is more work. Let's see—how's this—'Resolved, that hereafter I'll do well what I promise to do, but I'll be exceedingly careful when it comes to promising'."

"So far I've provided all the material for your resolutions," declared the secretary. "It's your turn, now."

"It was meeting a woman who I thought should reform her ways that started me to thinking about an exchange of New Year's resolutions," returned the treasurer. "She's never belonged to a club, yet she blames everything that goes wrong at home and abroad on the club woman. Here's mine for her: 'Resolved, that before I believe anything more against the club woman I'll join a club and find out what it's all about'."

Question.

May we make by-laws for our club that conflict with our parliamentary authority?

Reply.

A club is a law unto itself as long as it does not conflict with the state law. Parliamentary authority governs only in matters not covered by constitution, by-laws, or standing rules.

It will be new members' day on Wednesday at the Beverly Hills Woman's club.

Mrs. John Borrowdale will be hostess for a meeting of the Martha Washington club on Friday afternoon, when Mrs. Walter W. Seymour will be a guest.

An all day program will feature the meeting of the Woodlawn Woman's club on Tuesday. A class in better speech and reports of departmental activities will take up the morning session. In the afternoon there will be a musical program and a talk by Leonard A. Barrett.

There will be a meeting of the board of the South Side Catholic Woman's club on Thursday morning, followed by a program in the afternoon in charge of the social service department. The Rev. Eugene McGuinness will speak.

Mrs. Minna Schmidt will be the speaker at the meeting of the Hamilton Park Woman's club on Tuesday afternoon. There will be a morning session in charge of the American citizenship and legislative department.

Election of officers for the woman's auxiliary of the Oakhaven Old People's home will be held on Thursday at 6401 Harvard avenue. Luncheon will be served.

Dr. Gerson B. Levi will give a book review at the meeting of the Temple Sisterhood on Wednesday afternoon.

WEST SIDE CLUBS

Open house for members and guests will be the feature of the West End Woman's club meeting on Friday afternoon. There will be a program of music.

A talk and exhibit of old china will constitute the program at the meeting of the Hull House Woman's club on Wednesday.

The music department of the Millard Avenue Woman's club will have charge of the program at the meeting on Friday afternoon at Shedd Park community house.

SUBURBAN CLUBS

A book review will be given at the meeting of the drama department of the Western Springs Woman's club on Friday afternoon.

A program of songs and music will feature the meeting of the La Grange Woman's club on Tuesday afternoon.

ISN'T IT ODD?

By William Atherton Du Puy

ISN'T it odd that man should have found it possible to make a strong, vigorous plant with roots in the ground that it has taken years to develop, adopt a spindling little seedling, and transfer all its vigor to its foster child!

Here is the way it is done. A vigorous peach tree may be growing in the orchard. It is four years old but produces very ordinary peaches. This man, however, was last year traveling in the west and, when his train stopped at some way station, he bought a basket of peaches. They were the best he had ever eaten and so he saved the seeds. He planted them and the next summer they were growing slowly as delicate little plants. This man knew it would take six or eight years before these plants would come into bearing.

So he decided to give them stepmothers to help them along. He took them up with balls of dirt about their roots. He went to the four-year-old peach tree and scraped out a bit of a trough in its bark; he also scaped the outer bark from the side of the tiny seedling. Then he bound the wounds in these two plants firmly together.

The older tree was getting abundant nourishment from its roots. The seedling was getting enough nourishment from its ball of dirt to keep it going for a while. But the trees grew together at the wound. Presently the seedling began to draw on the older tree for nourishment. In the end it got all its vitality from this source. It began to grow faster than if it had depended on its own roots. Finally the roots of the young tree and the top of the old one were cut off. This turned all the vigor of this four-year-old tree into the seedling. It grew as such a young plant had never grown before. In the second year, so full of vigor was it, that it bore fruit. The owner of the orchard got some of his choice peaches in two years, instead of six.

This use of the stepmother tree has proven a great help to scientists who have been experimenting with the development of new fruits. A scientist may cross one sort of plum with another. He is hoping that he may develop a better plum. Or he may cross an orange with a grapefruit, this being possible since these plants are closely related. He is most anxious to know what will result from the cross. At best he may have to wait through tedious years. Then, to develop a superior fruit, he may have to again select certain plants, cross them again, and wait for results.

By using the stepmother tree in such experiments the scientist can hurry nature. He can reduce the time he will have to wait between the different stages of the experiment from six years to two. Thus is the tedium of such experiments lessened. Thus is the likelihood increased that the experiment will be carried through to final results. Thus are the chances increased that 10 or 20 years from now the public will begin to get new and superior varieties of fruit. Since this method has been in use nearly two decades it is probable that the tables of the public are already beginning to benefit from it.

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"Why, no, mother," said he, "I was just trying to see if I could hit the dog's tail."

N. G.

NEW YORK SOCIETY
James Speyer Weds Soon, Rumor States

By Nancy Randolph.

NEW YORK.—[Special Correspondence.]—Just at present there's a delightful rumor running along Park avenue to the effect that James Speyer, the noted banker, is considering matrimony a second time.

Of course, Mr. Speyer has long been noted in society for the depth of his affection for his wife, the late Ellin Prince Speyer, whose love for animals has been perpetuated not only in the Ride-a-Wee home but in the Ellin Prince Speyer Memorial Home for Animals, founded and maintained by Mr. Speyer in his wife's memory.

That the personable banker should be considering entering upon matrimony is not at all remarkable, since I know he is regarded in many quarters as a most eligible party, and many the matron and elderly maid who has angled fruitlessly to ensnare the affection of the middle aged banker. In fact, the angling has bordered on downright persecution.

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Society Approves.

In this case, however, the lady whom Mr. Speyer has been considering as his second helpmeet is herself of great social importance, none other, indeed, than the erstwhile Anita Stewart, daughter of William Rhinelander Stewart and widow of the late Duc de Braganza.

Mrs. Miguel de Braganza, since she has long since dropped the use of the royal Portuguese title, is quietly active in society. She spends most of her time in Newport and New York and seems more than happy to be with her son and her daughter, Nadedja, still a sub-deb.

While nothing at all has been said in the way of an announcement, the Park avenue tea gatherings have the matter all settled and, even more, have given the match their approval.

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In the Old Manner.

Society, naturally, is not the same as it was in days gone by. That sounds bromidic, but remembering entertaining in New York even ten years ago, one is startled to find how much it has changed.

There are still circles in New York whose exclusiveness never changes. They are the members of the old guard whose homes both on 5th avenue and further downtown were the scene of ceremonious receptions, dances, and dinners. The dinners still continue, notably those given by Mrs. H. McK. Twombly, and Mrs. Francis E. Saxham Drury, the former Mabel Gerry, who has an international reputation for entertaining.

However, seldom in the last few years has the real cream of New York society been brought together on a large scale, and therefore the dinner-dance and supper that Gen. and Mrs. Charles H. Sherrill gave at the Ritz on Tuesday night in honor of their son, Gibbs Wynkoop Sherrill, brought forth a veritable gasp of surprise.

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Gathering of Notables.

In numbers the guests did not approach those who have attended many of the dinner and supper dances given this winter, when five, six, and seven hundred guests have been nothing out of the ordinary, but the Sherrill guests were of such importance that every one of them might be eligible for the leadership of New York society.

The occasion, too, was most refreshing, in that it was in celebration of Young Sherrill's attaining his majority. An undergraduate at Yale, and home for the holidays, his parents took advantage of the occasion to fête him properly in the presence of their friends. And those friends, as I have said, were of breath-taking importance.

Gen. Sherrill, Yale '89, was formerly American minister to Argentina, and the diplomatic corps turned out in force to honor his son. The French Ambassador and Mme. Claudel were present, as were the Spanish Ambassador and Mme. de Padilla, the Chilean Ambassador and Mme. Davila, the ambassador from Argentina, and the minister from Czecho-Slovakia.

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Long List of Guests.

Among the notables of New York society present were Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt the elder, Gen. and Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, Mrs. H. McK. Twombly, Dr. and Mrs. Nicholas Murray Butler, Mr. and Mrs. William Starr Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Francis E. Saxham Drury, Mr. and Mrs. Edmund L. Baylies, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Belmont, Mr. and Mrs. C. Oliver Iselin, Mr. and Mrs. George B. Post, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Larocque, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Knox Bell, Judge and Mrs. Francis Key Pendleton, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gassaway Davis III., Mr. and Mrs. George Henry Warren Jr., Mr. and Mrs. John S. Rogers, Col. and Mrs. Francis L. V. Hoppin, Bishop and Mrs. Shipman, Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Henry Sloane Coffin, Mr. and Mrs. James Blanchard Clews, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Brown of Baltimore, Mr. and Mrs. William B. Bristow and Capt. and Mrs. Charles Astor Bristed.

Also Mr. and Mrs. J. Sargeant Cram, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. Giraud Foster, Col. and Mrs. Snowden A. Fahnestock, Col. and Mrs. Edward N. House, Judge and Mrs. George L. Ingraham, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gouverneur Morris, Col. and Mrs. Newbold Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Parish, Commodore and Mrs. Robert E. Tod, Mrs. Marshall Orme Wilson, Mrs. Reginald De Koven, Mrs. Andrew Carnegie, Mrs. John R. Drexel, Mrs. Whitney Warren, Mrs. August Belmont, Mrs. Shepherd Fabbri, Donna Eugenia Ruspoli, Mrs. Frederick Pearson, Julia A. Berwind, Mrs. Horace Gallatin, Mrs. William Bayard Van Rensselaer, Madame Bons de Jouvenal, Mrs. John Turner Atterbury, Mrs. J. Stewart Barney, Bell B. Gurnee, Mrs. Henry C. Redmond and Mrs. J. Lee Taller.

Also present were Clarence H. Mackay, Albert Morris Bagby, Albert Eugene Gallatin, Rawlins L. Cottenot, Oliver Gould Jennings, Rutger Bleecker Jewitt, Shipley Jones, Frederic A. Juillard, E. Victor Loew, Vicomte Alain de Jouvenal, the Misses Claudel, Betty Taller, Katherine Tod, Rita Dolan, Elizabeth Larocque, Emily Frelinghuysen, Alice Morris, and May Swords.

Which, as you can see, is a list without a peer, and worthy of noting simply because it is so seldom, these days, that one has a chance to see quite so many notables of society together at one and the same time.

The Strange Adventures of Young Robinson Grewso

By KEMBLE

His ma called him Robin; his dad called him son.
He grew like a weed and thought it great fun—
So he called himself Robinson Grewso.

ROY puzzled day and night to think of a way to get rid of the bands that the pirates had bound around his ankles. He couldn't run with them; he couldn't swim, and as long as he wore them he was a prisoner. And the work he had to do—washing the dishes, keeping the cave clean, and, worst of all, feeding the airplane chicks while the old hen waddled around and jabbed him with her big flat bill. How he did long to choke the chick that had carried him there, for every time he went near her the miserable creature opened her big mouth, threw back her head, and laughed at him.

"Never mind," Roy would hiss at her, "I'll get you yet, and don't forget it."

Whenever the pirate chief came near Sweet Marie he made eyes at her and acted so silly that Roy wanted to kick him. One day he tried it, forgetting that his legs were bound together, and he landed flat on his back.

But what interested him most were the pirates themselves. Every morning after breakfast they marched into the woods with picks and shovels and worked until dinner time. What were they digging? They were very secretive about it and wouldn't let Roy go near the place. He was getting more curious by the minute, so one day he decided that after dinner he would go and investigate for himself, or at least he would try to.



Roy Waits on the Pirates

But such a dinner it turned out to be! With a big white apron around his waist, Roy waited on the table, hopping around as best he could with a big tray loaded with plates of fish and game. He flipped a bit of food on each plate. Now and then he would miss his mark, and once he popped a fat fish right down the chief's neck. It was a hot fish, too, and how the pudgy little bandit flipflopped around, first on the table, upsetting everything, then bouncing off and, like a kernel of popcorn in a popper, popping around the table three times before one of his mates reached down his back and pulled the fish out.

Then how the whole crew pitched into poor Roy! They jabbed him with spoons and forks and knives and stuck their greasy fingers in his eyes and ears. Had it not been for Sweet Marie, who came upon the scene just then, Roy might have been seriously hurt. Jumping on the table, Sweet Marie commanded them to stop.

"If you want me to stay here, you've got to behave like gentlemen!" she screamed. "The idea of pitching on a prisoner just because he did what any one might do under the circumstances! Who ever heard of any one waiting on a table properly with his feet tied?"



Giving Roy the Laugh

The pirates looked foolish and marched away to talk it over.

As soon as they were alone Sweet Marie walked up to Roy and placed a shining piece of metal in his hand.



A Hot Fish Down His Back.

"I got it from the hole they are digging in the woods. There is lots of it there, and, unless I am mistaken, it is gold. But, remember, you must say nothing about it."

Just then the pirates returned, and Sweet Marie stuck out her tongue at Roy and Roy scowled and shook his fist at her, and the pirates grinned because they thought they were bitter enemies.

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OUR LOLLIPOP LADS.

[Reports from Paris indicate that the latest flair is cosmetics for men.]

By W. M. Schwimmer.

They tell me that quite long ago
the men were all athletic,
The chaps were hardy, husky
hods with methods energetic;
They went in for pugnacity
And trained their brawn capacity,
They would not act effeminate
or feign to be aesthetic.

The papas, so I understand, used
measures harsh and
drastic,
So boys would practice feats of
strength and learn to be
gymnastic;
They emphasized virility
And physical agility;
And exercised to make their
muscles lusty and elastic.

But now it cuts me to the quick
when I am forced to mention
That styles have changed and
yielded to the dictates of
convention;
And dandies think it dutiful
To make themselves look beautiful,
For elegance and vanity now
claim a man's attention.

No longer have we he-men from
the great wide open
spaces,
Instead we're forced to watch
some dapper dudes go
through their paces;
Quite openly and daringly,
They dab and daub unsparingly
Abundant rouge and lipstick on
their mollycoddle faces!

It seems to me the fashion that
this giddy gang expresses,
Will cause a transformation, if
this policy progresses;
These simps will mock formality
And show originality
By brazenly discarding pants
and wearing women's
dresses!

Chicagoans Gather in Mississippi

BILOXI, Miss., Dec. 31.—[Special.]—Chicagoans are beginning to gather in large numbers along the Mississippi coast. This section has become a mecca for prominent midwesterners. Ample accommodation is afforded at the hotels constructed during the last several years at an outlay of $5,000,000. Added to the attractions this winter are the six sporty golf courses within a radius of twenty-five miles, where professional instructors from Chicago preside. Various other entertainment is afforded the visitors each season, all of which is becoming more popular with the increasing number arriving.

Among Chicagoans in Biloxi are Mrs. T. E. Blake and daughter, Miss Blanche Blake, and Samuel Insull Jr.

ACTIVITIES OF WOMEN.

Miss Fridl Kutzner, Germany's leading woman agriculturist, is now in the United States to study our farming methods.

Miss Agnes M. Royden, known as England's greatest woman preacher, celebrated her 51st birthday recently.



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The Last Word in Paris Fashions



The Four Piece Ensemble Provides a Labor Saving Chic for the Busy Woman.

By Bettina Bedwell.

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

PARIS.—(Special Correspondence.)—A good many women are traveling light this season, whether they go south or do their journeying on the home boulevards. Clothes, charming as they are, mean work. It isn't alone the original cost in time, worry and weariness; it's the upkeep of expenditure of these three vital qualities which is driving many ladies to some kind of labor saving chic.

The experienced traveler allows the amateur and the thoughtless to pound the pavements in a never ending job of getting something new. She knows well how devastating are the results of this continual assembling of dresses, coats, and the multitude of details to complete them. Fewer and smarter clothes are more satisfying and far less of a strain to the nervous system, in the long run. No single garment can be chic if it is not complementary to all the other garments that are worn with it.

This is why so many of the fashionable women in Paris are choosing four piece ensembles this winter for all-day wear. These ensembles may be worn all together, or in a group of three or two. Each item is in perfect accord with all the others, in line, in material, in detail and in character, because the ensemble is the work of one creator. Hats, shoes, hosiery and other accessories chosen for the outfit are entirely suitable to any part of it when worn alone. The first cost of careful and intelligent selection covers the entire outlay that provides several costumes appropriate to a good many occasions.

It is true, of course, that the four-in-one costume hasn't the novelty which so often dazzles the amateur chic hunter. It has instead a surer cachet, and it does end a lot of worry about details. And for the traveler the four piece ensemble means much less parking space, which is also an item worthy of consideration.

Usually the four piece ensemble is composed of coat, jacquette, waist and skirt. Many women expand it by having several blouses and perhaps a slipon sweater, so that the ensemble has more variety and greater usefulness without in any way losing its priceless quality of complete harmony. According to the character of these units is the ensemble made suitable for street, sports or afternoon wear.

A four piece ensemble that is a great favorite of the Parisienne is shown on our first figure at the left. This model is from Jeanne Lanvin, who creates an exquisite balance between the flared lines of the coat and the straight lines of skirt and jacquette by the use of gray and black diagonal kasha-bure as the material. The coat has the Lanvin dropped shoulder line, with a yoke in back made by inset sun-ray bands. The front closing of this coat is trimmed on the inside by bias bands of the diagonal fabric, and the top opens to form revers that are not attached to the black marten collar.

The skirt is a double wrap-around, giving the utmost freedom with the slenderest of lines. The straight jacquette buttons down the front from throat to hips with black bone buttons. The original ensemble has a simple jumper blouse of gray crêpe de chine, and the big scarf, which ties in a bow at the throat, is also of gray crêpe. The blouse has a yoke in back similar to that of the coat, achieved by a series of small tucks.

Our second model is a four piece ensemble from Redfern, which may be worn for almost any daytime occasion in town. Our second figure shows the coat of this ensemble which is made of satin-finish broadcloth in that most beautiful of the smart winter colors, plum brown. This coat is of seven-eighths length and is very straight in line. Two pockets are placed at the hipline in front. The collar of beaver, and the full length revers, which meet at the back of the neck and replace a collar, are also of beaver.

Under the coat is worn a cardigan jacquette which is banded with beaver colored crêpe, and which fastens with bone buttons. These buttons are placed only half way down the front, so that the beige crêpe de chine jabot at the waist may be draped over the jacquette.

A straight skirt of plum brown broadcloth is worn with the jacquette, and when the latter is removed or left open, the blouse of beige crêpe de chine is visible. This effect is shown on our third figure, which represents the ensemble without the coat. The straight blouse has a square plastron effect, created by a band of tiny tucks. Another band of tucks is placed at the bottom of the blouse.

The jacquette is sleeveless, so that the straight sleeves of the blouse with their narrow flaring cuffs show when the coat is not worn. The blouse collar may be worn down as it is shown on our second figure, or open as it is shown on the third.

Any chic that hopes to qualify in the labor saving category must be one that is extremely careful about the colors and fabrics used. Simple fabrics of fine quality, sober, or at least discreet, colors are best. An ideal color for winter, and one which will surely be smart in the early spring, is navy blue. Among the fabrics the safest dependable material is broadcloth because it is a favorite in Paris not only for elegant afternoon clothes, but for the simple tailored costume, also.

Blue is the color and broadcloth the material of our final model in the sketch today. This Beer four piece ensemble is shown on the two figures at the right of the sketch. The skirt, blouse and jacquette of this ensemble are sketched on the fourth figure. Beer makes the skirt of navy blue broadcloth and gives it fullness by a series of stair-step plaits descending at the right and left sides of the front.

The sweater blouse is made of pastel blue jersey striped by fine lines of white. The asymmetrical neck is finished with a band in navy and lighter blue, this band fastening at the left side to a large monogram embroidered in navy blue on a lighter blue oval of jersey. The jacquette, which is of navy blue broadcloth, is banded also in two tones of blue and similar bands replace cuffs on the sleeves.

The coat shown in our final sketch is worn over a three piece suit to complete the ensemble out of doors this winter. It is of navy blue broadcloth, with a Norfolk jacket and a belt of self material. Shaped pieces trim the shoulders. The collar, which is made of beaver, is very high in back and attached to the revers in front.

The four piece ensemble from Jeanne Lanvin shown at the extreme left is made of gray and black kasha-bure, with a long, loose coat collared and cuffed with marten, a jacket and skirt of straight line simplicity, and a blouse and scarf of gray crepe.

Next, the four-in-one afternoon ensemble is often made of broadcloth. Redfern makes this coat, jacket and skirt of plum brown broadcloth, the jacket being banded with beige and the coat with beaver fur.

Third, the two piece frock worn beneath the Redfern coat shown on the figure immediately on its left has a straight skirt of plum brown broadcloth and a blouse of crepe de chine trimmed with tucked bands and having a collar and jabot of beige crepe de chine.

Fourth, the first three-quarters of Beer's latest four piece ensemble are cardigan jacket of navy blue broadcloth banded in lighter blue, sweater blouse of blue and white jersey, also banded in two tones of blue, and navy broadcloth skirt plaited in front with a double series of stair-step plaits.

The last quarter of the Beer ensemble is this coat of navy blue broadcloth collared with beaver, sketched last.

HOW TO GET RID OF EXTRA POUNDS

by Antoinette Donnelly

Cut Down on the Extras and Drink Plenty of Water Between Meals



NEW YORK.—[Special Correspondence]—How about another reducing course?

I think it about time we concentrated on figures again for a while. One thing about them is this: If they are to get into the fashion show, private or public, they've got to be concentrated on every once in a while. And every woman's figure makes her own fashion show. Or unmakes it!

The promised curves of the late lamented nineties are no more on the eve of returning than the full sleeves they helped puff out. So, figures being what they are going to be in this season's dresses and the next season's and the season after that, we had better decide to whittle them down where whittling is needed and make a nice, neat, healthy job of the remodeling.

There aren't going to be any freak measures of ridding the body of its superfluous weight. If anybody wants to get thin quicker than is consistent with health, energy and beauty, they'll have to apply at some other reducing parlor than mine, because this course we're going to start on today is going to follow the lines of sane reducing, or there isn't going to be any reducing at all.

No Victims Wanted.

We don't want any victims of passion for excessive thinness in this class of ours. We only want those whose weight is above normal. Because this has to be a health promoting course of reduction first, the beauty automatically following with the sane diets containing proper food elements and the exercises which will be neither too strenuous nor too difficult for the overweight individual.

We don't want any anemic looking girls or women with reserve energy so dissipated that they become easy prey for all manner of chronic ailments. These are the exhibits of foolish measures adopted for the price of a boyish form—common sights of a year or so ago, when the reducing craze reached the point so near insanity that the medical profession was stirred to action and protest and extremely valuable propaganda against the get-thin-quick systems of reducing.

At no time during the campaign of the esteemed medical profession was overweight viewed as anything but what it is—a detriment to health and a detriment to looks. Bear in mind, their campaign was not against reducing, but against excessive reduction and the foolish methods adopted to achieve a boyish form.

Reviewing the Follies.

Perhaps a brief review of the "follies" resorted to (unhappily still being resorted to) and warred upon by the medical profession might not be out of place here.

Thyroid extract was used in many of the reducing drugs. When too much of the toxic substance that acts on the thyroid gland is taken it will reduce weight, but it will reduce at the price of health and, in instance after instance reported by physicians, reduces at the price of life itself.

A method practiced not uncommonly, yet not so widely advertised as other wrong systems, is that of inducing regurgitation after a meal, either by drugs or mechanical measures. This is a repulsive, harmful method, with the stomach an almost sure victim of disease. The high colonic irrigations come in the same class of health destroyers when indulged in with the frequency with which a reducer adopts them. And purgative drugs, another of the less advertised systems, may lead to disease of the intestines most difficult to remedy.

Starving, of course, leads in the sins against the body in the interests of the shadowline silhouette. So much of fat in the tissues is removed that there is no energy left upon which to feed. Exhaustion of this reserve tissue sent more women scuttling to the doctor or to hospitals than the records will ever be able to show. The fatalities resulting from starvation diets were covered up under the names of the diseases the loss of reserve tissue promoted.

No Standard Figure.

A sane reducing diet can neither be too monotonous nor deficient in the proper food elements.

Principally, before we begin our reducing course, I want you to realize that figures cannot be standardized. A fashion plate figure is not for every woman. By that I mean the illustrated fashion figure. But every woman may create a smart figure out of the normal weight for her own individual self. It profits her not a whit if, in excessive reduction, she achieves a wilting slenderness, and her health, her efficiency, and her beauty of face are affected, which invariably happens when less than the normal weight is coveted.

To determine your normal weight there is a simple rule used in many hospitals and generally conceded to be a satisfactory method of determining it. Allow 110 pounds for five feet of height. Measure the height without shoes. Multiply the number of inches over five feet by five and one-half. This is an approximate weight. There may be a variation of from five to ten per cent over or below and still you may be classed as normal.

A bit more human test of the proper weight for the individual is that at which you feel most fit yourself, most energetic, most capable, least crowded in your clothes, and best looking in the face. Lazy folk, however, I've noticed, accept this test and pretend it fits, though their frames may be considerably overweighted.

Two Pounds a Week.

Our ambition is to take off no more than two pounds a week, as that is the healthiest rate at which to eliminate flesh. This is quick enough reduction for the most eager when you figure what that will mean at the end of five or ten weeks. When you have gotten back to your normal weight, we want you to stop reducing and keep an eye on the bathroom scales and let that be your guide at table. Once you get back to normal, you will have learned about foods that can be missed for a meal or two without any damage to your system, but with a great deal of benefit to your figure.

For the first week, the coming week, I'm not going to put you on a prescribed diet, nor am I going to give you any course of exercises.

All I ask is that you weigh yourself first thing and at breakfast, luncheon, and dinner you figure out how much bread you've been in the habit of consuming, butter, cream in your coffee, how many pieces of toast for breakfast, how many rolls at luncheon, how many helpings or spoonfuls of this thing and of that you've been eating. That done, I want you to shave every meal down exactly one-third. That leaves you more than enough to smile on, with two-thirds of your usual intake. But cut down that extra third.

If you've been having three pats of butter at a meal, make it two. Three lumps of sugar, make it two. Three pieces of toast, make it two. If two helpings of these food elements, or of any others is your usual habit, shave the third off.

And NO EATING BETWEEN MEALS. Drink water—but take no food. No afternoon nibble and no midnight bite. Absolutely, positively nothing between meals except water.

Cut Down on Liquids.

Another request I am going to make of you for this first week is to go without liquid at your meals. No alcohol, of course it is understood, is permitted in any course of reducing. By going without liquid at meals I mean coffee drinking, tea drinking, and water drinking.

The reason for this request is that the average person eats less when she takes no liquid with the meal. And another reason is that when you take water with your meals the fluid dilutes the gastric juice so that there is insufficient concentration in the secretion to digest the foods that are eaten. The result is that these foods are compelled to lie in the stomach longer than they should. Then they undergo fermentation and give off gases which cause bloating and distension of the stomach and give the appearance of overweight.

If it is humanly impossible for you to get through breakfast without a cup of coffee, let it be the only meal at which you have a liquid; but it is better if you can get along without it altogether.

You see, I don't intend to make it too easy for you, because reducing isn't one of the most amusing pastimes. Neither is it going to be hard. And this first week is going to get you in the frame of mind for what you will be asked to do next week and the week after.

Be sure to drink water between meals. Six glasses is the minimum amount.

Now, that isn't a very hard week to look forward to, is it?

K. P. N.: ENLARGED KNUCKLES may be improved by massaging the hands. Use cocoa butter or almond oil. A good cold cream will serve. Wash the hands in warm water before applying the cream, then massage from the finger tips backward toward the wrist. Use gentle forcible strokes, and with circular movement work the cream into the underlying tissues.

FRENCHIE: IF YOUR FRECKLES are of the light summer variety, lemon juice is beneficial. Rub a slice of lemon over the face, letting the juice dry on and remain for a time. For sunburn, apply equal parts of linseed oil and lime water. This may also be used as a preventive. Send a stamped addressed envelope for the neck bleach.

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YOU AND YOUR CHILDREN

by Mrs. Gladys Huntington Bevans

Adopted Children.

"OH, so this is the little fellow you took—isn't he fine!"

How often do foster parents, with their beloved adopted child standing at their side, have to listen to such thoughtless—criminally thoughtless — comments from people who have children of their own and who should, because of that, have too much sense and too much sensitiveness to say such things.

Parents who would make remarks like that would probably be equally tactless at home before their own children and discuss freely the fact that this or that child was adopted. With what result? That in a moment of quarreling among playmates, this fact is thrown up at the adopted ones—for children can be very cruel to each other.

Thoughtlessness.

Like many other things which hurt people deeply, thoughtlessness is at the bottom of this situation. If people would use their imaginations a little, much pain would be spared the world at large.

There is an increasingly large number of people who are adopting children, and I think one of the most serious aspects of doing so is this very thing—telling them about their parentage. It is one which should be given careful and courageous thought.

The most usual procedure, especially if they adopt the child when he is a baby, is for the foster parents to let him think they are his own parents, even though he may be surrounded by associates who know that he is not.

This has great perils, I think, though it is natural, since in all but the act of birth they are his father and mother. One peril lies in the fact that some one may plant in them, while they are little, the suspicion that they are adopted. The other peril lies in the moment when they are grown or nearly so, and are told the facts of their birth by their foster parents.

They Always Knew.

I have thought about this a great deal and it seems to me that it is something that might be handled in another way. At least, it has been done in a few cases I know of, and I don't see how any children could love parents who bore them any more dearly than these children loved their foster parents.

The way it was managed was that the children always knew they were adopted. In some cases they did not even call their foster parents father and mother—though it would be hard to deny one's self the music of these names, and not especially necessary, I think. These children grew up knowing that the parents they loved so dearly were their foster parents. It would be a hard thing for many people to do, but it is worth thinking about. And it has the great advantage that neither the child nor his parents can be hurt by the thoughtlessness or cruelty of grown people or children.

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MARRIAGE PROBLEMS

By Doris Blak

These Open Letters Reveal More Marital Snags Than Many Theoretical Lectures Could



IT is said that there is probably no greater test of the world's progress—or otherwise—than in a contemplation of how husbands treat their wives and how wives treat their husbands, for the relationship between them is the relationship from which all else springs.

A study in marital relationships would reveal, among other specimens the husband who is afraid of his wife; the husband who despises his wife; the husband who tolerates his wife; the husband who does not know what to make of his wife; the husband who is disloyal and the husband who is true; the husband who is kind and the husband who makes life miserable, and for every husband, good, bad and indifferent you will find a wife who is neither better nor worse. There are wives who are cheats, wives who are cold, wives who are mean, wives who are cruel, wives who are affectionate, loving, kind and fair in all things.

From my mail I present a few examples of the treatment of husbands and wives as I meet them, with the plea that if they need to serve as an awakener to some thoughtless mate they be permitted so to do.

Hard on Mother.

"I am the mother of three children. They are just blossoming into young manhood and womanhood. In the earlier years of my marriage my husband was away from home a great deal and consequently I had the control of my offspring much in my own hands.

"My husband is a good enough provider. His fault is that if I correct one of the children or try to make them see the wrong of certain actions, he pounces upon me before them and berates me in a manner I cannot understand, because I am not a nagger. But I do want the children to turn out creditably.

"More than this, he makes sarcastic remarks about me to the children. The consequence is they feel they have his backing and are becoming impudent and unmanageable. The oldest girl, whom the father defends against the slightest criticism from me, is really getting out of hand entirely. Heaven knows it is no pleasure to me to hear myself correcting the girl or any of the children, but I want them to turn out right.

"MRS. A. M."

That's a relationship from which all manner of trouble may spring and the father will be the one to blame. In matters of correction, where correction is justly due, no interference should be advanced from the other side of the house. And the father or mother who destroys the authority of the other parent or the confidence of the child by belittling remarks may well expect to live to see the day that his crime will come home to roost. With maturity the child understands which was the better guide and to that one will go the credit for having sown the seeds of helpfulness.

Not a Square Deal.

"I am a married woman of 32," writes another. "I have had four children in my fourteen years of married life. I am no picture gallery, but I am neat, clean, of lively disposition and do make a nice appearance. I keep the children in excellent condition and look after my husband in the same manner. I try to do my utmost, but it is discouraging to think I've been married these many years and the times my husband has offered to take me anywhere, even to a movie or for a walk, you could count on one hand. Christmas, birthday or wedding anniversaries are the same as every other day to him. Never a remembrance or a good wish. But he goes out when he feels like it.

"MRS. SQUARE DEAL."

Mrs. Square Deal is not getting one. Advising her to take herself off to a theater or movie isn't the answer to her problem. It is thoughtfulness. Just an occasional sign of it from her husband, that would make her happy. And the number of Mrs. Square Deals that aren't getting it are simply legion, as are the wives whose pleasant relationships with their husbands are stifled with unfairness about money settlements. This class of wife and the neglected lead in numbers the army of disgruntled wives.

I'd be willing to make a wager that happy marital relationships would be increased by 50 per cent were men more fair with their wives on the financial end of their partnerships and did they remember them more often with membrances at holiday and anniversary seasons and occasional invitations to amusement centers. Or, with words of appreciation spoken in terms of endearment. Many a bitterness would be smoothed out of a woman's life with just one word of kindly appreciation.

The Other Side.

As a test of her own progress in such an intimate relationship as marriage a woman has but to note the responsiveness with which an agreeable nature is met. There are few men who will quarrel without encouragement. And the quarrelsome woman is one of the banes of the perfect matrimonial state. When you have a disposition coupled with a shapely appearance you have a creature with whom agreeable relationship can be carried on.

Complaints from husbands are far more often than any other cause unless it be of the woman who refuses to take up the burdens of housekeeping.

"She lies abed mornings and feeds me out of a delicatessen store" are complaints registered frequently. Which isn't even treating a husband as a meal ticket. And the partnerships that spring out of delicatessen or restaurant fare are as thin as cream that goes into the preparation of the foodstuffs.

Bright Sayings of Husbands and Wives

The snappy comeback of the better half when cornered has often been a source of wonder to husbands and wives! The husband or the wife has come across with a bright saying that will never be forgotten by the other half of the matrimonial sketch. What was that bright saying, Mr.? Mrs.? Send it to us, and we'll pay you $1 for it if we print it. Address Bright Sayings of Husbands and Wives, The Chicago Tribune, Chicago.

Foot, Not Face.

"Don't bring me any more bills, Alice. I can't face them."

"I don't want you to, John. I want you to foot them."

C. B. T.

Necessary Money.

Mr. C. [after listening to his wife complain about never being able to go to a show]—Why, I wanted to take you to a show last night, dear.

Mrs. C.—Well, that's news to me. When did you invite me?

Mr. C.—Just after dinner last night, don't you remember? I said I'd like to take you to a show if I had the money?

Mrs. C.

The Finder.

Wife—You always were a fault-finder.

Husband—Yes, dear, I found you, didn't I?

M. E. T.

HISTORICAL AMERICA by CLIFFORD RAYMOND

Watauga and Kentucky.

WHEN the picture of the Watauga Old Fields marker shown in the illustrations was snapped it was a Monday morning in October. The term of court was opening, and the courthouse is just back of the marker in a square of green. The veniremen had come out of the Tennessee hills and the valley of the Watauga river in their cars and were grouped about the green.

The Watauga is nearby. The town is Elizabethton, eastern Tennessee.

The Watauga is a part of a region or system of mountain valleys and rivers important in the frontier movement and history and in the lives and achievements of some of the great American pioneers. It includes the French Broad, the Nolichucky, the Holston, the Powell, the Clinch, mountain head waters of the Tennessee.

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To Cumberland Gap and Kentucky.

To the north and west is the Boone trail to Cumberland Gap and thence north to the Kentucky river and the blue grass of Kentucky. A few miles out of Elizabethton on the Watauga is Sycamore Shoals, where the state of Transylvania had its inception in the treaty Richard Henderson of Carolina negotiated with the Cherokee Indians for a quitclaim on Kentucky and Tennessee land which should thus be opened peaceably and honestly to settlement organized from the Carolinas.

Watauga was a frontier post before the revolution. It was a gathering place for adventurers, land seekers, home makers, hunters, fur traders, rebels, nonconformists, and pioneers who had gone so far from established government as to feel the injustice of both its oppressions and its neglects. Therefore having felt this, having rebelled and having been punished as at the battle of the Alamance, they had moved farther on and a distinguished colony of southern pioneers from the Carolina piedmont was in or near about Watauga in 1771.

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Call for Nathan Hale.

When the sheriff or his deputy or the bailiff of the Circuit court came out on the courthouse balcony overlooking the Watauga Old Fields the October Monday this picture of lounging Tennessee mountain and valley men was taken, he came to summon the veniremen for jury selection and the first name he was heard to call was:

"Nathan Hale. Nathan Hale."

It is an association with a far away Connecticut roll of hills and with British military gallows in New York, and yet it had its fitting consistency with the tradition of the Watauga valley and the background of the migration which had put these men in the lowlands and the hills of a country far away geographically, but intimate politically.

The most enthusiastic popular response to Lexington and Concord outside of New England was in North Carolina, where in the Mecklenburg Declaration of Dependence of May 20, 1775, a document and action unauthenticated, to tnt both most kindly, are still celebrated as valid and of enduring consequence.

Although it is long way from Connecticut to Watuga in northeastern Tennessee, it did not seem so far a cry, considering the word of these valleys, hills and mountns to hear the call for Nathan Hale at the opening of court.

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Boone and John Finley.

The most celebrated explorer, trail blazer, and hunter who helped connect the Watauga, Nolichucky, Holston, Clinch, and Powell valley frontiers with Kentucky as not its first explorer, but popularly he has remained its best known. Daniel Boone had the advantage of a early and romantic historian to build his legend.

He was not the first to find Cumberland Gap and a trail through it is not his trail, though it bears his name, a tribute well enough deserved. He blazed the way for Henderson's Transylvania though it, even if he did not find it.

Boone, it is reliably related, first heard of Kentuy from John Finley. Both were teamsters recruited to get the exasperated Gen. Braddock's supplies across the Pennsylvania mountains for him over the way partly cut for Washiton the year before. Finley had been in the blue grass. He had heard of its wonders from Indians on the Ohio, and with several companions had gone by canoes to the falls of the Ohio in 1752 and on his way back some rove Shawnees took him and carried him into the interior in central Kentucky. In the winter of the following year he escaped and in 1755 he was a driver in Braddock's baggage and supply train going over the mountains to take the French fort at the forks of the Ohio.

Boone was in the same train and it is indicated that the two had campfire talks which filled Boone with desire to get into the wonderful country which had been traveled by mastodons whose bones littered the ground at Big Bone Lick and which still was a wonderland of game.

The baggage and supply train was not involved in the defeat and destruction of Braddock's front column, but it involved itself in the rout. It started and led it, the teamsters cutting their traces when they learned that the combat part of the expedition was being butchered in the ravines.

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War Checked Pioneers.

That was Boone's introduction to the frontier wealth of Kentucky. Both the Ohio company and the Loyal Land company had been investigating the rumored possibilities before this. Dr. Thomas Walker for the Ohio company, a London and Virginia enterprise, had gone through Cumberland Gap in 1750, but his luck was poor. When he was through the gap the blue grass was on to the north, but he did not go far enough and when his party returned to Virginia it was with discouraging reports. They had been in the least promising section of the state.

Christopher Gist for the Ohio company came down the Ohio river and in March, 1751, his exploring had brought him to Big Bone Lick, where he saw the mastodon bones. He carried a five pound tooth back with him when he returned. He went through the blue grass and from heights of land saw the plain of central Kentucky. The Ohio company had a different report. Gist had seen the plains. Walker had seen the mountains and hills.

But the activities of land companies had the check of the French war. It was to require seven years of fighting to determine whether French or English should have possession of the Ohio valley and the Mississippi and the regions which they opened. When war had determined that they should be English, the crown reserved them for the Indians and the fur trade, or endeavored to do so temporarily by the proclamation of '63 restraining colonists from going into them and occupying them to the disturbance of the natives and of the production of furs.

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The Watauga Marker.

A proclamation could not have held back the tide of wishful land seekers, pushing pioneers and rough aggressors in the way of whose excursions the Indians were, but the break of the colonies with the home government came, and again the energies of the country were occupied in a struggle as the revolution was taking form in New England. He intended to extinguish Indian titles by purchase, and in the spring of 1775, just as the Massachusetts farmers were shooting at the British troops, the wagons carrying £10,000 value of goods desired by the Indians reached the Watauga river to seal the bargain with the Cherokees.

The purchase was made at Sycamore Shoals, and the Indians deeded lands in central Kentucky and Tennessee to the Henderson Land company. Boone was commissioned to blaze a trail for the settlers. The adventure established itself on and about the Kentucky river, not far from Lexington. For several reasons it was a failure, and one of these reasons involved an interesting conflict of idea as to Indian possession, the rights of a mother colony and the validity of a transfer of land by native possessors or claimants to private individuals.

One difficulty was that Kentucky, of all the regions available for purchase and settlement, had the most shadowy Indian titles. The Shawnees on the north claimed it. The Cherokees claimed it. The Iroquois claimed it because they had defeated the Shawnees and professed to hold them as vassals, and their lands as their feudal overlords. The English had claimed it by virtue of a treaty made with the Iroquois at Fort Stanwix in 1768, and Virginia claimed it by charter rights as a sea to sea colony and state.

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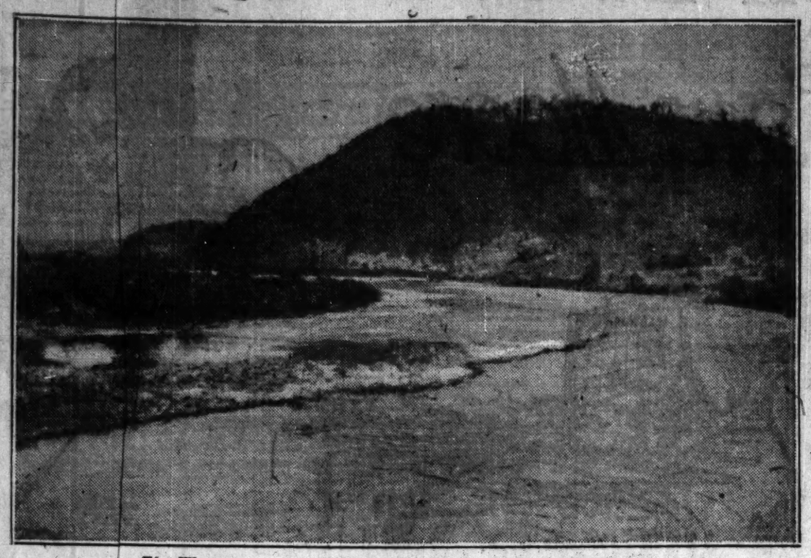
Laws on Title Grants.

There had been an earlier English decision with respect to East Indian land holdings that a title granted by natives to individuals was valid, that the natives had the right to transfer possession to private persons without the intervention of the state. Virginia held that only a state could make treaties with Indians and acquire possession of new territory, and that consequently no citizen could obtain title to lands in which there was a transfer of sovereignty. Indian titles could be acquired only by government act.

Henderson found sympathizers in the east, but the revolution was on, and states which did not object to Virginia losing its pretensions to so much territory and did not object to Henderson creating a new state nevertheless could not afford to add more discord to the union and confederation for the war.

The price Henderson paid for the land was huge for its day, and it was honest in the quality of goods which represented the sale price, but the region transferred was a real empire. The promoter who mixed determination with honest dealing was compensated eventually in a fashion by grants of land, but the animosities which the state of Transylvania aroused have not even now completely vanished. There are historians who slander George Rogers Clark because as a Virginian he opposed Henderson, and there are historians who still blister Henderson because he had the audacity to undertake such a venture.

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The Watauga river at Elizabethton, Tenn., Watauga Old Fields.



A mountain scene at Cumberland Gap.



The Watauga Old Fields marker at Elizabethton, Tenn.



The monument to Fort Watauga at Sycamore Shoals.

HOW TO USE THE PATTERNS

THIS unusual model for the larger woman, pattern No. 3159, is a semi-sports design. The back is straight and in one piece, and is crossed at a normal waistline by three narrow belts that fasten on either side of the front panel, giving a snug fit through the hipline. The deep V in the front is completed with a vestee and helps give length to the figure. The pressed plaits at either side of the front panel flare gracefully when walking, and give the needed width to the hemline.

Crêpe satin, flat silk crêpe, velvet, crêpe Roma, angora jersey and silk twill are suitable fabric from which to choose for this attractive design.

The vest, collar and sleeve bands will look well cut from a contrasting material. Two pieces are required for each of the parts. After the vest is cut out, lay the two pieces together, with the right sides together. Run a basting thread down the exact center, and mark the small perforation that shows on the pattern.

Then stitch from the neck down to the perforation each side of this center basting, starting at the neck with a ½ inch seam away from the basting and run the seam off to nearly nothing at the perforation. Then cut through the basting as far as you have stitched and turn to the right side. Set the vestee in place on the front panel, turning in the panel edges. Stitch close to the turned-in edges, first overcasting the raw edges.

Don't make the sleeve bands too close a measure, for they are not comfortable so, and you must remember that the sleeve fullness that is set into the band takes up a little from the size of the cuffs. After the three belts have been stitched together slip a tape needle into one end of a belt, sew through the eye of the needle to one thickness of the cloth and push the needle quickly through the belt. This is an easy way to turn each one right side out. It is an excellent idea in these belts to turn the ends in carefully, basting them down before seaming the belt.

After the belt is turned to the right side it will be an easy matter to slip or blind stitch the ends together. Use your needle to bring the stitched seam to the edge, and baste carefully before pressing into shape.

Pattern No. 871 is for a cunning one piece dress that is decidedly new and different. The lower part of the front has plaited insets, with trimming straps just above the plaits, through which the belt is slipped. The dress is so attractive yet so simple and easily made that mothers will not hesitate to attempt it.

The back is cut in one piece, and the front also. A line of perforations each side of the lower center front shows where the front is cut to allow the plaited sections to be set in, and the directions with the pattern tell exactly how to go to work.

Plaid woolen in red, green, and black, with a red silk crêpe collar, belt, cuffs, and jabot, is shown in the sketch and is very pretty. Jersey flannel and velveteen in becoming colors will also be smart. Of course the belt straps are lined, and if buttons are used they should be sewed on before setting the lining in place.

Pattern No. 3198 is one of the new, smart designs that will assure the wearer individual chic. The diagonal neckline and the low placed circular flare in the front give graceful movement when in motion. The sleeves are full length, close fitting, and quite unadorned. The neck of the dress will look well bound or faced, but if binding is used to finish the bottom of the skirt, the neck should be finished to match. The ribbon bow at the neck, and the matching ribbon sash ending in a bow, worn at a low waistline, are all the trimming this pretty frock needs.

Printed velvet, satin, sheer velvet, faille crêpe, cashmere, challis, flat silk crêpe, and novelty woolens are all fashionable materials.



3198.—Woman and misses' dress. Sizes 16 and 18 years and 36, 38, 40 and 42 inches bust measure. Size 36 requires 3 yards of 40 inch material with ¼ yard of 40 inch material, or 4¼ yards of 1 inch wide ribbon.

3159.—Woman's dress. Sizes 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46 and 48 inches bust measure. Size 36 requires 3¾ yards of 40 inch material with ⅝ yard of 40 inch contrasting.

871.—Girl's dress. Sizes 6, 8, 10, 12 and 14 years. Size 8 requires 1¾ yards of 40 inch material with ⅝ yard of 36 inch contrasting.

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Dreams

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Are sure to come true, be they never so old. —*Old Saying.*

Have you ever had a dream which later came true? We're not referring to the day dreams which build castles in the air; we're interested in the nocturnal variety which beguile or disrupt slumber. If you'll mail us an account of your prophetic dream we'll pay $1 for every letter published. Address Dreams, Chicago Tribune.

The Last Recovered.

I dream often therefore pay little attention to dreams, but a year ago I spent several weeks in the south. My last evening there I wore on my blouse three little diamond pins held together by tiny gold chains. They had been my mother's and I valued them highly.

The maid, who was in the room while I was changing my dress, admired them and asked me to give them to her. That night I packed hurriedly and left early the next morning. After reaching home I missed the pins. I was certain the maid had taken them. I wrote the hotel, but they had not been found.

Last spring, on my mother's birthday, I went to bed thinking of her and of the lost pins. Suddenly my mother walked through the wall at the foot of my bed and smiling said, "child, why are you troubled about those pins? They are still on your blouse."

I sat up in bed wide awake. I could not believe that it was a dream or that I had been asleep. I was so impressed that I did not wait for morning to look in the trunk of summer things that had not been disturbed since my return, but opened it at once and there were the pins still on my blouse!

H. C.

Shown the Way.

A wealthy English manufacturer from London sent to the engraving company I was employed by an original drawing of his family's coat of arms, and from this drawing we were to make an engraved die for stationery stamping.

In the process of the work the original drawing was lost. We moved heaven and earth to find it, but no trace of it could be found. The Englishman was angry over the loss. He refused compensation and finally stopped at our offices and threatened suit.

Just at this time I was leaving to get married and went south on my honeymoon. While in Pensacola I came face to face with the Englishman in a hotel lobby, and for an instant thought of the coat of arms.

That night in my sleep I dreamed that the drawing was filed away under my own name at the blue print company. I was excited. I couldn't get back fast enough. I gained permission to go through the blue print company's file room and I actually recognized the old filing cabinet I had dreamed about, and, sure enough, under my name, the drawing was filed, yet no writing appeared on it.

Everybody wondered and had to believe that dreams do come true.

E. C.

The TRIBUNE COOK BOOK

The Secure Cold of January Makes Nine Day Cookery Easy and Practical

All recipes have been scientifically tested by Miss Eddington with current market materials and are indorsed by her.

By Jane Eddington

WHEN the fathers of New England went into the woods to do their winter chopping down of trees for the year's fuel supply, one of the luncheon items they took with them, or that some of them took with them, was frozen pea soup. The soup had been frozen to a string and all that was necessary was to put it into a tin dipper and melt it to get a hearty luncheon dish. It had been well seasoned with fat in the making, was rich and palatable, and easily made boiling hot. It goes without saying that this soup was far more nourishing than a cup of coffee or tea with some flapjacks. The modern sandwich was more or less unknown in those days.

The staples, like dried peas and beans, have been an enormous resource to people living in climates where real winter weather binds the earth. They are meaty foods, for a dried bean may contain twenty-two per cent of protein, which is the main constituent of lean meat. Just as meat may be dried up and toughened by too much fire, so may beans. Beans boiled are half spoiled, because the protein in them is turned to a stick or a product that one may as well not eat, as far as nourishment is concerned. Besides that, it is a liability when eaten.

But twenty-two per cent is not all of the food in a bean. It has sixty per cent of true energy food or fuel—namely, starch, so, you see, it is bread and meat in one small package. Besides that, fat is usually added in the cooking to make it further complete, and then a yet more complete dish may be compounded by adding vegetable seasonings, which furnish the protective elements. A large number of people in cooking beans treat them as though they were all starch.

Some methods of cooking beans enough all but ruin the protein in them. Slow cooking is right for the protein, and is really best for the starch.

Water with Beans.

A newly dried bean contains about twelve per cent of water. A fresh bean contains about sixty to eighty per cent of water. A finely cooked dried bean contains about seventy per cent of water. This shows us another thing, or part of the business necessary in protecting the protein. If the protein is hardened by boiling [simmering is the thing], the bean cannot swell to the fullest and take up as much water as it might, and, because it cannot, it will take much longer to cook even the starchy part so that it will be soft. If even soaked beans are scalded at the start of cooking, one may have to allow two or three times as long to cook them as when this is not done. To scald parboiled beans as a preparatory process is to harden the outer protein, and, besides this, it leaches out some of the valuable solubles in the beans, and leaves them not only less pleasant of flavor, but less valuable as food.

By hardening the protein and dissolving the mineral elements, the beans as an edible are reduced nearly to one thing, starch. They may be further deprived of nourishing elements by adding baking soda to them. Here is the way of it: Some people boil beans, which hardens them and makes them strong of flavor. Then they add baking soda to do something that they ought not need to do, and cases have been known of people who went on bleaching the beans to dissolve even part of the starch by parboiling them in seven waters, each and all thrown away.

Soaking Beans.

Eight hours of soaking with water to cover, or with two cups of water per cup of beans in the more accurate formula, has been a universal direction for the little white or navy bean. Because of the germ in the bean they need to be kept in a cold place, or in an overnight soaking, or they will ferment. They may take up all the water in which they are soaked, but if they should not any extra should not be thrown away. It is as absurd to do so as to attempt the impossible task of throwing away what they have absorbed already.

If they have been soaked in two cups of water per one cup of beans, two cups more of water will be sufficient for the right type of cooking, which is cooking with a cover to prevent the escape of steam after they come slowly to a point where steam will be given off. But large beans, especially, can be cooked without any soaking at all if they are brought slowly enough to near a boil.

Bean Recipes.

It is difficult to give dependable recipes for cooking beans, because people will not cook them with the minimum fire. It is harder to give the necessary attention to keeping it so, and besides this there has been a lot of dead sureness and setness on how to do the work without any knowledge of the chemical composition of a bean.

Stewing Beans and Peas.

Kidney beans, Lima beans, and green split peas, stewed, make an excellent dish of themselves and a good base for other dishes, such as soups, etc. The kidney bean, not soaked, can, by the method described below, usually be cooked as soft and mellow in three hours as almost any food needs to be. The Lima bean rarely requires a longer time than that and the green split pea cooks in about the same time.

But if a kidney bean is boiled hard at the start the protein in it will become so hard that after a whole day of cooking it will not be truly soft nor truly good food. The starch in these legumes can be reduced almost to a jelly. It is easy to get that starchy effect with the right cooking with the green split peas. Cook slowly and without soaking.

Recipe for Stewing Legumes.

Pick over and wash the kidney beans, Lima beans, or green split peas. Add four cups of cold water for each cup of dried legumes. Start them to cooking over a fire so small that the water will not reach the boiling point for an hour. This is really a quick soaking process, but for large beans and perhaps for small ones it is not too quick, because the skin of the bean will not be broken by it.

As soon as the water has reached the boiling point let it simmer for three hours, the utensil closely covered. Then the beans should be tender and the liquid around them like a thickened sauce—thickened with starch—but should these be cooked too rapidly the water will evaporate. Any water added toward the last as a necessary protection of the beans or peas will not have the same savory quality as that has which has been gradually thickened with some of the starch of the product cooked. Under a close cover—we repeat this for emphasis—and with a gentle fire, very little steam escapes. It remains in the utensil as a real cooking force to swell and soften the beans.

To emphasize further, let us say that beans will swell more in an hermetically covered kettle and one of the right size than in one with a loose cover. The beans or peas may be variously seasoned to either the kidney beans or Lima beans or peas. One onion per cup and one carrot cut in slices will make an excellent seasoning. This, with the addition of salt, will be enough to flavor green split peas without the slightest addition, as will show when the whole is stewed and heated up for a vegetable. But a great many people like to add butter to make them more savory and beans are universally more palatable when buttered after they are cooked or seasoned with salt, or whatever else is used. It is always possible and sometimes advisable to cook a piece of salt pork or bacon with the beans.

With peas cooked English fashion, some dried mint is usually added, especially if they are to be used for a soup. Cooked kidney beans need no special heralding because they are delicious and almost universally acceptable.

Kidney Bean Salad.

Well cooked stewed kidney beans are rather handsome and generous seeming and even beautiful in color. In many cases it seems rather a pity to mash them to make them into purées, although this can be done, and when blended with mayonnaise one may get something that looks like a chocolate sauce in a salad. When served plain on a lettuce leaf with a dressing of mayonnaise well mixed with them, they are appetizing and a pretty side dish for any luncheon, or for the salad course. They are even more appetizing if, in addition, they are mixed about half and half with leaf lettuce cut slaw fashion.

Some people might like chopped green peppers with them, but the lettuce seems most palatable and its crispness is desirable and encourages mastication. The stems of leaf lettuce, washed and sometimes peeled and then cut out into disks, are as good as the lettuce tops with the beans and they can be used with the mayonnaise. Next to lettuce, perhaps, chopped parsley lends the most of piquancy to a mixture of beans and mayonnaise dressing.

Lima Bean Soup.

Sieving peas and beans is perhaps not so good a thing to do as to mash them when one can. By the latter method we get a smooth purée, but green split peas can be sieved by merely stirring them through a strainer, and Lima beans, cooked sufficiently soft, may be sieved in the same way.

Then, if they are thinned with celery water, with perhaps a tablespoon of cream per person, one can get a delicious soup, and its ingredients will not easily be recognized—that is, the beans will more or less lose their identity.

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MAIDEN MEDITATIONS

by Sara Moore



THAT QUESTION OF TIME.

If it were not for dour rent collectors
Father Time, himself,
Would get confused.
He finds
A message sent across the seas
In seconds.
He learns
That symphonies as played in Gotham sound
In Maine and far Alaska.
And when he meets Mamma, my dears,
Fresh from a swim,
Doing her daily ten mile sprint
To waiting beauty parlors
Or wearing out two orchestras at a night club,
Does he feel that, after all,
His Days and Months and Years
Have gotten mixed?
If it were not for the rent collectors
Father Time, himself, might
Muff his dates.

THAT NEW LEAD.

I have wasted twelve months,
Folly made me a butt.
Opportunities snubbed,
I have lived in a rut,
But tonight I reform.
Here dull lethargy halts—
I shall strive, from now on,
For at least some new faults.

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MAMIE STANDS HER GROUND.

[Mamie Hickey is invited to New Year's dinner by the rich angel who backed the Broadway show in which Mamie made a brief appearance as a chorus girl. Sam, the friendly press agent, and Mrs. Sam, a vaudeville dancer, interfere and chaperone the date to death.]

We're dining, now, on mustard,
On Weinerwurst and kraut,
For Sam and Mrs. Sammie
Have scared my prospect out.
And as I light the gas plate,
I know that, after all—
No girls with brains are "betrayed."
If they slip down—they fall.

THE HOME·HARMONIOUS

Glazed Chintz Is Both Practical and Charming and Has a Wide Variety of Uses.

By Phyllis Marsh

ONE of the most attractive and modish fabrics of the season is glazed chintz in all its crisp smartness. When one considers the numerous purposes to which it may be put, its possibilities as a decorative fabric in the home seem without limit.

Glazed chintz has an interesting history, for it is an echo, so to speak, of the past. Coming from India originally, it was introduced into England in the early part of the 17th century. It met with instant favor; in fact, so much so that the British government enacted a law (later repealed) forbidding the use of any printed chintzes which were imported from India, Persia or China, fearing that its popularity would be detrimental to the woolen industry in England.

Modern science and industry are producing various kinds and qualities of glazed chintz, not the least of which is the washable variety. Though the surface of practically any glazed chintz has the excellent and redeeming feature of being impervious to dust and dirt, it is preferable to select that which is washable rather than that which is not. In washing glazed chintz, it is advisable to lay the material on an absolutely flat surface. Then take a soft cloth or sponge and dip it into a bowl of lukewarm water and wring it out almost dry. Then the next step is to apply a little neutral soap to the cloth or sponge and begin cleaning the material in the usual manner, working from the top down, taking care to remove all the soap with each application.

For the convenience of the home decorator who is interested in glazed chintz and its many uses we will discuss how and where to apply it in the various rooms of the home.

For the small, dark apartment dinette we find a perfect panacea in glazed chintz. With its brilliant transparency of color and the reflective quality of its surface, it is an ideal drapery fabric, capable of transforming the most gloomy of rooms into brightness and cheer. For instance, in a room of Georgian colonial character, a colorful, large patterned semi-glazed chintz is most attractive when trimmed with a band of plain colored glazed chintz and hung from behind a painted wooden cornice. Painted wooden poles are equally attractive for the less formal window treatments.

It is usually unnecessary to line a glazed or semi-glazed chintz, for the filtration of light through the fabric enhances its brilliancy of color, while its particular kind of surface treatment gives it body, helping to keep perfect the folds in the drapery, thus eliminating any possible "stringiness" in appearance. Whether hanging glazed chintz from a plain brass rod or a painted wooden pole, the heading should always be plaited, never shirred.

Then, we have the smart type of little bedroom that may contain a cheerfully colored enameled suite or one of early American inspiration in its mellow tones of maple or cherry wood. Here is where glazed chintz may serve its purpose in several interesting ways. First, there are the draperies to be selected in a quaint pattern and in gay and appropriate colorings. This same pattern may cover the little unfinished kidney-shaped dressing table in a three tiered scalloped and ruffled skirt. The scallops of both the dressing table skirt and the draperies can be edged with a ready made glazed chintz corded piping in a plain and contrasting color.



This quaint bedroom is decorated in glazed chintz.

If semi-glazed chintz is being used, it is also possible to make it up into unusually attractive looking bedspreads by combining it with plain colored glazed chintz to match the trimming on the draperies and dressing table. For upholstering purposes glazed chintz is an excellent fabric and will be found to stand up admirably under hard usage. So for the "easy" bedroom chair select a different patterned glazed chintz to the draperies in either a colored or neutral background. Then, for the bedroom screen, there is no material as economical or as sanitary as washable glazed chintz.

Again, it finds a place in living rooms of quaint simplicity and in those of elegant and dignified character. A simple design, not too large in pattern and suitable in its various hues, as well as in color value, should be selected for the living room of quaint simplicity. However, a living room of the latter type may boast a larger patterned fabric of more detailed design but of colors equally as fitting to the type, size and exposure of the room. It must be borne in mind that if the room is in rather low color value, one should not make the mistake of selecting a glazed chintz of extremely high color value. The contrast will prove too great for the fabric to harmonize pleasingly with the rest of the room.

Scarcely anything more dainty and practical can be imagined for draperies in the model kitchen of today than a waterproof glazed chintz. In its many suitable patterns for this purpose and the numerous ways in which it may be made up, no kitchen window need look unattractive or colorless. If there is a little breakfast room just off the kitchen, it, too, may be adorned with glazed chintz at the windows and on the breakfast table in place of a regular cloth. Various ready made glazed chintz trimmings are to be had in plain colors and figured effects and are practically necessary in adding a touch of interest and color contrast to draperies, table covers, cushions, screens, etc.

In the bathroom, glazed chintz may hang at the sides of the window in straight style or may be draped back with loops of self-material. A still more practical window treatment is the glazed chintz roller shade, scalloped and fringed or piped at the bottom with contrastingly colored chintz and a colored glass shade pull. Dainty ruffled glass curtains in white with colored figures or dots to harmonize should be used with this type of roller shade. It is quite essential that the glazed chintz which is selected for the bathroom should be of waterproof quality.

A similar window treatment is equally as effective if used in the average rear sleeping porch, always proving practical, economical, simple and decorative.

It is also possible to carry out this same effect in a sunroom, especially if the home is of the simple bungalow type and the furniture is of wicker or reed, either enameled or in natural finish. Glazed chintz in its bright colorings lends itself admirably to the making of pillows and chair cushions for use in a sunroom or on the summer porch.

As a fabric impervious to dust, it is ideal for making up into clothes protecting bags. They can be easily made at home and will be found superior to the usual type of cretonne bag used for the same purpose. It is also quite the fashion now to edge clothes closet shelves with plain and small patterned glazed chintzes as well as covering the inside of open cupboards with them.

Three and four paneled screens for the bedroom, the dining room and a simple type of colonial living room may be covered with both plain and figured glazed chintz in combination, covering the upper one-fourth portion of the screen with the figured chintz while the lower three-fourth portion is covered in the plain material. The same may be reversed, if desired, using the plain fabric at the top and the figured at the bottom.

Today's illustration displays the use of glazed chintz in an attractively planned bedroom of early American inspiration. A medium sized design in a glazed chintz was used for the draperies, draped dressing table, and the flounce of the bedstead, the background of which is a soft toned light green. The flounce of the bed is attached to an underslip or foundation of sateen over which is a scalloped rose-hued rayon taffeta spread, piped in a gold colored rayon.

The smart looking dressing table is of the same chintz made in three tier ruffled effect, and the draperies of the same fabric are banded with plain rose colored glazed chintz to match the spread, and valance of rayon. The walls are in a delicate tint of rose with woodwork in the ivory tone.

Activities of Women

Mrs. Frank B. Freyer, wife of a United States navy captain, has been decorated with the order of "El Sol del Peru" by the Peruvian government. She is the only American holder of the decoration.

Mrs. W. Maben of Pachena bay, near Victoria, B. C., has an eight mile trap line each winter, running from Marion lake, at the mouth of the Pachen river. Last year she trapped eighty-six fur bearing animals, most of them raccoons, minks, otter, and marten.

FRIEND IN NEED

By Sally Joy Brown.

I want to be the medium through which the friends in deed and the friends in need may be brought together. It may be you have some discarded article which has not outgrown its usefulness that will make some less fortunate one happy and you would gladly give it if you knew how to go about it. Write to me and I shall be happy to be of service to you. Please write on one side of the paper.

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THE NEW YEAR OFFERS OPPORTUNITY TO SERVE

NEW YEAR'S day with all its hopes and plans for the year to come is a time of particular happiness to this department—happiness born of what has been done, and of prospects for good deeds to come.

The close of each year brings to an end a long record of wants, troubles and hardships endured by the unfortunate of our community. But alongside this record, and the brighter in contrast with it, it is a record of helpful sympathy, of swift response to need, of human kindness as broad and as far reaching as human need, and for that kindness and this unfailing response to every request for help, this department wishes to thank all the friends in deeds who during 1927 have made its work possible.

Because of you, of what you have done and what I know you will do in the year to come, I am looking forward happily to another year of helpfulness. I know that in 1928 we shall continue to make life happier and better for thousands who have encountered it in its harsher aspects. I extend heartfelt thanks and best wishes for a happy new year.

Widow's Request.

"Last year my husband was killed. I am left with one small daughter, 13 years old. It is hard for me to earn enough to get along and this winter I have been sick in bed for three weeks and I am just able to go out to work again. I am back in my rent and my daughter needs dresses for school. I can't take care of either of these and I wonder if you could help me.

"Mrs. C. A. R."

With worries such as she is having this woman will have a difficult time regaining her health. Won't you relieve her by coming to her assistance with some of the things she and her daughter need?

Old Couple Ask for Aid.

"We are an old couple, and my husband is blind. We lost our son and because we couldn't meet the payments we had to give up the little home we were trying to buy. Now we would like to furnish two rooms and start a home again, but we can't buy the furniture. Would you ask your readers to help us with a bed, rug, chairs, stove and dresser? Mrs. K. S."

What is more pitiful than old age accompanied by poverty? This poor old couple losing the earnings of a lifetime has been left almost helpless. Most of you have an article or two of furniture not being used, I know, and here's a splendid opportunity to put them to use.

A Simple Request.

"I am writing this request for an old woman who is 75 years of age and crippled with rheumatism. She is trying to support herself by making fancy pillows and cushions but it is hard for her to get the pieces she needs. If your readers have any scraps of velvet, silk or wool, she would appreciate having them. Mrs. M. M."

Those of you who indulge in a bit of sewing now and then are sure to have bits of materials you'll not mind parting with. This old lady could make splendid use of them in the work she does.

Carrying a Heavy Burden.

"Will you kindly make an appeal for much needed furniture for a shut-in and his sister and mother? The boy has been paralyzed for 16 years and has not been out of the house for 3 years. His sister, who is 34, is not well enough to work, but is obliged to take care of her brother and 73 year old mother. They are moving and will need a three-quarter size bed, a single bed, and a comforter, blanket and heater. B. L."

These articles would add a great deal to the comfort of this family and if you have even one of them we'll be glad to hear from you.

Practical and Fancy Needlework - - - By Clotilde



These Head Bands for Evening Wear Will Be a Joy to the Woman Who Is Letting Her Hair Grow

THE smart little head band shown at the right is made of small pink gardenias, and is worn by the debutante who is letting her hair grow, as so many of the smart younger set are doing. Two bunches of gardenias are used in making this band. There should be about fifteen small flowers and six or seven buds. The latter are also used placed here and there through the band. The flowers are bunched a little closer together on the right side, making it a bit more solid there and then tapering off at the left side.

Wire the flowers down the full length of the stem with a fine uncovered wire that is used by florists. This wire comes on large spools and can be bought at any florist's supply store.

Make two loops at each end of the band of silver frame or shirring wire. Wire these loops down firmly to the flowers that are already arranged in position. Hairpins are slipped through these loops and used for fastening to the head. Wind dark green sida-floss about the uncovered wire flower stems so that the finished effect is that of solid green stems.

Have the band long enough just to fit the back of the ears, and wear it low down on the nape of the neck. Any kind of a small flower can be used in the band. Moss roses and forget-me-nots work up well together.

The other band shown is for the matron or older woman and is worn across the front of the head just to the ears. The foundation is of silver wire covered with one thickness of white maline. Small rhinestones are sewed to all the wires, and a small design is made with the rhinestones on each side of the front.

The front wire measures 2½ inches from top to bottom; the side wires 2 inches, tapering down to 1 inch in the back. The inside of the band is finished off with a bias piece of white China silk, slip stitched all the way around. Small loops can be made on each end of this band, as in the first one described, for the hairpins.

Pearls can be used in place of rhinestones, or both can be used, and the result is attractive.

Leap Year Proposals

The year 1928 spells hope for the aggressive maiden who wants to change her name. Do you know of any girl who invited a man to leap into matrimony with her? Was her proposal met with eager acceptance or graceful refusal? What was the aftermath? If you'll send us a brief account of the affair we'll be glad to pay $1 if we print it. Address Leap Year Proposals, Chicago Tribune.

Wish Come True.

While walking with my lover along a path through our orchard, I found a four leaf clover, wished and put it in my shoe. In a tone of curiosity he said, "Prithee, maid, what did you wish?"

Having kissed the Blarney stone some years ago, it did not take me long to find an answer and I said: "I wished for a new diamond ring." He was quiet and thoughtful after that, but the next day my wish came true, as a new diamond ring adorned my left hand.

A garden wedding near the spot where the four leaf clover grew was the climax of my proposal. This happened nearly thirty years ago, but we still admire the picture of Cupid and that diamond ring and the other plain gold band have never lost their luster. M. M. R.

Seized the Opportunity.

My girl friend, Ellen, aged 18, thought she was going to be an old maid. She met a fellow she served in the restaurant where she was a waitress.

She went with him only five times. He said he would like to have a girl like her for his wife, so she said, "All right, I'll be your wife."

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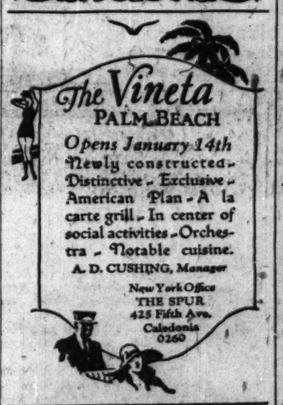
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NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTIONS OF CELEBRATED CHICAGOANS

"We Resolve"—Say a Score of Our City's Famous—and Here's What They Resolve

It Looks Like A Bigger and Better Year for Chicago

By Genevieve Forbes Herrick.

IN the "Mirror of the Months" it is written:

"Every first of January that we arrive at is an imaginary milestone on the turnpike track of human life; at once a resting place for thought and meditation, and a starting point for fresh exertion in the performance of our journey. The man who does not at least 'propose to himself' to be better this year than he was last, must be either very good or very bad indeed."

That was written, of course, in the old-fashioned days when the first of the year was considered a clearing house for the errors of the past 365 days and for the high endeavors of the next 364 days. But this custom went out of style, along with the passing of New Year's calls and the coming of the new psychology which makes of every day a starting point for new accomplishments.

BROAD AND DEEP

This new New Year, then, is much more than simply a peg on which to hang a dozen stereotyped resolutions. It is, rather, a plateau on which to pause for reflection on life and living; for a recapitulation of one's philosophy; for a new and vigorous statement of one's theories of life and living.

And that is the broad and deep way in which some of our most celebrated Chicagoans look upon this, the New Year's day of 1928.

A score or so of the city's most famous citizens, distinguished in various activities, were asked several weeks ago to let us have a glimpse of their New Year's reflections. Although it was then only mid-December, and Father Time was not yet running away at the stroke of midnight, most of these Chicagoans consented to tell us what we wanted to know. The results are of wide dimensions, and significance.

Each such New Year's reflection, as it came in, had some special merit, of wit, or philosophy, or peculiar appropriateness, which recommended it for the head of the column. Presently there was a high pile of papers, each clocked for the top of the column. To the alphabet, that traditional agents of equity among equals, was called in.

HERE'S WHAT THEY SAY

And we present these resolutions in alphabetical order.

Miss Jane Addams, internationally famous head of Hull House, says this: "As one grows older one is more impatient with subterfuges and shams generally, and increasingly desirous that the 'last run' at least should be free from them. The world is apparently so confused that the least one can do for it is to keep one's mental integrity and to hold honestly to such poor wisdom as one has been able to garner on the way."

The public is asked to share in the resolution of Judge Mary M. Bartelme, only woman juvenile court judge in the United States.

"My resolution for the New Year is that I shall not fail to take advantage of every opportunity to arouse public interest and a realization of responsibility on the part of the public in the kind of care, training, food and discipline given dependent, delinquent and feeble minded children committed to institutions and associations by the Juvenile court, and with particular emphasis on the deplorable lack of accommodations for such children."

And this pithy sentence, so freighted with meaning, comes from the pen of George E. Brennan, the Democratic leader:

"Resolved—Never to run for the United States senate again from Illinois. That office seems to be a total loss in this state."

FROM BUNDESEN

Dr. Herman N. Bundesen, president of the American Public Health association, resolves to make us resolve to keep well. Here's the way he puts it:

"To guard my health and the health of my fellows, that we may have the clarity of mind and the vigor of body to do our tasks and help bring cheer in the world. To seek out illness and misery in the dark places, teach the lessons of health and the virtues of kindliness and square dealing."

State's Attorney Robert E. Crowe compresses his reply into these twenty-five words:

"The only resolution I will make January first is to try to be a little bit better next year than I have been this year."

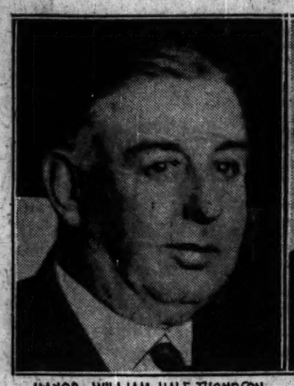
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And Clarence Darrow compacts his seventy years of reflections into the following paragraphs:

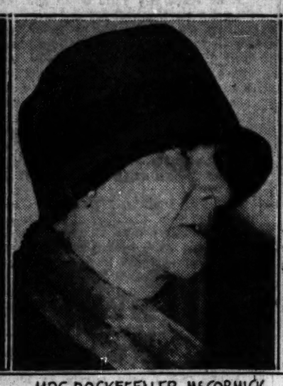
"When I was young I went to Sunday school and learned what was good and what was bad. I likewise learned about the will and how one could do or not do any act if only one's will was strong. As near as I can recall my crude teaching, I learned that everything I want to do was bad, and everything I didn't want to do was good. This idea was logical because it was based on the thoroughly scientific doctrine of original sin.

"In those days I made resolutions, as they were called, on every New Year. Some of them lasted for a day. I have known a few to last a week. Of course, I was miserable during the time, for I was restraining from doing the things I wished to do, and in their place was doing the things I did not want to do.

"For many years since then my will, or emotion, has been the same on New Year's as on every other day. Like all living things, I have sought more life. I have tried to find it by avoiding pain and seeking pleasure. This is my constant resolution both for Jan. 1, and all other days. I have no trouble in carrying it out."



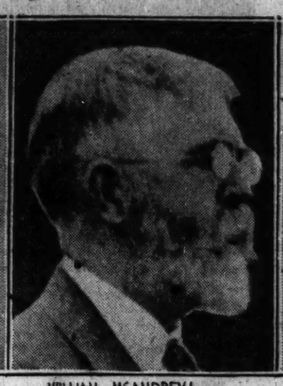
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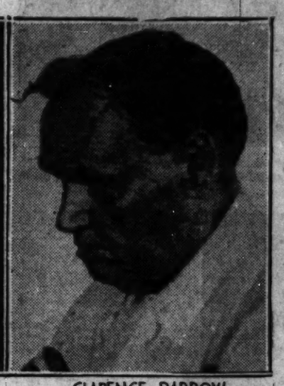
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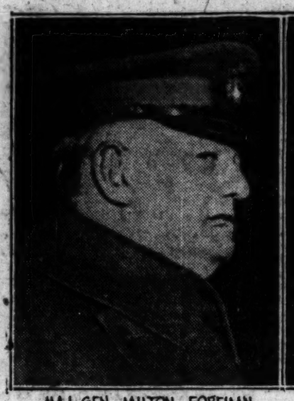
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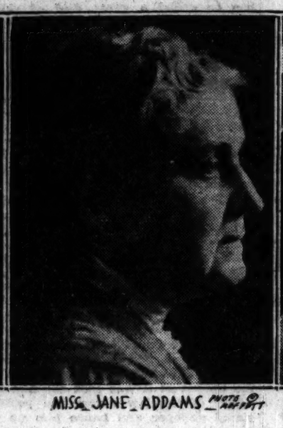
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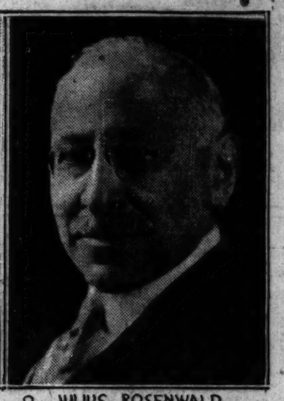
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MARY WOULD BREAK 'EM

Maj. Gen. Milton Foreman joins satire to philosophy in a set of resolutions which are both personal and national.

"I hereby highly and sternly resolve:

"That I will no longer try to discover why a country remains constitutionally dry which insists upon being habitually wet;

"That I will try to be tolerant and charitable and refrain from doing bodily harm to those who are so busy refothming and remaking the balance of the world that they have no time to mend their own manners and morals;

"That I will try to appreciate and be grateful for the superior physical safety we dwellers in American cities enjoy compared to our Mexican, Chinese and Abyssinian brethren;

"That I will continue to try to understand the mental processes of Americans who believe that by denuding itself of the power and means of defense the United States is helping to put an end to war and that the virtue of its cause and rectitude of its motives are all it needs for national defense and protection."

Mary Garden, born in Aberdeen, Scotland, came early to Chicago and first sang out in Rosalie hall in Kenwood. She calls herself, and is called by the city, a Chicagoan. She was very busy the day this question of a New Year's resolution was put to her.

"Surely, I'll make some resolutions. But in the mood I'm in just now, I'm positive that any I made I'd break."

CIVIC RESOLUTIONS

Edward J. Kelly, president of the south park board, has a three ply project before him.

"First, I am resolved to maintain the standards of the park service, expanding it with equal regard to central and outlying parts of our district.

"Then, there is the great museum project, Mr. Rosenwald's gift, to be housed in the restored Fine Arts building. I am determined to push the reconstruction work at once, to make available as soon as possible the inspiration of these exhibits for our workers, and for the youth of the city.

"Finally, to place Chicago first among cities, in freedom of transit, I want to see the chain of bridges finished, the new highways opened, the link of the north side under construction, and an opportunity extended our citizens to express their wishes respecting the next steps in the lake shore reclamation project, the proposed airport development, and the extension to the southward of the system of lake shore parkways to the city's southern edge."

Says James Hamilton Lewis:

"The New Year should signal the new resolution of our people to be new citizens, with new purposes of private honor and public integrity in this new era that is now being threatened with conflict and corruption. This can only be arrested by those who will resolve upon a new life—justice to his neighbor, honor to his citizenship, and patriotism to his country."

Life is an everlasting New Year's day to President Max Mason of the University of Chicago.

"I don't remember ever making a New Year's resolution—at least 'as such'—as the philosophers say. Since almost the whole of life consists in making resolutions and trying to carry them out, I do not quite see the need of concentrating on one day."

Brief, significant, alliterative are these four lines from William McAndrew:

"More hoping than hating;
More helping than hindering;
More compliment than complaint;
More work than words."

A WORTHY AMBITION

Exceedingly forthright is the pair of resolutions which Mrs. Ruth Hanna McCormick offers:

1. "Resolved—That I will be nominated for congressman-at-large on the Republican ticket in the April primary and elected in November.

2. "Resolved—That I will give up time to teach men politicians how to get the woman vote."

Mrs. Rockefeller McCormick, like President Mason, believes in making of every day a new day. Mrs. McCormick's philosophy is this:

"I do not make new resolutions for the new year for the reason that I take account of myself every day. If a tree grows on a bend for a whole year, it is much harder to correct this direction at the end of the year than it would be to perceive the tendency of the tree at the end of a day and to straighten it at once.

"If we let a whole year go by without taking note of our direction, things may have happened which it is too late to correct, and this leaves regret. Make each day your New Year and then when the sun's New Year comes around you will not find any bent trees or any broken boughs which cause pain and sorrow and which are so much harder to correct."

MABEL'S DILEMMA

Mrs. Mabel Reinecke, United States collector of internal revenue, is in something of a dilemma as she, as a person, considers what would happen to her, as an official, if she made some of the resolutions which she does not make. Read what she has to say:

"Of course I don't smoke, but if I did and resolved to stop, the cigaret manufacturers might stop buying cigaret stamps.

"Of course I don't use alcohol, but if my resolution took that direction, the bootleggers might refuse to confess in their income tax returns.

"I might resolve that the next time my hostess serves more than three courses to arise and squeal like a pig, and then again the butcher and the baker and the grocer might take it out on Uncle Sam.

"We need Henry Ford's and John D's money, so certainly I can't resolve in that direction.

"Really, I guess the only thing left for me is to resolve to save my money which I know will please the banks."

FOR A BETTER CHICAGO

President Walter Dill Scott of Northwestern university makes resolutions which affect the city of Chicago.

"To increase the size of the McKinlock campus.

"To do something towards making Chicago the center of higher learning in America.

"To cooperate in making Chicago a city of which we are justly proud."

Silas H. Strawn, president of the American Bar association, says:

"To strive to do one's best every day and in everything one undertakes; to live simply and temperately; to cultivate a capacity to amuse and to entertain one's self by adding a little to one's knowledge each day, and to respect and obey the constitution and laws of the land, is about the best New Year's resolution one can make."

From Lorado Taft, the widely known sculptor, comes this adroit combination of whimsy and serious reflection:

"To give up lecturing and try to be a sculptor.

"To be at my studio at 8 o'clock every morning when I am in town.

"To stay in town.

"Not to spend more than half my time answering letters about infant prodigies.

"To do all in my power to equip our high school art galleries.

"To think all of the time about the great Museum of Architecture and Sculpture which Chicago needs so much, and to talk about it to all who will listen.

"To swear off from lecturing."

BY BILL THE BOOSTER

Mayor William Hale Thompson epitomizes his zeal for the welfare of Chicago in the following poem:

BOOST.

Boost your city, boost your friend;
Boost the lodge that you attend;
Boost the street on which you're dwelling;
Boost the goods that you are selling.
Boost the people round about you;
They can get along without you.
But success will quicker find them
If they know that you're behind them.

Boost for every forward movement,
Boost for every new improvement;
Boost the man for whom you labor,
Boost the stranger and the neighbor.
Cease to be a chronic knocker,
Cease to be a progress blocker;
If you'd make your city better,
Boost it to the final letter.

Sincerely yours,
WILLIAM HALE THOMPSON,
Mayor.

BABIES ARE LIKE AUTOS, IT'S THE UPKEEP THAT COUNTS

Nancy Is Only Ten Weeks Old and Papa Talks of the Money She's Cost

But Ignorance Is Bliss, Just Wait Till She Grows Up

By William C. Shinnick.

A BABY, in the economic aspect, is a good deal like an automobile—while the first cost is important, it's really the upkeep that counts. I think I can prove it; I am speaking as the father of a daughter who has reached the ripe age of ten weeks.

With the help of her mother I have compiled figures showing that to date the total cost, including maintenance, of little Nancy has been $769.50. And most of it has been maintenance.

Here's a table showing where the money went:

Physicians' services	$210.00
Hospital bill	108.00
Nursing	133.50
Bed and bedding	94.00
Baby carriage and extras	76.50
Bath equipment	22.50
Traveling basket	10.00
Medicines, soap, powders, etc.	25.00
Extra help for mother	70.00
Total	$769.50

There it is. The first cost, the physicians and the hospital, set the bank account back only $318. The upkeep so far has been $451.50. The upkeep, I may add, is still keeping up.

SLIDING SCALES

It is not to be assumed that this is an average cost. It isn't necessary to spend nearly $800 to bring a baby to the age of ten weeks. Nor does that approach the amount that thousands of Chicago babies individually have expended on them as they get their start. It's largely a matter of personal preference and the ability of the parents' bank accounts to stand the strain thereon.

There is, for instance, a great variation in the amount of the physician's fee. He may charge $75, or $500, or anywhere in between. There are fashionable doctors whose bills will go—they tell it without blushing—to $1,000 under certain circumstances.

Hospitals, too, have sliding scales to fit slim and fat pocketbooks. Generally speaking, their charges are reasonable for the service given. Private rooms cost from $7 a day up to whatever the traffic will bear, and there are extras that in the case of a single baby who sticks around for two weeks will easily tear a $50 bill into small shreds.



NURSES ARE EXTRA

And if nurses are specially engaged for the event, that will mount up to a respectable total in a short time. Seven dollars a day for one nurse and $2 a day for her board makes $63 a week. If there are day and night nurses that's twice as much. So it wouldn't be difficult for a wealthy parent to get rid of $1,500 in the first cost—represented by our $318.

On the other hand, there is available machinery in Chicago, for parents who haven't any money at all, to avoid any part of this expenditure. Dr. Charles D. Parker of the county hospital staff tells me that taxicabs and flivvers arrive at the institution daily with women whose children are born within a few hours and cared for by the public funds. There are even free dispensaries in various parts of the city where mothers get pre-natal care, examinations and advice. If the parents are so inclined, a baby may be brought into the world for practically nothing.

All this is explained to show that my own figures are not averages and probably won't fit any other individual case. With that we'll get back to the personal relationship of little Nancy with her father's billfold.

PRE-NATAL CARE

The first physician we went to, some months before the birth of the youngster, had handsomely appointed offices near the loop. He wouldn't even talk about money.

"You'll have to see the girl at her desk about those details," he said.

The girl at the desk said the doctor's fee was $500 if there was no trouble. It happened that Nancy's mother didn't like him at any price. She never went back to him, but I received and paid a bill of $15 for finding out what his charges were.

Another physician, a pleasant and competent gentleman with offices in Evanston, charged me $40 for pre-natal care extending over several months, including two home visits. Fair enough. Then Nancy's mother decided she would rather go to her old home town in the south for the scheduled event. A third physician, likewise a courteous and efficient specialist, charged me a total of $155.

That couldn't be considered exorbitant, nor the hospital bill of $108. The latter item, I am informed, would have been about 50 per cent higher in a big city hospital for similar accomodations. No nurse was specially engaged, as the third physician advised against it.



WHITE SQUARES!

The baby's wardrobe is far from elaborate. There isn't much in it that could be dispensed with, and the single items don't seem to look impressive. It would be very easy to double or triple the total cost here.

To begin with, there are six dozen of those white squares that all babies use—and how. The cost was $12.50. Here's the remainder of the list:

6 pair stockings	$5.10	4 gertrudes [petticoats]	6.00
4 binders	3.40	6 flannel petticoats	18.00
4 shirts	4.00	9 dresses [inexpensive]	25.00
		4 nightgowns	4.00
		2 kimonos	7.00
		2 sweaters	6.00
		2 wrapping blankets	6.00
		6 wrapping squares	3.00
		1 baby bunting	6.50
		6 pair booties	7.00
		2 caps [plain and fancy]	5.00
		1 bathrobe	4.50
		1 pair kid shoes	2.00
		2 pair mittens	2.00

RELATIVES KICK IN

The baby's sleeping equipment is relatively of finer quality than her clothing. This is explained by the fact that practically all of it was given her by her maternal grandfather and a couple of close friends of the family. The list:

1 bed	$29.00
1 mattress	8.00
1 rubber sheet	2.00
1 asbestos sheet	2.00
8 linen sheets	16.00
1 counterpane	2.00
1 blanket	2.00
4 pillow cases	6.00
1 comforter	3.00
2 pillows	3.00
1 quilt [hand made]	10.00

As for the baby carriage, that was a gift from her grandmother on the other side of the house. It is a nice one and cost $65. One that would have been acceptable could have been had for half that. The robe, also a gift, represents $8 and the pad and pillows $3.50 more.

Giving the baby a bath doesn't look like it would be an expensive procedure. But her towels cost $6, her wash cloths 50 cents, her tub $4 and her bath table, $10. Besides that, the scales were $12, and not of an expensive type.

The traveling basket was used when the infant was brought home when she was seven weeks old. It is hardly necessary to detail the accounts from drug stores or the hiring of domestic help.



JUST YOU WAIT

This $769.50, or to be more exact, that part of it that came out of our own income, is something of a dent.

But some co-workers with older children tell me with a superior air that I should wait until the baby is a little older before I feel that I am hurt.

One gentleman who has five youngsters in school informs me that he purchases thirty pairs of shoes a year for them. All I can say about that is "Gosh!" Another relates that each child eats more than a parent.

There was once a father who, it was currently reported, had the only known system to keep down his grocery bills. In the evening he would offer his children two-bits apiece not to eat any supper. They would accept. During the night he would steal the quarters and in the morning refuse to give them any breakfast as a punishment for losing their money. I hope I'll never have to adopt that system. Probably the story wasn't true, anyhow.

$3.65 AN OUNCE

So far the cost of Nancy's food has not been appreciable. Other parents tell me that their bottle fed youngsters require special protein compounds that cost around $1 a day. There's that much to be thankful for.

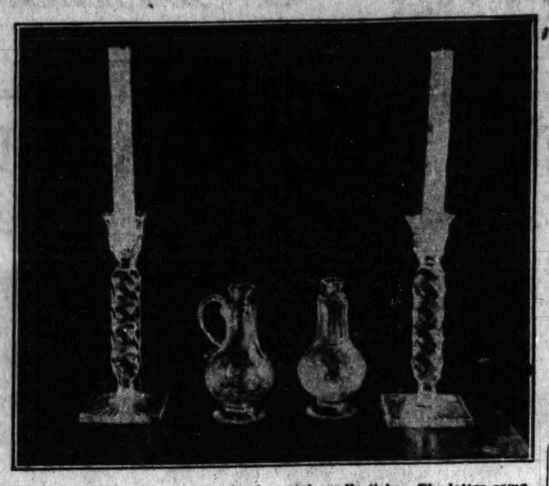
But the baby at ten weeks has reached a weight of thirteen and a half pounds. She has outgrown quite a few of her clothes and I heard today that I'll have to buy some of a new size. That's just another ouch in this adventure in parenthood.

At the weight and the cost it appears that little Nancy represents so far $3.56 an ounce. It looks high. But if you know of anything else that will sell at the same price and be half as satisfactory here's my bid for the Illinois agency.

THE OLD AND THE NEW FOR 1928



Modernistic and charming, this group of pottery. It is oyster white and is filled with amusing glass balls in celestial blue. It would be beautiful on a mantel shelf or a dining table of dark wood.



Two Waterford cruets and a pair of crystal candlesticks. The latter came from England, and might have been made in the eighteenth century, but were created in the twentieth, after an old pattern. Crystal is the last word.



A lovely jewel box for that costume jewelry Madame received for Christmas. The compartments are made with extreme ingenuity; red damask is used for padding.



Beautiful old Sheffield is more and more valuable every day. Here are two pieces of which any hostess would be proud, and which would be a good investment financially, as well as pictorially, for that Christmas money of Uncle Bob's.

HOLLERAN YELL'S YULETIDE TRAGEDY

He Strongly Advocates Useless Presents, and Tells Why

Vicious System of Practical Gifts Is Deplored

By Westbrook Pegler.

I MUST state that this Yuletide season has been a very unpleasant one for me and my helpmeet and I attribute all the unhappiness in our little love nest to the vicious custom of giving practical Yuletide presents.

Ever since the Yule when she purchased a snowshovel for me and snow fell on Christmas day I have been opposed to the principle of giving practical gifts, but unless you are very firm about such principles you are likely to forget about it when the Christmas Yule season comes along. So the first thing you know you may discover that you have bought your loving life pal some little gewgaw to help with the washing and she is likely to bob up giving something to beat the rugs with.

Well, as I state, I have been very unhappy this Christmas season and when I realize that all this unhappiness could have been obliviated by a little common sense in purchasing our love tokens I cannot help having very strong feelings on the subject of giving practical gifts even in the privacy of the home.



"Just then the light flashed on in the room."

PROBLEMS PREOCCUPY ME

I suppose I was partly to blame, as a man in the pugilistic profession has to spend a great deal of their time thinking up schemes so that your professional rivals will not take advantage of you and I was very busy indeed just before Christmas thinking up some scheme to get hold of a good heavyweight galloper to represent my escutcheon in the squared circle, because I had the misfortune to lose my great galloper, Rollo Rollova, only a few weeks ago.

It seems that a professional rival by the name of Rob Theeve had a genuine imported European Spanish galloper by the name of Hilario Squattag, but it seems that a lady by the name of Mrs. Hicks showed up a short time ago and stated that she was Hilario Squattag's loving mate. She asserted that Hilario Squattag's real name was Herbert Hicks of Sandusky, O., instead of being Hilario Squattag of Spain, Europe.

"This big bum is my spouse," the lady asserted, "and moreover he owes me the sum of $250 for alimony," and the upshot of it was that she had an officer of the law arrest the professional galloper and house him up in the bastille for not paying the alimony.

DISHONESTY ROBBED

This left Mr. Theeve without any bum to support him, and of course I immediately tried to get up some scheme to obtain this bum for myself. But while I was trying to think up a scheme, Mr. Theeve unscrupulously lured Rollo Rollova away from my escutcheon by dishonest flattery and when Christmas came on I was unable to make any resources as I did not have any bum to uphold my fighting traditions in the resined square.

Naturally I did not do much thinking about what kind of a Yule gift to get my life pal until the night before Christmas and then I forgot all about my principle against useful gifts and I only thought that I would have to get her something or stand before society as the kind of a no good cur that does not get their wife any Yule present at all.

I FORGET MY PRINCIPLE

So as I was going home on Christmas eve, feeling full of the merry festive spirit, it suddenly occurred to me that I was very fond of waffles and I said to myself: "Well, why not get your helpmeet a waffle iron as this would be a great surprise to her and it would certainly be a wonderful help in her work?"

Therefore, I stopped at a prominent hardware establishment and purchased a very elaborate waffle iron to gladden her heart on Christmas morning and then I started home again, only stopping here and there to extend Yule greetings to friends of mine on the way.

I may have taken a little more time than I expected to, because it was after midnight when I arrived at our love nest and removed my shoes so I could steal into the flat softly and lay the waffle iron on the table as if I was Santa Claus.

FOUND: AN INTRUDER

Well, my dear sir, as I stepped into the parlor I stumbled over a man lying prostrate on the floor, so I exclaimed, "Ah ha! a burglar in the privacy of my love bower on Christmas evening," and made a grab for the intruder, clutching him by his neck with the grip of a vice ring. As I did so the intruder let out a yelp that sounded like he was trying to say, "Leave me explain," but I am a dangerous man when aroused and, instead of letting him explain, I hauled off with my helpmeet's waffle iron and tagged him over the head with it in a very vigorous manner.

Just then the light flashed on in the room and my helpmeet came in wearing a kimono and blinking her eyes. "For land's sakes," she stated, "what is the matter with you two boys fighting in the privacy of the home on Yule evening?" And when she saw the intruder in a state of unconsciousness, she started to cry.

I stated, "Don't cry, baby, as I am not hurt and I think I have deceased this intruder permanently."

But she only cried the harder and grabbed the intruder's head in her arms, saying, "O, to think of all my sacrifice, saving $250 and have you do this to him."

THERE IS CONFUSION

This made me feel indignant, as I did not think she should be so anxious about any intruder, but just then the intruder rolled his head my way and came to life and I discovered that it was Hilario Squattag.

"Leave me get out of here," he stated, "as I think this is a frameup to kill me," and with that he grabbed his hat and ran down the stairs in great haste. Then my helpmeet sat down and explained how she had been saving resources for almost a year to purchase a Yule watch for me, but when I lost Rollo Rollova she figured that I had my heart set on getting Hilario Squattag, so she went around to the courthouse and paid off his last alimony to get him out of jail and present me with a good, big, reliable bum for a Christmas surprise.

Of course, there was no use crying over spilled beans, so I grabbed her in my arms and gave her a big Yule kiss.

"Well, Baby," I asserted, "it is too bad this accident happened, but I guess that poor bum will not be able to gallop in the roped arena for several months after the way I tagged him on the head with this little Yule gift that I got for you."

So I handed her the present and when she opened it, my dear sir, you may believe me or not, but I had let Hilario Squattag so hard over the head that I not only had ruined her present to me but I had also fractured the waffle iron in three places, so neither one of us had any present from each other this Christmas, all because of this vicious custom of giving useful presents to each other.

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RECOVERING THE $500,000 GEM LOOT

Scotland Yard Enacts a Highly Melodramatic Little Comedy

Waiters Suddenly Turn Detectives in Parisian Cafe

(When a half million dollars' worth of jewels was stolen from the Marquess of Anglesea the detectives arrested Gault, his valet. Confessing, he told how a woman had led him into it and then had left him while she disposed of the loot. Concluded from last Sunday.)

By George Dilnot.

HER calculations proved right. For days the young man waited, uncertain whether she had proved false or whether her attempt to dispose of the gems had miscarried and she had fallen into the hands of the police. At last he had made his desperate and futile attempt to escape.

Drew satisfied himself that Gault's story was true, and it did not take him long to make a guess at the identity of the woman and her companion. Gault, poor dupe, was sent to five years' penal servitude—almost as long a price for $40 as Goudie the forger paid for the box of cigars which was his share of the $500,000 embezzled from the Bank of Liverpool.

Now began the most difficult and prolonged part of the investigation. The sentence on Gault was poor satisfaction to the marquess, who wanted his jewels back. Drew was no less anxious to lay his hands on the real thieves. He knew who they were, but they had dropped out of sight.

A LADY AND HER LOVER

The months passed. Inquiries were pursued tenaciously in every quarter of the world. Drew located the lady in the case and her lover in the wilds of Brazil, but he was satisfied they had disposed of their booty before they had fled to that part of the world. More than that, he was confident he could put his finger on the receivers in Paris.

Now, at that time—the law has been altered since—it was not a crime for any one abroad to have goods stolen from persons in Great Britain in his possession, unless it could be proved that he had been concerned in the actual theft. This fact, it will be appreciated, was of great value to all sorts of gentry engaged in nefarious occupations. It really meant that receivers had a free market in Europe.

So when Drew found that the Anglesea jewels were in the hands of certain men in Paris the information looked more irritating than helpful. No one knew better that the Scotland Yard man that it would be practically a matter of impossibility to show they had had any concern with the theft.

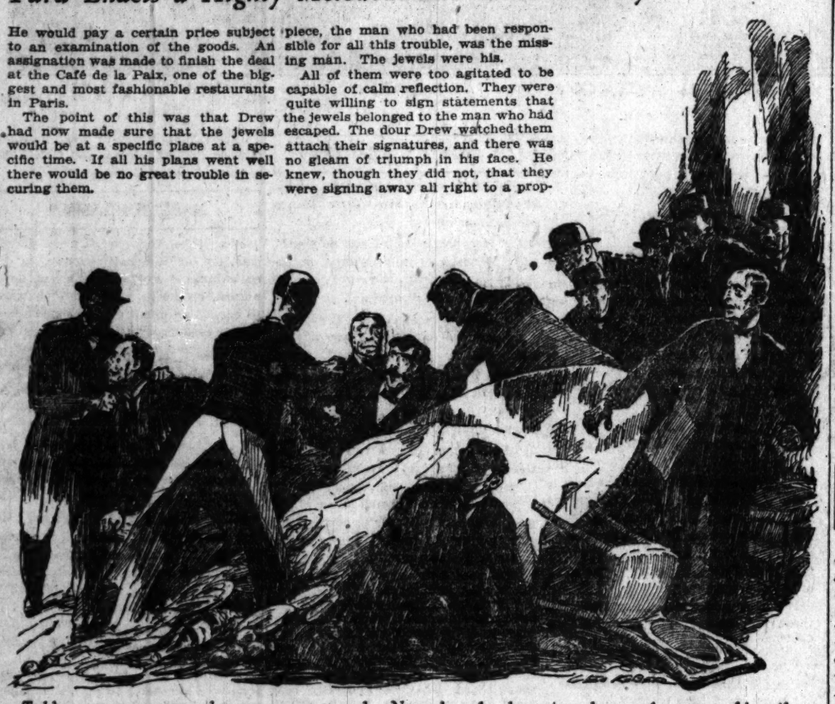
But Tricky Drew had not achieved his nickname without reason. He slipped over to Paris and had a talk with some of the men of the Service de Surete. He had a skeleton of a scheme in his mind, and the quick-witted French officers laughed as they elaborated details of the bluff.

WHEN THIEVES FALL OUT

There were four men known to be mixed up in the affair of the stolen gems. The detectives considered the temperament of each of these carefully, finally selecting one as most suitable for the purpose they had in mind. This man they got hold of quietly. The French police had their own methods of persuasion, and the individual in their clutches felt it would be wise to see reason. He was given precise instructions and promised a considerable reward if he carried them out faithfully. Also he was assured that his own part in certain matters would not be too closely scrutinized if they approved of his behavior.

Meanwhile Drew had engaged another emissary to play a different part. This gentleman, plentifully supplied with money, got into touch with the suspected four as a dealer in precious stones who was not averse from a deal under the rose. He established confidence by paying generous prices for a few stones, and an arrangement was come to in regard to the remainder. He would pay a certain price subject to an examination of the goods. An assignation was made to finish the deal at the Café de la Paix, one of the biggest and most fashionable restaurants in Paris.

The point of this was that Drew had now made sure that the jewels would be at a specific place at a specific time. If all his plans went well there would be no great trouble in securing them.



Tables were overturned; women screamed. None but the detectives knew what was taking place.

WELL OILED

The scene was staged with all the elaboration of a theatrical drama. The five sat down to dinner, all unaware that the adroit waiter at the table was a French detective, and the discussion on the bargain was oiled by the most expensive wines.

A little distance away a jovial party of which the center was a tall, scrupulously dressed Englishman, with a flower in his buttonhole, was engaged on a more modest meal.

The dinner of the first party came to its conclusion. The deft waiter handed round coffee and cigars, and one of the diners thrust a hand into his breast pocket and half drew a roll of notes.

"One moment," interrupted the man on his left. "You can go, waiter. We shall want nothing else."

The waiter bowed obsequiously, "Bien, m'sieu." He moved nonchalantly a few paces away and stood for a while collecting some empty plates.

A NICE LITTLE PARTY

Another man stretched a packet across the table toward the man with the notes. The plates crashed to the ground. The waiter, the tall Englishman, and half a dozen other men sprang to surround the receivers. Tables were overturned, women screamed, men stood on chairs. Some one yelled for the police. None but the detectives quite knew what was taking place.

Rarely does a British detective make an arrest in this melodramatic fashion. But there was method in Drew's madness. Notes and jewels were promptly seized and three of the conspirators arrested and carried off to the police station. The fourth man made an entirely plausible escape during the confusion. None of the other three dreamed they were being made the victims of a well carried through comedy.

MORE DUPES

At the police station the bewildered prisoners did exactly what the astute Drew had expected. They strenuously protested that the jewels did not belong to them. With unanimity and volubility they upheld each other. They were all perfectly honest and misunderstood men. If there had been any violation of the law they were dupes. They had been drawn into the affair quite innocently. The villain of the piece, the man who had been responsible for all this trouble, was the missing man. The jewels were his.

All of them were too agitated to be capable of calm reflection. They were quite willing to sign statements that the jewels belonged to the man who had escaped. The dour Drew watched them attach their signatures, and there was no gleam of triumph in his face. He knew, though they did not, that they were signing away all right to a property which they could have legally defied him to take from them. For the fourth man already had signed away any right he might have had. That was why he had been allowed to escape with every circumstance of verisimilitude.

MERRY DETECTIVES

That there was something wrong must have dawned on them when the smiling French police told them they were free. There was no charge against them that could be sustained. It was at this time that Inspector Drew first permitted himself the luxury of a smile.

A little reflection and a few inquiries soon made them aware of the reason for their merriment. Their faces must have been worth watching when they at last fully understood how they had been outwitted by the calm detective with the air of a duke. They were stung to an attempt to fight. With consummate impudence they began an action in the French courts for the return of the gems.

That was a great mistake, for the cautious Drew still had something up his sleeve. All these men some years before had been expelled from France with loss of civil rights. That meant that they had no standing before a court. So they lost their case, and all that their audacity achieved was an order that they should again be sent out of the country.

AMATEUR TURNS PRO

The marquess, glad enough to get his gems back, was not disposed to go to the trouble and expense that would be involved in bringing the woman and her lover back from Brazil. So they went free, for the time at least, and Drew was spared a tedious trip. Their further career has no connection with this story.

The hapless Gault served his sentence and on his release returned to France. He was an amateur in crime, but nothing else, offered itself as a means of making a livelihood. At his first robbery he was captured and sentenced to a long term of imprisonment. On becoming free once more he was disturbed while going through the flat of a titled woman. Reckless of all but escape, he killed her with a dagger. He was run down and expiated his crime on the guillotine.

If in these days you should see a tall, erect, well groomed man with silver hair and mustache strolling on the front at Brighton, take some note of the jeweled pin he wears in his necktie. That jewel was stolen from the marquess of Anglesea and when returned was presented by him to Chief Detective Inspector Drew.

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[Another of these gripping true stories will appear in an early issue.]

Lady Ghost Plays Role at Auction Sale

KETTERING, England.—(AP)—A "lady" ghost of ancient times figured prominently in an auction sale of land at Kettering.

The shade coming under the hammer was that of "the White Lady of the Falls of Harrington" when part of the Harrington estate was sold.

The White Lady whose name was associated with the auction sale was a member of the family of Sir John Stanhope, who was created Lord Stanhope by James I., and her name has clung to the property all these years—in fact, has become a very part of the district itself.

The story is that the White Lady, a spirited, hot tempered individual, in a rage killed one of the estate gardeners with a spade because he did not plant certain flowers to her liking.

The ghost of the victim never appeared, old timers say, but instead the ghost of the White Lady herself has haunted the scene for centuries and brought ill luck to all who looked upon her.

City Employes Spend Time Riding on Trucks

PARIS.—(AP)—Several city employés of Paris spend their time riding back and forth across the city on truck loads of food or other dutiable goods.

They are officials of the city "octroi" or customs house taking trucks "in bond" from one city gate to another. This enables trucks of dutiable goods to take a short cut through Paris on main highways instead of circling the town and losing much time.

About 8,000 such escorted trucks each year pay eight francs for this service, so that it provides an easy life for a few tired octroi men and some revenue for the city.

SHOPPERS' SERVICE TALES

Attention, shoppers! Have you ever received such exceptional service in a store that you then and there decided to become a steady customer? Have you any recollections of a kindly floorwalker? Or a diplomatic clerk? Write us a brief note telling what kindly deed won your patronage. The Tribune will pay $1 for every story published. Address Shoppers' Service Contest, Chicago Tribune.

Unusually Kind.

Last summer, in an endeavor to purchase a book of golf rules, I visited the book department of every store in the loop. None of them had exactly what I wanted, but a clerk in one of the stores suggested that I go to a men's furnishing store, where they were giving away the very book I wanted.

Upon entering the store, I explained to the floorman that I had not come to purchase, but told him about the book of rules. He did not show me the place where I could procure this book, but escorted me there, selected two books for me, took a number of small packages I carried, and had them wrapped for me. I was amazed at such courtesy and frankly told him so, and his answer was that I should feel at liberty to call at the store for any service they could render and it would be cheerfully given.

Although I have no men in the family for whom I could make purchases at their store, I have been instrumental in turning a considerable amount of business to them.

Incidentally, I never return to a store where the clerk is indifferent to what I ask for, or treats me as though she were conferring a favor by waiting on me. E. S.

More Than Fair.

I buy all my hats in the same store, and this is the reason: The first hat I bought there was an inexpensive milan. The first time I wore it I was caught in a terrific rainstorm, which completely ruined the straw before I could reach shelter.

I realized, of course, that I could not possibly blame the store for the condition of the hat, but, feeling that they could give me the most expert advice on what to do to renovate it, I told my story to the buyer, and asked him what to do.

To my surprise and delight, although I emphasized that I did not hold him responsible, he insisted on sending the hat back to the manufacturer, and, when it was found that nothing could be done to it, he allowed me almost the full price on another hat, giving me the pick of the store, and sending me home not only well satisfied with a new hat, but determined that such an admirable policy should have my permanent support, and that of my friends as well. L. R. S.

Courtesy Appreciated.

One day while window gazing I saw a gown I immediately fell in love with. I went to the dress department, but was told it was a sample and that it was contrary to the rules to remove anything from the windows during the day.

The floorman was called and when I explained that I was leaving town for a visit and wanted the gown very much he telephoned the store's superintendent, who said it was a matter for the window trimming department.

After much more telephoning the proper person was reached. He was reluctant but finally, after much urging by the floorman, consented to replace the wanted gown with another.

Luckily the gown was a good fit and I was enabled to go happily on my way because of the patience and courtesy of the floorman. E. W. K.

Replaced a Purchase.

I was delighted with a beautiful pair of shoes I bought in a store downtown for which I paid $5, but after I wore them two months the patent leather cracked. I took them back, thinking they might at least repair them free of charge.

But what a pleasant surprise! They not only repaired my shoes, but gave me a perfectly new pair of the $5 ones.

I have done all my shopping there since. A. N.

Haydn Work Found by Student

BERLIN.—(AP)—The copy of a posthumous requiem in C minor of Franz Joseph Haydn was discovered by the music student, Ernst Franz Schmidt, in the course of his studies in the municipal museum of the Bavarian town of Burghausen a. d. Salzbach. After lengthy negotiations with the lucky finder, Generalmusikdirektor Weisbach of Duesseldorf succeeded in securing the rights for the first performance of this interesting novelty in Duesseldorf Feb. 2.

THE LOVE MART



POOR BILLIE DOVE! Things don't seem to be shaping up very well for her, do they? This is a scene from "The Love Mart," opening tomorrow at the Chicago theater.

French Writer Seized for Sending Money in Mails

PARIS.—(AP)—An old law passed in the reign of Napoleon III. still makes it a misdemeanor to send money through the French mails, and thereby, say some, hinders charity.

"America's experience," it is said, "shows that people will give freely to charity if they can slip a bill in an envelope. They will give their money but not their time."

In France, a mail contributor would have to get a postal money order or a bank draft.

The law applies not only to actual money, but also to anything that might be cashed by a stranger. Recently Louis Forest, a writer, ran afoul of the law when he sent a postal money order in which the postoffice clerk forgot to insert the name of the payee.

Scientist Assigned to Inspect Horses

PARIS.—(AP)—Military chiefs who are proverbially supposed to detail bakers as shoemakers and carpenters as cooks have another achievement credited to them.

Georges Claude, whose name is linked with the invention of liquid air, is a reserve officer and asked recently to be assigned to an artillery laboratory, where his scientific genius might be of service to the army.

His army chiefs, his friends say, promptly detailed him to act as an inspector of cavalry horses in time of war.

Elephant Hears Call of Wild; Terrorizes Germans

BERLIN.—(AP)—Responding to the call of the wild, a young elephant made his escape from a wrecked freight car and for several days raised terror generally among the villages near Frankfurt-on-Main.

Two freight cars of a circus, containing a number of exotic beasts, were derailed and rolled down the embankment, landing below in ruins. In the work of rescuing the valuable animals from underneath the wreckage, the young pachyderm from among a number of older and more sedate mammals sought the great open spaces.

He roamed happily from one village to another, his idea of humor being to trample all gardens into a state of desolate confusion and to tear down all fences he encountered. When tired of this game he would shuffle back to the scene of accident, condescending to accept morsels of bread thrown him fram afar. But he had no use for those attempting to capture him, several keepers finding it incumbent to retreat in great haste up the embankment or to the top of a stone wall.

Every now and then the runaway retired to a nearby forest for his dessert in the shape of a few savory saplings five or ten years old. After two days of this one-sided fun the farmers in a body indignantly demanded the authorities put a stop to the elephant's incursions.

Finally two police squads, totalling 120 men, in the presence of a vast crowd of excited onlookers, corralled and roped the young renegade and forcibly led him back to confinement.

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Caricatures of the poets whose work appears below are included in this strip. Can you identify them? If you can't, turn to answers in another column on this page. No prizes offered; just a chance to try your memory.

Try These POETIC POSERS

By Norman Lustig and William J. Fadiman.

Now is the time to brush up a little on the old poems you knew so well. See if you can guess the authors of these excerpts and the titles of the poems from which they are taken.

Give yourself five for each author named correctly and another five for the name of the poem. Sixty per cent is a passing mark and anything above that flatters your memory. Try your wits on them, and don't give up too easily.

Here are a few suggestions that might be of some aid. A Scotchman who always wrote in native dialect is the author of the third, and the Englishman who wrote "The Daffodils" also penned the second excerpt. Though not from the same poem, the words, "Why don't you speak for yourself, John?" may recall the author of the eighth. The fifth author lives in England and has written "Kim," among his other works. The initials of the ninth author are W. C. A churchyard was the scene of the first, and the fourth was originally written by the author for his own children's amusement. "In Memoriam" is another work by the author of the seventh. Originally written as a poem, the tenth is even more famous as a song. No. 6 was the work of a playwright, killed in 1593, who also wrote "Tamburline."

After you have finished, turn to the answers in another column on this page.

NO. 1.

The boast of heraldry, the pomp of power,
And all that beauty, all that wealth e'er gave,
Await alike th' inevitable hour.
The paths of glory lead but to the grave——

Poem .....

Author .....

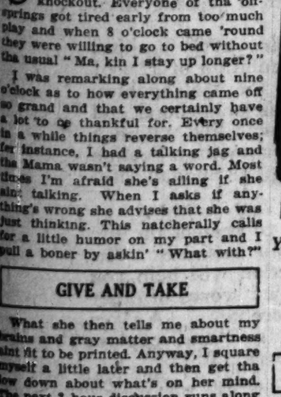


NO. 2.

In vain, through every changeful year,
Did Nature lead him as before;
A primrose by a river's brim
A yellow primrose was to him,
And it was nothing more——

Poem .....

Author .....



NO. 3.

Should auld acquaintance be forgot,
And never brought to min'?
Should auld acquaintance be forgot,
And days o' auld lang syne?

Poem .....

Author .....

NO. 4.

'Twas the night before Christmas, when all through the house
Not a creature was stirring, not even a mouse;
The stockings were hung by the chimney with care,
In hopes that St. Nicholas soon would be there——

Poem .....

Author .....

NO. 5.

If you can keep your head when all about you
Are losing theirs and blaming it on you;
If you can trust yourself when all men doubt you,
But make allowance for their doubting, too——

Poem .....

Author .....

NO. 6.

Was this the face that launched a thousand ships,
And burnt the topless towers of Ilium!
Sweet Helen, make me immortal with a kiss.
Her lips suck forth my soul! See where it flies;
Come, Helen, come, give me my soul again.

Poem .....

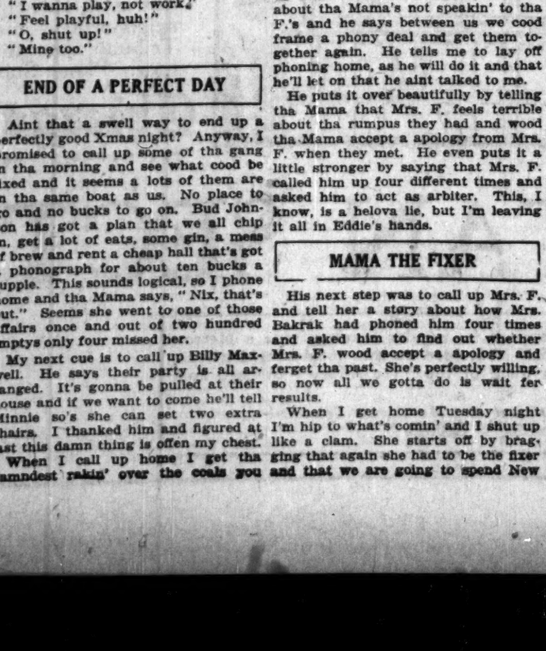
Author .....

NO. 7.

Break, break, break,
On thy cold gray stones, O sea!
And I would that my tongue could utter
The thoughts that arise in me——

Poem .....

Author .....

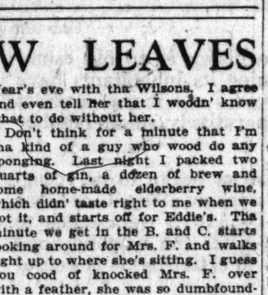


NO. 8.

Between the dark and the daylight,
When the night is beginning to lower,
Comes a pause in the day's occupations
That is known as the Children's Hour——

Poem .....

Author .....

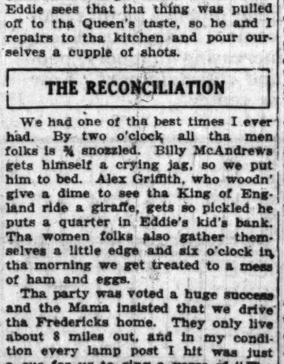


NO. 9.

I am monarch of all I survey;
My right there is none to dispute;
From the center all 'round to the sea
I am lord of the fowl and the brute——

Poem .....

Author .....



NO. 10.

Drink to me only with thine eyes,
And I will pledge with mine;
Or leave a kiss but in the cup
And I'll not look for wine——

Poem .....

Author .....

AL DISCOURSES ON BILL SHAKESPEARE

Thinks Othello Was the Funniest Thing He Wrote

By Snowshoe Al.



BILL SHAKESPEARE, the demon fountain pen demonstrator of a couple centuries ago, certainly crashed out some high class comedy, but [at least in my estimation] the funniest thing he ever wrote was a drama entitled:

OTHELLO & DESDEMONA.

Brabantio was the richest politician what ever disregarded traffic signals on the canals of Venice. Venice was a town where streets were built to accommodate eels instead of voters. This Brabantio person had more titles and jobs than the prince of Wales and Mussolini combined. Besides being a senator he was also custodian of the graft, president of the Bomb Throwers' union, high hat of the Rotary club, low heel of the Kiwanis club, stiff neck of the local den of Lions, and the et cetera. He was in poor health, and could usually be found lying in a corner swallowing pink pills for punk men.

A SWELL MAMMA

This egg had a daughter named Desdemona, who was one ritzy looking mamma; in fact, she was always grabbing first prize at the beauty contests, horse fairs, dog shows and aquarium exhibits. She was very proud of her face, and she used to always carry it with her because she discovered that it had several uses. For instance, if somebody gave her a shove when she was leaving a cabaret with a bottle of beer in each hand, she needn't drop the beer—she could slide out the door on her face. She was graceful, dignified and well educated, and felt perfectly at home whether she was riding in a limousine or a patrol wagon. This squaw always had a mess of boy friends hanging around her papa's dugout, and people began to suspect that maybe there was a couple stills working overtime in the basement. Every morning the hired girl would sweep about six sleeping dukes and a half dozen snoring princes [assorted sizes] off the front door step.

But did Desdemona fall for any of these royal suitors? Naw! She crashed for a Moor named Othello. Othello was darker than most Moors, in fact he looked like a cross between a crow and 2 o'clock in the morning. He was a general in the Venetian army, and was so brave he would even disagree with a head waiter. Courage? Sa-a-y, that guy would trot into the Waldorf-Astoria's dining room and order hash!

THE NEW WIGWAM

Well, him and Desdemona got married secretly and grabbed off a four room apartment of their own. It had musical radiators, galloping cockroaches, beds what disappeared into the wall, mice what disappeared into the pantry, and all other modern conveniences. In order to help defray expenses around the new wigwam, they took in a couple boarders.

Brabantio now learns of his daughter's marriage, and it made him so mad that his brain boiled over and ran down his neck. He drags his new son-in-law in before the Venetian senate and makes a hot speech to the effect that this guy don't belong in the picture and should be punished. He talked for two hours and fifteen minutes, and never called Othello the same name twice; in fact, he even accepted suggestions from the gallery. As soon as papa was through broadcasting, Othello rose to make a speech in his own defense, and he raved loud and long about his love for the gal, thereby causing the senators [all of whom was married] to become sick and tired, so they made him a proposition. They offered to acquit him if he would change the subject, which he did.

After a couple weeks of married life, Othello figured that he needed a little quiet, so he decided to go back to war. He took his two star boarders with him. One of them was named Iago, an old bozo with a brain which had begun to ferment. Iago's idea of something funny was an earthquake—providing the casualty list was real fat. This baby would have sooner went to a funeral than to a musical comedy, providing it wasn't his funeral. His favorite outdoor sport was pallbearing. If he was alive today he would certainly be in the booze racket.

A LITTLE DIRT

The other star boarder was a drug store grenadier named Cassio. Cassio was Othello's lieutenant and had often pulled the John Alden stuff for the Moor while he was rushing Desdemona, so he was sitting pretty. He was a handsome hound and he certainly knew his Bermudas when it came to handling the Minnehahas.

Iago was jealous of the fact that Cassio was his superior officer, and he decided that the only way to hook him was to inject a little slapstick comedy into Othello's home life, so one day he trots over to the Moor and remarks:

"Listen, Midnight, this other bozo may be your lieutenant and all that sort of stuff, but around your house you would think he was the iceman. Har, har, har! Of course, it's none of my business, but——"

"Har, har, yourself!" grins Othello; "we have an electric refrigerator in our domicile, so that old wheeze ain't so good."

"Neither is your wife," laughs Iago, "or Cassio wouldn't be wearing one of her stockings for a necktie. Har, har! Of course it's no affair of mine, but——"

KICKED IN THE RIBS

Now this was a dirty trick on Iago's part, because Cassio was really a nice, innocent boy who always played square, and who was above suspicion, and therefore it was wrong to toss shadows across the boy's character. Anyhow, the stocking didn't belong to Othello's wife at all—it belonged to the wife of a traveling salesman.

However, the Moor was dumb enough to skid for this line of chatter and he became so disturbed that when he sat down to dinner he ate four napkins and wiped his face with a sandwich. Then, crawling into his raccoon coat, he says to Iago:

"I am going home and settle matters with a certain lady acquaintance of mine. In the meantime I shall expect you to get ahold of a certain lieutenant an' stab him severely!"

"Leave it to me, Ebony," says the villain, "I'll take that guy for a ride."

So Othello tears back to his wigwam and rushes up to his wife's boudoir (whatever that is), where he found her sleeping. He kicked her in the ribs gently and woke her up.

"What's the idea, Large Boy?" says her; "I wasn't expecting you home for at least two weeks yet."

JEALOUSY IS TERRIBLE

"Pardon me, Dearie, for waking you," says her husband, "but I thought you would be interested to know that I am now going to smother you to death."

"Aw, damn the luck!" cries Desdemona, weeping wildly, "an' here I just went an' bought four new dresses!"

"Come on, hold still—I can't smother you if you're going to squirm around like that!" howls her Dark Daddy, so she complied with his request and died gracefully.

Just then the door flops open, and in busts Cassio and Iago, surrounded by three wagonloads of cops. Iago had failed to bump off the kid. The latter now had the dirt on the villain and he spilled the grief to Othello.

"Such a swell time to tell me, just after I rang down the curtain on the mamma!" snorts the Moor, so he grabbed a knife and stabbed himself in the boudoir. He croaked promptly.

All of which is supposed to prove that jealously is a terrible thing. So is the story. Happy New Year!

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LEAP YEAR—AS IS—AS WAS—AS MAY BE

Still Further Proposal Boon Proposed for Girls

So They Won't Be Forced to Pay and Pay and Pay



It is statut and ordaint that during the rein of hir maist blissit Majeste, for ilk years knowne as lepe yeares, ilk mayden ladye of bothe highe and lowe estait shall hae liberte to bespeke ye man she likes, albeit he refusee to taik hir to be his lawful wyfe, he shall be mulcted in ye sum ane pundis or less, as his estait may be; except and awis gif he can make it appeare that he is betrothit ane ither woman he then shall be free.

—Scottish Statute, A. D. 1288.

By William Wisner.

MARGARET, maid of Norway, was Queen of Scotland when this earliest of all feminist bills became law in the land of the lochs, the bens, the haggis, and the heather. A few years later France enacted a similar statute and in the fifteenth century Genoa and Florence legalized the quadrennial open season on bachelors.

The Encyclopedia Britannica sheds no further light upon the subject except this:

"Of the origin of the custom for women to woo, not be wooed, during leap year, no satisfactory explanation has ever been offered."

THERE'S NO ESCAPING 'EM

It will be noticed that the joker in the law quoted above is that the quarry need not be "betrothit ane ither woman," but that "he make it appeare" that such is the case.

What a boon for bonnie Jean, her wee heart yearning and longing for sleekit, cowrin, tim-rous, bashfu' Sandy. If Sandy—after much deliberation, you may be sure—preferred being "mulcted in ye sum ane pundis or less" to accepting bonnie Jean's hand, she need but cause it to be noised about that her complaisant chum, pop-eyed Peggy, was seen trailing Sandy with a "bespeking" gleam in her ee; whereupon Sandy, casting caution to the winds, would espouse bonnie Jean and save, temporarily at least, his "ane pundis or less."

It is popularly believed that this custom of women's leap year rights has been followed through the ages and down to the present writing. Indeed, some authorities go so far as to claim that the fair sex, taking unfair advantage of man's notoriously lax memory in the matter of dates, has extended the leap year privileges on both ends, so that now those privileges overlap and leap year itself has become merely the peak load period—the height, you might say, of the he-hunting season.

EQUAL RIGHTS?

There are those, of course, who express views diametrically opposed to that just cited, and it may have no basis whatever in fact. But the opinion is held by such a ponderable body of our more serious, male, married opinion-holders that, in the absence of available statistics, it must be coped with as an actuality.

If the proposing of marriage has ceased to be woman's special prerogative during this one year in each four, then some other right must be vouchsafed her for that period to take its place.

To disclose this new leap year privilege is the purpose of this article.

The task of finding a suitable gift for Woman in general is as much more difficult than selecting a present for one particular woman as the total number of women is to one. You know, something neat but not gaudy; a token that means a great deal and—not to put too fine a point upon it—permits the donor to eat regularly whilst smilingly feeding the installment collector for the next few eons.

IN NO WOMAN'S LAND

The problem is made still more brain-racking by woman's constantly increasing activities in the world outside the nursery and the kitchen.

Not only does she officiate, professionally as well as personally, at our entrance into the world, but also, stethoscope in hand, superintends our leaving it, and in the final scene, in yet another rôle, directs the obsequies.

She pulls our teeth, educates us, repairs our balky motors, runs our elevators, writes our books, sells us bonds and real estate, makes our laws, governs our states, ministers to our spiritual needs, hunts the Snark and the Behemoth of Holy Writ, and explores our darkest continents; she plays male parts in "Peter Pan" and "L'Aiglon" better, far, than we could do—and even, it is said, smuggles in the sinful juice of the succulent juniper berry.

Can we confer upon her any sartorial right she has not already taken? Are her golf knickers one whit different from man's plus-fours? She wears his shirts, his collars, his ties, his breeches. Even certain items of her lingerie, we are informed, are merely abridged editions of man's union suits.

Nor is the end in sight. The comic magazines assure us that she monopolizes our barbers and dictates the style of our cigaret holders and cigar lighters.

In a word, there seems to be almost nothing we can give her that she has not already appropriated, or that she will fail to annex when, as, and if the spirit moves her.

BE IT ENACTED

Hence, there is but one thing left to do and we men must face the task without flinching. Let us make a virtue of necessity and grant her, during leap years, at least, the special privileges enunciated in the subjoined bill to be acted upon in congress, to wit:

"It is statut and ordaint that during lepe yeare Woman be permitted freely and heartily to indulge in hilarious, immoderate, uproarious, and unseemly laughter at each and every weather-beaten jest with which her husband entertains company, regardless of how many times she has heard said quip before and from the same source;

"That she be granted free and full right, without let or hindrance and without prejudice to her present household occupations, to the furnace-shaking, milk bottle and newspaper retrieving, cat-banishing, clock-winding, and burglar-hunting concessions within the confines of her domicile;

"That the various and sundry statutes be repealed which compel her to disembark from street cars and other common carriers whilst facing in a retrogressive direction;

"And be it further enacted, that she be given free access to, and full use of, all sleeve-garters, bicycle-clips, mustache-cups, croquet mallets, bamboo canes, family albums, stereoscopes, horse blocks, boot-jacks, painted sea-shells, souvenirs of Niagara Falls, buggy whips, false shirt-fronts, chain-mail watch fobs, detachable cuffs, congress gaiters, and stag-headed, carved-bone umbrella handles, which several articles may be in the possession of her male next of kin or boy friends at the time of the passage of this measure."

Gentlemen, we might as well shoot the works.

So here you are, Ladies; hop to it.

THE DUKE TURNS OVER A FEW LEAVES

He Drinks Out the Old Year; Drinks in the New

By Duke Bakrak.

CHRISTMAS at our house this year was tha berries. Tha tree looked swell. Tha eats were a knockout. Everyone of tha 'offsprings got tired early from too much play and when 8 o'clock came 'round they were willing to go to bed without tha usual "Ma, kin I stay up longer?"

I was remarking along about nine o'clock as to how everything came off so grand and that we certainly have a lot to be thankful for. Every once in a while things reverse themselves; for instance, I had a talking jag and tha Mama wasn't saying a word. Most times I'm afraid she's afling if she ain't talking. When I asks if anything's wrong she advises that she was just thinking. This natcherally calls for a little humor on my part and I pull a boner by askin' "What with?"

GIVE AND TAKE

What she then tells me about my brains and gray matter and smartness aint fit to be printed. Anyway, I square myself a little later and then get tha low down about what's on her mind. The next 3 hour discussion runs along somethin' like this:

"Whadda we gonna do New Year's Eve, sit home again?"

"Not necessarily."

"Well, what plans have'ya made?"

"None yet."

"Ya gonna make 'em in January or February?"

"No."

"If tha Schmidts can afford a cabaret why can't we?"

"Where we gonna get tha bucks?"

"If you had any brains you'd earn some."

"Why don't you call up tha Martins and fix a house party?"

"Shure, always ME, I gotta do tha fixing."

"Can't we go to a movie?"

"Ha ha! Know any more funny ones? Movie on New Year's eve!"

"Cood be worse."

"Sure, if we took in two."

"Why can't we have tha gang at our house?"



You cood have knocked Mrs. F. over with a feather.

"I wanna play, not work."
"Feel playful, huh!"
"O, shut up!"
"Mine too."

END OF A PERFECT DAY

Aint that a swell way to end up a perfectly good Xmas night? Anyway, I promised to call up some of tha gang in tha morning and see what cood be fixed and it seems a lots of them are in tha same boat as us. No place to go and no bucks to go on. Bud Johnson has got a plan that we all chip in, get a lot of eats, some gin, a mess of brew and rent a cheap hall that's got a phonograph for about ten bucks a cupple. This sounds logical, so I phone home and tha Mama says, "Nix, that's out." Seems she went to one of those affairs once and out of two hundred emptys only four missed her.

My next cue is to call up Billy Maxwell. He says their party is all arranged. It's gonna be pulled at their house and if we want to come he'll tell Minnie so's she can set two extra chairs. I thanked him and figured at last this damn thing is often my chest.

When I call up home I get tha damndest 'raking' over the coals you ever heard. Tha first thing she wants to know is, where is my pride and if I think she's gonna accept a 2nd hand invitation to a party what was framed with our name not among those present, I gotta another thought coming. When I pull a crack to her about "pride comes before a fall," she tells me it also comes before a winter and spring and bang goes tha receiver.

CONSPIRACY

The only uther gang I can think of is tha Wilsons, but I happen to know that tha Fredericks wood be there also. Mrs. Fredericks and tha Mama aint on speaking terms since Mrs. F. accidentally on purpose forgot to invite tha Mama to a bridge party three years ago last April. Now, if I cood frame some kind of a deal to get them together I know she'd be willing to check in tha Wilson party, 'cause when they do things there done up brown and everybody always has a helova swell time.

When I call up Eddie Wilson he says everything is okay and he was just thinking about us and was gonna invite us over. Of course, I gotta tell him about tha Mama's not speakin' to tha F.'s and he says between us we cood frame a phony deal and get them together again. He tells me to lay off phoning home, as he will do it and that he'll let on that he aint talked to me.

He puts it over beautifully by telling tha Mama that Mrs. F. feels terrible about tha rumpus they had and wood tha Mama accept a apology from Mrs. F. when they met. He even puts it a little stronger by saying that Mrs. F. called him up four different times and asked him to act as arbiter. This, I know, is a helova lie, but I'm leaving it all in Eddie's hands.

MAMA THE FIXER

His next step was to call up Mrs. F. and tell her a story about how Mrs. Bakrak had phoned him four times and asked him to find out whether Mrs. F. wood accept a apology and forget tha past. She's perfectly willing, so now all we gotta do is wait fer results.

When I get home Tuesday night I'm hip to what's comin' and I shut up like a clam. She starts off by bragging that again she had to be the fixer and that we are going to spend New Year's eve with tha Wilsons. I agree and even tell her that I woodn' know what to do without her.

Don't think for a minute that I'm tha kind of a guy who wood do any sponging. Last night I packed two quarts of gin, a dozen of brew and some home-made elderberry wine, which didn' taste right to me when we got it, and starts off for Eddie's. Tha minute we get in the B. and C. starts looking around for Mrs. F. and walks right up to where she's sitting. I guess you cood of knocked Mrs. F. over with a feather, she was so dumbfounded, but they put their arms around each other and gave each other a kiss. Eddie sees that tha thing was pulled off to tha Queen's taste, so he and I repairs to tha kitchen and pour ourselves a cupple of shots.

THE RECONCILIATION

We had one of tha best times I ever had. By two o'clock all tha men folks is ¾ snozzled. Billy McAndrews gets himself a crying jag, so we put him to bed. Alex Griffith, who woodn' give a dime to see tha King of England ride a giraffe, gets so pickled he puts a quarter in Eddie's kid's bank. Tha women folks also gather themselves a little edge and six o'clock in tha morning we get treated to a mess of ham and eggs.

Tha party was voted a huge success and the Mama insisted that we drive tha Fredericks home. They only live about 8 miles out, and in my condition every lamp post I hit was just a cue for us to sing a verse of "Tha gang's all here."

This morning some of the Mama's girl fr'en's call up and tell tha Mama how nice it was fer her to come forward first and some of the others call up Mrs. F. and tell her tha same thing. Finally both of 'em get hip that it was frameup.

So now their mad again.

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SLIGHTLY MISTAKEN.

A new story of Sir Harry Lauder's concerns a Scottish lassie newly married to the parish minister, who was being interviewed by the reporter of the local paper following the ceremony.

"And after the honeymoon where do you intend to settle down?" was the final question.

"At the old manse," said the bride as she hurried away.

The reporter thought it sounded a bit odd, but he decided to use the information, so, when it appeared in print the report finished up: "After the honeymoon the happy couple intend to live at the old man's.

Bargains!

Ever since Eve's momentous conversation with the serpent bargain hunting has been the favorite indoor sport of the fair sex. Send us a short and snappy letter telling the how, why and wherefore of the best bargain you ever struck. The Tribune will pay $2 for every letter published. Address Bargains, Chicago Tribune.

A Coat for $2.50.

It was the day before Christmas four years ago. I was to meet my husband at a busy corner as we were going out of town for the holidays. He got there half an hour ahead of time, which in itself was something extraordinary, so he went into a store to get a tie for one of the smaller boys.

When he met me he said, "Let's go into the boys' section; I want to show you something." On a pile of overcoats, or rather underneath it as he had tucked it there so one one would take it while he was gone, was a boy's overcoat, dark brown plaid, fully lined in wool plaid, size 3 years, marked $2.50.

I couldn't believe it, so we took it to the floor man, who in turn called the head of the department. He said it was correct and that there were only three like it. It just fitted my two year old son, so needless to say we took it, and have been sorry ever since that we did not take the other two and give them to some one. My youngster wore the coat two years and it is still doing duty for another little boy set in Seattle, Wash. E. L.

Finding Money.

I was obliged to get a certain book for school and had little cash, so I went to a second hand book store and, after rummaging around among the dusty old books, finally found one for the amazingly low price of 50 cents.

Delighted with my wonderful bargain, I arrived home, started to read, and, to my utter surprise and delight, found an old $2 bill among its folds This proved to be the best bargain I ever got in my life. S. S.

Answers to Poetic Posers

CARICATURES OF POETS.

[Left to right]: 1, Burns; 2, Kipling; 3, Longfellow; 4, Gray; 5, Ben Jonson; 6, Marlowe; 7, Tennyson; 8, Clement Moore; 9, Wordsworth; 10, Cowper.

1. *Elegy Written in a Country Churchyard,* by Thomas Gray.
2. *Peter Bell,* by William Wordsworth.
3. *Auld Lang Syne,* by Robert Burns.
4. *The Night Before Christmas,* by Clement Moore.
5. *If,* by Rudyard Kipling.
6. *Doctor Faustus,* by Christopher Marlowe.
7. *Break, Break, Break,* by Alfred Lord Tennyson.
8. *The Children's Hour,* by Henry Wadsworth Longfellow.
9. *The Solitude of Alexander Selkirk,* by William Cowper.
10. *To Celia, from The Forest,* by Ben Jonson.

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THE RUSH HOUR



HERE'S A SCENE from "The Rush Hour," showing at the State-Lake theater. Nobody looks particularly rushed, though, and if you ask us, there is something in the Marie Prevost eye that declares one lady doesn't intend to be.

STORIES of GIRLS

Her Cottage In the Dunes.

By Margaret Orr.

THE girl or the house—which shall it be first? Both were mysteries.

The house was solitary, hidden in sand dunes. Around it stretched nothing but rocks, bayberry bushes, sand, and eel grass. But it looked out on the sea.

Alicia's mother had discovered the place when the girl was little. They lived alone. On the grass grown village lanes folks avoided Alicia's mother. They said she was "peculiar."

Alicia went to school in the village. She bought things at the stores. But, aside from those contacts, her mother kept her strictly at home.

Then one night Alicia ran all the way to the doctor's house. Between gasps she asked him to come. Before they reached the house, the mother had died.

A philanthropic woman, who had a summer home in the village, offered to educate Alicia at a school where she might learn the beauties and intricacies of household things. The woman deplored Alicia's lack of social contacts and her sentiment. Alicia should go places, do things, and become a "noble woman."

She left the mysterious cottage just as it was—as though somebody were still living there. With tear-blurred eyes, she even set the table. She slammed the door behind her for the last time. And she went away to school.

The school was a splendid institution. It glorified the simple and sincere things of life. It dignified the humblest tasks. And, above all, it insisted that the noblest thing a girl could do was to make a home a real abiding place of hospitality, beauty, peace, and honest sentiment. And who was Alicia to doubt it?

One day a letter came saying that an artist who wished to be quiet had made an offer for the place. It was an unusual opportunity. Poor Alicia knew that offers would never be many for that desolate place.

That night, with several other girls, she went to the movies.

There was a brief travel picture on "Unfamiliar Glimpses Along Our Coast." And under the caption: "A Deserted Cottage," behold the little house. It looked so pathetic, so poor, so lonely!

Alicia felt her throat tighten. One hot tear after another trickled down the corners of her mouth.

That night she packed up and ran away.

Windswept and silvered the cottage welcomed her. Inside, the old things were sweet familiar ghosts. She opened wide the windows toward the sea. And she performed many a formerly detested rite of home.

There were plenty of tins of food. In the old canister there was still a bit of China tea. She lighted the lamp and started a little supper.

Then late, very late, she was startled by a knock at the door. The doctor was on his way home and noticed the light. Alicia told him what had happened. He was kind and sensible.

He knew she was out of adjustment with the social system. He knew she was impulsive and intensely sentimental. He merely asked her if she didn't consider herself ungrateful to run away like this.

"They sent me away to learn to be a noble woman," she answered. At school they told me the noblest thing a woman could do was to keep a house. All right then. I'll stay right here. 'Cause I'm going to keep this house.

For, after all, sentiment lies behind the details of a home. And when sentiment is there, the training doesn't so much matter.

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It's a Way Youth Has.

THEY were leaving the next morning for the hills of Ao Safai—across the world, somewhere.

Jean and Kendrick were parting forever from the village with its green on which their large, white house faced. Their trunks and cases of books were stacked in the front hall, ready for the expressman. But the living room tonight was peaceful.

Oriental rugs, Rex on the hearth rug, the fireplace sending out showers of sparks, flames intermittently lighting oil paintings in heavy gold frames—all these were beautiful things to remember.

Here were gathered the family—a father, known and loved throughout the countryside; an English mother; a grandmother fashioning lace; a forgotten musician, who across the sea in many a whirling metropolis had been known as "our beloved baritone," and, of course, there were Jean and Kendrick.

This brother and sister were inseparable. Since baby days they had been devoted comrades. It was natural they should leave home together.

Jean and Kendrick were gay and bubbling over with enthusiasm. They were going to Ao Safai to learn about turquoise and strange vegetation, and perhaps to find the bones of prehistoric beasts. Romantic science! Scientific romance! No wonder they were happy!

But grandma's threads of lace were limp with tears. Her voice broke foolishly when she asked if they all remembered the day Kendrick brought the snake into the kitchen and nursed it into a state of revolt on crushed strawberries and coffee.

Dad recalled Jean's experiments with worms and suddenly switched to a doubtful joke about a bell buoy in the ocean.

Their mother looked at them proudly. Yet her heart was aching for these two—her brilliant children. Her hopes, ambitions, years of work and worry had all been for them to be exactly what they were—smart, unusual.

Now they were going away to the other side of the world without a touch of emotion. O, if either one would only give one little sign of caring, or of sorrow at leaving their mother! But neither would. They were sturdy. The hills of Ao Safai call only sturdy folk.

The old musician, to break the tenseness of the situation, asked Jean to sing them one of the songs he had taught her—just any little thing she could remember.

Jean sat down at the grand piano and rippled out various nothings. Then she laughed merrily.

"I'm so excited tonight," she said. "I can't remember anything much. That is, nothing but this:

"I often think of home,
Dee-oo-lee-aye,
When I am all alone and far away."

But that was enough. It caused one great dramatic moment. Then Jean and Kendrick were gay again.

For parting brutally, remembering tenderly, "when all alone and far away"—it's a way youth has.

Eve's Invasion of Clubs Draws Frown from Adam

LONDON.—(AP)—London's old established men's clubs frown upon the lead set by the Junior Carlton club, where a proposal has been put forward to admit women as associate members. Secretaries say there is "nothing doing."

Bootle's, the Carlton club, White's, the Junior Army and Navy, and the Royal Aero say positively they have no intentions of altering their rules in the way contemplated by members of the Junior Carlton.

In this connection the secretary of the Bootle's club said proudly: "No women have ever entered Bootle's, and there are no indications, at present, that they ever will."

Asked if a proposal to allow women to have a meal with a member might be considered, the secretary retorted emphatically: "No—never!"

The Daily Mirror, however, is not so sure of the "never, never" of the "severe secretaries."

"If at first they don't get into the clubs as members, they get in as waitresses—since the war this has happened in one of the most sternly and learnedly masculine institutions—then, as guests; then as 'associates!' Time will show. But we doubt the loud 'never, never' of the secretaries."

Airplane Forms Part of Baggage of Lady Heath

SOUTHAMPTON, England.—(AP)—An airplane with turquoise colored wings and body formed part of the baggage of Lady Heath, formerly Mrs. Sophie Elliott Lynn, when she sailed for a holiday in South Africa. She is Britain's pioneer flyer.

Before her marriage some months ago Lady Heath did stunt flying in this country as well as on the continent.

Third of German Jews Live in Berlin

BERLIN.—(AP)—That almost one-third of the Jews in Germany live in the capital, Berlin, is one of the interesting facts revealed in the statistical year book for 1927, receptly published.

It appears that the total number of Jews in Germany is 564,000. Of these, 172,000 are citizens of Berlin.

Another interesting figure contained in the annual is that of the number of avowed believers in the Greek orthodox faith in Germany. There are 19,000 of them.

JUST AS GOOD.

Over back roads, bumpy beyond description, in a desolate section of Virginia, the woman had been driving for hours. At last she emerged to a state highway, where a garage with its welcoming gas tank stood in view.

A darky in a crumpled pair of overalls stood grinning beside the tank.

"Do you fix flat tires?" the woman fairly shouted as she just about pushed the ramshackle car the last few inches.

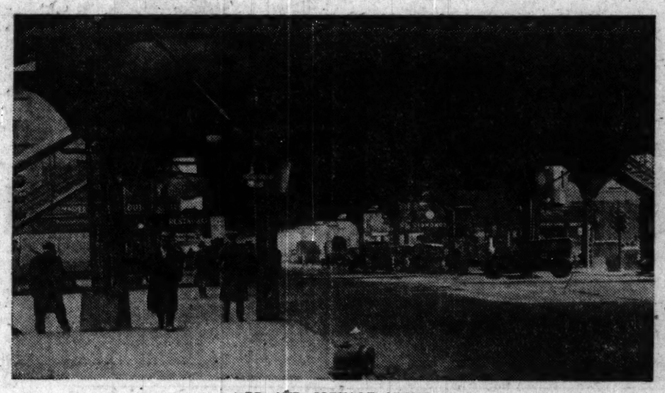
"I don't does it," came the cronning reply, "but I does have 'em did."—New York Sun.



WOODLAWN wins success in "Battle of the Neighborhoods"

ALONG both sides of 63rd Street in the shadow of the long steel finger of the "L" are the busy stores of Woodlawn. From Stony Island to South Park Avenue they stretch block upon block. From the north and the south they draw the business of a prosperous neighborhood containing over 80,000 people.

And crossing 63rd are other busy thoroughfares—Stony Island, Woodlawn and, most important of all, Cottage Grove Avenue. Each of these intersections is a shopping center in itself. Each contributes its activity to make 63rd Street one of the chief trading centers of the city.



63RD AND COTTAGE GROVE

In Six Years

63rd Street has always been busy. Woodlawn is an old established neighborhood and from the beginning its inhabitants have gone to 63rd to shop. But as late as six years ago it was a street of small shops doing business with a comparatively small number of regular customers.

Then the strategic advantage of the district began to be recognized. Automobile showrooms began to appear along Cottage Grove Avenue. More came—and more. Dealers were quick to capitalize on the opportunities for volume sales the neighborhood offered. Today Cottage Grove from 60th to 67th Streets is one of Chicago's major "automobile rows".

Another development took place about this time that was to enlarge the scope of Woodlawn's trade. A huge moving picture palace was built. It prospered. Another one came. Numerous places to dine and dance were opened. In ever increasing numbers, people came to Woodlawn seeking relaxation and entertainment. Now the district is a social as well as a business center.

Today—and the Future

These changes have meant increased prosperity for Woodlawn merchants. Stores have been enlarged and improved, show windows have been made more effective for display purposes. The rental on business property has advanced to an average of $500 a foot. The four large banks of the neighborhood have total resources of almost thirty millions of dollars.

Woodlawn has been successful in "the battle of the neighborhoods." But it has not yet achieved its commercial destiny. Further expansion must come. Stores must grow—in number and in size. The fight must go on. Every aggressive weapon that present day salesmanship can provide must be used to keep the neighborhood's business from going to other localities.

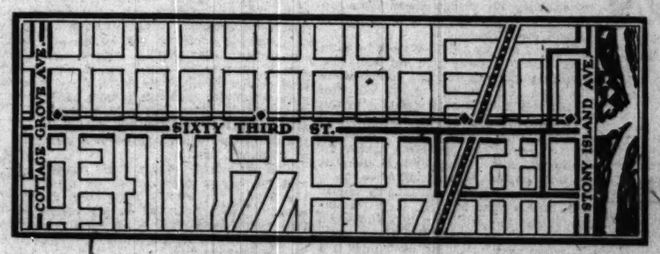
It Can Be Done

Woodlawn can do it—must do it. And so must every other shopping center in the city. As time goes on "the battle of the neighborhoods" will be waged with even greater intensity. Every store owner must join in the fight. To wait patiently for business to come and keep coming can mean but one thing—commercial defeat. Ultimate victory will rest with the merchants who go out after customers.

How

There is available for outlying merchants a sales-weapon that has the power of a battery of siege guns. This is The Tribune Metropolitan Section. This section splits The Tribune's vast, responsive circulation into three parts, one for each side of the city. Each advertisement in the Metropolitan Section reaches a quarter of a million families or more, all living within a trading area convenient to local dealers.

For example, in the Woodlawn district there are 21,598 families. In this territory The Sunday Tribune has a circulation of 22,666! That means that the Woodlawn merchant using the Metropolitan Section can reach every family in his immediate neighborhood and more than 200,000 additional south side families who live within a comparatively short distance. And the cost of Metropolitan Section advertising is about one-third of The Tribune's regular Sunday rate!



NOW Is the Time

Begin at once to protect the life and profits of your business. The Metropolitan Section will help you just as it has helped scores of other neighborhood merchants. Ask a Tribune man to call and explain how. Phone Superior 0100.

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THE WORLD'S GREATEST NEWSPAPER

METROPOLITAN SECTION

The Chicago Tribune publishes as a part of its regular Sunday issue a Metropolitan Section, the circulation of which is divided so that local neighborhood merchants may advertise in any one or more of the three sides of Chicago and suburbs as follows:

North and Uptown Section—West and Northwest Section—South and Southwest Section

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Chicago Sunday Tribune

THE WORLD'S GREATEST NEWSPAPER

Movies Music
H. L. Mencken
Art Radio Churches

JANUARY 1, 1928.

Music to Be Wafted on Ethereal Waves?

By Edward Moore.

NEW music making devices, new music, and new methods of distributing music makers to the communities around and about would seem to be some of the matters to be taken up by the new year.

The newest music making device is so new that so far it has not acquired a defining or descriptive name for itself.



CLAUDIA MUZIO as Tosca in the like named opera today at the Auditorium.

It had two or three demonstrations in Paris about four weeks ago, and as a result of billboard, newspaper, and prospectus publicity a riot squad of police had to be called out to club off the several thousand persons who tried to get in to hear it and were unable to do so. It is said the inventor now plans to come to America, his chief idea being to confer with Edison on matters of financial and otherwise unmusical import.

Two accounts of the Paris demonstration have reached this desk, one decidedly sympathetic in tone, the other in a more Missourian vein. The inventor is a certain Prof. Theremin, a Russian, who is principally electrician and almost as a side line musician.

Combining the accounts, a task almost comparable to that of Dickens' editorial writer in his article on Chinese metaphysics, it is learned that Prof. Theremin produces what he calls "music of the ethereal waves." The stage is crowded with electrical devices of various sorts and shapes, centering around a vertical metal wand which stands in a field of electro-magnetic waves. The inventor passes his hand to and fro near the wand, and the interruption of the magnetic field by this means is translated by further mechanisms into sounds of varying pitch, strength, and timbre. By altering these further mechanisms it would seem that the count of overtones also can be changed; hence the inventor evolves tones resembling those of stringed instruments, flute, clarinet, bassoon, and the like.

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When the Doctors Disagree.

Up to this point the two accounts are in a fair degree of accord. From here they take separate paths. Henry Prunieres, writing to the New York Times, says that in the treble the sounds resembled those of a violin and in the lower scale those of a cello, "but like a violin or cello which could produce the most delicate pianissimo or give the equivalent of thirty instruments playing together. The quality of tone is most beautiful."

James Whittaker, at one time a Chicago music critic, wrote to Musical America: "Into my ear it emptied some very pure tones, varied in force and sometimes in quality, welded together in a sirupy legato, unearthly and dispassionate, and for that reason insupportable for more than five minutes at a stretch."

Apparently its musical values are still in the experimental stage. Apparently, also, it is a solo instrument, producing a single line of melody. The one man orchestra has not yet arrived.

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Contemporary Music to Be Heard.

New music, at least music so far unheard, is to be presented by the Chicago chapter of the International Society for Contemporary Music. It has selected the evening of Feb. 5 as the date and the Cliff Dwellers' club as the place, and it promises an informal concert of new music.

Frederick Stock, chairman of the music committee, in arranging the program, says the works to be presented are from the pens of contemporary composers, and that one Chicagoan probably will be included. They will be in the larger forms for piano, violin, and string quartet.

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Talent for the Provinces.

On the matter of distributing music to other communities, there is an appeal from Joseph Danziger of 2417 Erskine boulevard, South Bend, Ind. He says: "Since the passage of the immigration law there are few Swiss bellringers left in this country, and we therefore get to hear very little music out here in the sticks." He continues:

> Seriously, though, I believe there is an uncultivated field, or rather source, of musical talent that would be appreciated in the provinces—to use a European definition—and which at present is going begging for audiences. There is a greater appreciation of real good music in the small towns of the middle west than possibly you in your metropolitan arrogance appreciate. On the other hand, there are in Chicago, and, of course, in New York, Berlin, Paris, and possibly Milan, thousands of talented musicians with real ability who never get a hearing. I knew lots of them personally when I lived in Chicago, on the near north side, in the old days when Rudolph Ganz had a job with Mr. Ziegfeld Sr., and I know there were a lot of fellows then who had real talent and have never been heard from since.
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> About the only music we get here is a program of four or five concerts sponsored by the Civic Music Association, Incorporated, a booking agency in Chicago, which organizes local civic associations in cities of this neighborhood and, in return for a membership fee of $10 per annum, provides the talent for the concerts. While the talent itself is amply good for the price asked, I believe that for the same price we could possibly have eight or ten concerts, with a baritone unknown to fame, who could probably suit the audiences better than Werrenrath, whose price is $1,000 for an appearance. This brings me to the point of value received. Werrenrath had an accompanist whom I never heard of, but who played a Chopin and Schumann piece and some other things which were worth more than all of the vocal numbers rendered.
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> It is possible that the Friends of Music, or some similar organization, would be willing to sponsor this youthful and struggling talent and coöperate with us, and perhaps some other cities of about the same size here and in Michigan, with a view to getting up a concert season which would work a double good—in providing the provinces with good music, educational in value and low enough in cost to attract the masses, and at the same time furnish the talent with the encouragement it receives in the European provinces, if we are to cultivate the genuine musical talent and appreciation for music that is latent, but manifestly exists in this country quite as much as it does in Germany and Italy. We can only do so by encouraging an appreciation for music in the provinces, where the majority of the nation lives.
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> If you will give this matter your consideration and pass the letter on to those of your acquaintances who would be willing to coöperate along the lines suggested, I will take it up in detail with the music department of the leading woman's club here, enjoying a membership of nearly a thousand women, and we may be able to arrange something for next year. I am totally, completely, and blissfully ignorant of the cost of a season such as I have in mind, but the subject of costs in general is not a new one to me, and I do realize this—that where we here pay Werrenrath a thousand dollars and his booking agency in New York gets a rakeoff and the booking agency in Chicago gets a rakeoff, there is not much left for "Werry," and the Indiana peasantry is paying for booking agents a lot of money which it might save. That saving alone would represent quite an amount if the talent suggested above could be routed through six or eight of the small cities in this vicinity. Then, too, in a city like this, or, say, Lansing and Grand Rapids, which contain large foreign born populations or people of European descent who have a native love for music and who would no doubt come to the concerts in great numbers if the cost were low enough, just as they used to sit up in the "cock loft" in the Auditorium and yell their heads off, when I was a kid, and the cost to sit up there was only 50 cents.

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Wednesday Matinee Added.

Something was said in this column a short time ago about the size of the répertoire that the Civic Opera com-

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Critic Chooses Twelve Films for Year of 1927

1927'S TWELVE BEST PHOTOPLAYS.

BEAU GESTE.	THE WAY OF ALL FLESH.
TELL IT TO THE MARINES.	THE PATENT LEATHER KID.
OLD IRONSIDES.	ANNIE LAURIE.
MR. WU.	WINGS.
THE ROUGH RIDERS.	7TH HEAVEN.
RESURRECTION.	THE JAZZ SINGER.

By Mae Tinee.

[Pictures in Rotogravure Picture Section.]

GOOD MORNING!

And I wish you SUCH a Happy New Year, fans; I want it to bring you everything in the world you want—that's good for you—and perhaps a few things that aren't, if you'd really like them vurr' much. Whatever will honestly make you HAPPY—that's what I wish for you this morning.



ALICE JOYCE did beautiful acting in "Beau Geste."

You'll be interested, I'm sure, in taking a newspaper journey backward over the months and reminiscencing over the films that have given you pleasure. You most certainly will have liked the ones listed at the top of the column. If you disagree as to their being the "best," write in and say so. And tell me those you have selected in place of these I have chosen.

I'm not going to try and write a lot of new stuff—but will just quote a bit from the reviews that appeared when the pictures opened in Chicago.

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"BEAU GESTE." ". . . The producers have been faithful to the book and the director has exactly caught the spirit and atmosphere of the story. And the tale of the three brothers, of whom Beau Geste is the eldest, has been screened with fire, with dignity, and with a sure understanding of the pure breeding that alone could produce boys capable of the idealism and the determination and bravery to keep that ideal an unsullied star—such as were Michael, Digby, and John Geste . . . a stunning photoplay. Melodrama at its finest."

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"TELL IT TO THE MARINES." ". . . It begins to look as if we must depend upon our fighting men for our screen cream. 'The Big Parade,' 'The Better 'Ole,' 'What Price Glory,' 'Beau Geste' all feature doughty fighters. And now f'r'nother example, gaze upon 'Tell It to the Marines.'

"Is it a good picture? I strongly suspect it of being a great picture. . . . This is the first time since his salad days that Lon Chaney has been allowed to face the camera unmasked, unputtied, unglasseyed, and showing his own good teeth. And himself is a grand man to meet. . . . 'Tell It to the Marines' has the best of everything—director, photographer, supporting cast. It was filmed with the coöperation of the government and many of its scenes are on battleships, and in marine barracks, with regular marines appearing . . . a walloping fine picture and Mr. Chaney may carve another notch upon his gun."

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"OLD IRONSIDES." ". . . a big, breezy, jovial, spectacular, intensely inspiring production, that flashes with humor and hands out man-sized thrills. . . . Splendidly acted, brilliantly directed, and gloriously photographed . . . a magnificent tribute of patriotism to patriotism. . . . Has its tricks to tickle your sense of the unusual. If you don't experience some enjoyable quivers of pride and patriotism when the Constitution suddenly, just before the intermission, sails into your presence, apparently LIFE Size, why, I'm no critic and you're no fans."

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"MR. WU." Starring Lon Chaney. . . . "The picture is gorgeously set and has been directed with fine and satisfying attention to detail. It is intensely atmospheric and the cast is a great one. . . . Master of makeup that he is, Lon Chaney has never more skillfully wrought wonders upon his appearance than in the present instance. He not only looks the Chinaman of high caste, but he IS a subtle, sinister mandarin, whose manner nevertheless can soften into the most delightful, human, and humorous fatherliness when it comes to his relationship with his beloved daughter, Nang Ping."

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"THE ROUGH RIDERS." . . . "Don't be afraid of 'The Rough Riders.' It won't educate you. It will only thrill you down to the tips of your toes. Only make you laugh till the tears come. Only make you so glad you're an American that you'll want to stand right up and yell. . . . Soul-stirring reality and heart-throbbing fiction are beautifully woven together. . . . A tribute to a man called Theodore Roosevelt."

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"RESURRECTION." ". . . a great novel, adapted with honesty and skill. . . . A picture that shows perfect teamwork of director and players. . . . From the production standpoint, a splendid, atmospheric picture."

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"THE WAY OF ALL FLESH." "There are things in life that you don't feel like talking much about. Like a sunset, or a painting that brings you the message of its maker, or a song that really SINGS to you, or a sense of ecstasy—or the work of Emil Jannings. . . . Here is a photoplay that you will try to sit through twice. . . . I can tell you it is GREAT, but never HOW great!"

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"THE PATENT LEATHER KID." "'The Patent Leather Kid' tells a great war story and a great love story and in it Richard Barthelmess is—just—great."

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"ANNIE LAURIE." "Photographically 'Annie Laurie' is a gorgeous thing. . . . Here you have the braes quite as lovely as if they had been photographed in Scotland instead of California, and Annie Laurie as winsome as ever a song could sing. . . . Miss Gish brings to this heroine her own peculiar, elusive, unfleshly charm, which makes her an excellent foil for the dashing, ardent, and earthy MacDonald as portrayed by Norman Kerry."

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"WINGS." "It is the aviation scenes that make this picture memorable. . . . Airship maneuvers are magnificent. . . . Brilliant, poignant, and honest work, close copy of the tragic, flaming tapestry woven in the skies 'over there.'"

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"7TH HEAVEN." . . . "A perfectly fascinating picture. . . . Most intelligently adapted from the play, it has a quaint and heady bouquet, sparkles with thought and whimsy, and its direction and acting are potent. Highbrow and lowbrow equally must respond to its appeal. . . . We learned to expect much from Charles Farrell in 'The Rough Riders.' In this film he more than lives up to our fondest expectations. . . . Little Janet Gaynor from Chicago is a great actress. . . . Entire production most unusual, take it as you will."

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"THE JAZZ SINGER." . . . "'The Jazz Singer' is a winner—if I know a winner when I see one. . . . Mr. Jolson just makes the little old silver sheet sing, and shimmy, and cry, and laugh. As he is in the 'legit' so he is in the movies—one hundred per cent THERE with the personality plus that has anchored him so firmly in the hearts of the world. . . . picture has been cannily directed, finely staged, and splendidly photographed."

There's about 'em, folks. The twelve best—as I see them. And here are December's six best:

THE JAZZ SINGER.	SPOILERS OF THE WEST.
THE CITY GONE WILD.	LOVE.
THE GORILLA.	THE DOVE.

And especial mention must be accorded "Almost Human" and "Buttons."

See you tomorrow.

The Future Looks Damper

By H. L. Mencken.

SOME time ago, writing in this place, I counselled youngsters aspiring to the literary shroud to get and hang on to good jobs, and let fall the hint that those who had no talent for clerking in banks, driving taxicabs or selling bonds might very well try bootlegging. There came in answer a number of letters from ambitious young authors who said that they had done so, and that the profession turned out to be less easy and profitable than I had assumed. The trouble with it, they all reported, was that competition was killing it. In certain large areas of the republic, and especially in certain so-called dry areas, there were almost as many bootleggers as customers.

I found, on reflection, that my own observation and experience supported this complaint, and so I wrote to all of the complainants who gave their addresses, withdrawing my suggestion and proposing that they try the garage business or the railway mail service, instead. It must be plain, indeed, to every one that the palmy days of bootlegging are over. There was a time when a fortunate bootlegger, after landing a convoy of sound goods, could set his clients to bidding against one another for it, and so pile up riches overnight. But today, like everything else American, the business is highly organized and completely standardized, and profits are steadily coming down.

Droughts are now almost unheard of, even in New York, where the daily demand is colossal. No matter how much the trade consumes, the master booticians manage to supply it. But this very perfecting of their humane art and mystery has worked against their own prosperity. They used to be gay adventurers, running grave risks but reaping huge rewards. They are now sedate business men, well protected but facing heavy competition. Every bibber of any noticeable solvency knows at least a dozen reliable booters, and when a trade of any proportions is in prospect they do all of the bidding.

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Such are the net effects of nearly eight years of law enforcement. What was once a form of picaresque sport, with overtones of the felonious, is now a sober industry, with its recognized trade practices and even the beginnings of a code of ethics. Before long, no doubt, it will have its Will H. Hays, following the movie industry, and its annual conventions, and its academy of selected booticians. Already it shows the beginnings of public spirit. A practitioner, I am told, who de-denaturizes denatured alcohol ineptly and so imperils the nobility and gentry, is frowned upon by his fellows and the obliging prohibition agents do their best to put him out of business.

Otherwise, they appear to interfere with the traffic very little. Everywhere, to be sure, they go through the motions of raiding a multitude of petty booters—poor Italian grocerymen, Negro peddlers of white mule, yokels with two gallon stills, and the like. Thousands of such unfortunates are taken with spectacular ceremonies, dragged into the crowded rum courts, federal and state, and railroaded to prison. But it is rare today to hear of a bootlegger of any professional standing being molested. If he deals in honest imported goods, or in the better varieties of the home made stuff, he seems to be quite safe. Even the tabloids have given up reporting the imminent snaring of men higher up.

This reassuring condition of the trade is reflected in the growing uneasiness of the prohibitionists, who show every sign of intense unhappiness. The Anti-Saloon league, once so cocksure and full of fight, now splits into two factions, one of which bawls for a sharpening of the war upon rum and the other of which advocates a long and *pianissimo* campaign of education. I doubt that either faction will get anywhere. A U-boat campaign would only cause prohibition to be even more unpopular than it is now; its net effect would probably be to raise up a demand that all of the Anti-Saloon league grand goblins be jailed. And a campaign of education, far from converting the country to prohibition, might only debamboozle those who still believe in it.

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Such a campaign, indeed, has been going on since the passage of the Volstead act, and its effects have been those that I have just rehearsed. The number of believers in prohibition has very greatly diminished, and the fact is shown by the attitude of the newspapers. At the beginning the great majority of them were friendly to the dry cause, and some of the most influential of them were its eager advocates. But now it is hard to find a newspaper of any dignity that is not wet. Even in the small towns of the south and middle west they are flopping in great numbers. The Anti-Saloon league, in the first days, was treated as respectfully as the Y. M. C. A. or the B. P. O. E. But today it is pretty generally depicted in the press as a brother to the Ku Klux Klan, which in fact it really is.

I believe that the Association Opposed to the Prohibition Amendment has had a lot to do with this change. Under the leadership of Capt. William H. Stayton, a man of such high tone that even the Anti-Saloon league and the Methodist Board of Temperance, Prohibition and Public Morals have had to give up depicting him as a gunman, it has proceeded quietly but immensely effectively, meeting and refuting the balderdash of the prohibitionists and exposing the corruption and folly of law enforcement. The literature it has circulated has been sober and reliable. Its speakers have been men of unimpeachable position. And it has avoided very carefully any association with men interested in the liquor business.

But its time of greatest influence and effectiveness, I think, is still ahead. As newspaper after newspaper abandons the dry cause and comes out for common sense and common decency its opportunities to reach the public increase, and as the evil consequences of the law enforcement imbecility become more and more manifest the number of important men who give it aid grows steadily larger. Its roll of members, even today, makes that of the Anti-Saloon league look pitiful. And it is gathering in new and better ones every day.

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I believe the time is approaching when this admirable organization may very well launch into greater pugnacity. The drys, as the division among them shows, are beginning to wobble, and a sharp attack upon them would be popular and draw blood. It is their misfortune that a great many of their most active supporters, both in and out of politics, are notorious hypocrites. The exposure of these hypocrites would do more to finish prohibition than ten thousand acres of statistics.

It is well known to every bootblack and street car conductor in Washington that some of the most violent drys in the United States senate are actually devotees of the illicit jug, and that not a few of them are heavy lushers. There are guzzlers, too, among the great editors who still, in a steadily decreasing minority, cling to prohibition. I believe that there is sufficient evidence against all of these frauds to justify exposing them, and I am convinced that doing it would be a public service.

Thus I suggest to Capt. Stayton and his associates that they put in some time quietly gathering evidence. It is all around them in Washington. They know who the frauds are, and there are plenty of willing witnesses. A smash in that direction would give the Anti-Saloon league a very heavy blow. For though the American people suffer rogues gladly, I do not believe that they admire liars. Destroy its liars and there would be little left of the prohibition movement save a small band of obvious fanatics.

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New York Holidays Crowded with Plays

By Burns Mantle.

NEW YORK.—[Special Correspondence.]—The play producers of this slightly mad theater center rather outdid themselves this week. They brought ten new plays to Broadway Monday night and are to follow with seven more between now and New Year's. There were so many first nighters promenading the Rialto that if there had been a high wind Times Square would have been fairly littered with high hats. As it was, the traffic jam was something terrible.



JUDITH ANDERSON plays the sad heroine in "Behold the Bridegroom."

[Ray Huff Photo.]

The choice of the first ten seemed to be George Kelly's "Behold the Bridegroom," the most seriously analytical character study this gifted and versatile young dramatist has yet produced. Herein he returns to the manner and something of the mood of his "Craig's Wife," but without the contrasting strains of Kelly laughter that lightened that drama.

In "Behold the Bridegroom" he poses the problem of a sophisticated daughter of wealth who is brought suddenly face to face with the moral flabbiness of her soul and the complete emptiness of her life. She looks into the eyes of the one man she covets and knows that he holds her cheap.

As a result of this shattering revealment she falls into a lovesickness and physical decline. Neither the soul doctors nor the medics can help her. As a last resort they send for the embarrassed idol and he offers such understanding sympathy as he can. But the bridegroom comes too late, and the girl, stripped of her courage and all her illusions, dies in his arms.

Judith Anderson, recently returned from Australia, plays the heroine with all her inspiring command of feminine emotions. John Marston is the unhappy cause of the tragedy, and the cast includes Mary Servoss, Jean Dixon, Lester Vail, and Thurston Hall.

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Film Satires Miss the Mark.

Well, sir, the boys just don't seem to be able to stage the great motion picture satire they have been promising us for so long. They had two tries at it this week, and failed both times—once with "Los Angeles" and the second time with "The Love Nest."

I have an idea it is because their contempt for the fillums [you remember the picture magnate whose only two syllable word was fillum?], their contempt for the fillums and fillum folk is so great that they lose everything resembling an honest perspective.

Even so able a satirist as Robert Emmet Sherwood, whose "Road to Rome" is one of the smartest of the newer dramas, becomes crude and commonplace in his extravagant gibes at the pictures in his dramatization of Ring Lardner's "The Love Nest."

You will recall this as a short story in which the patient but rebellious wife of the great director, Lou Gregg, filled up on bourbon whisky one afternoon and told a moving picture critic exactly what she thought of the whole blessed show—including the pictures, Hollywood, her stuffed shirt and flabby minded husband, and the art that was no more than bunk with a bold faced B.

To make a play of the story Sherwood has added a first act showing the making of a picture, with the usual yes-men trailing the director, and the familiar rehearsal comedy that ceased being funny to this playgoer shortly after Shakespeare staged the drama of Pyramus and Thisbe.

The second act is the scene of the bawling out by the inebriated wife, tired of everything, including her job. Not her job as a wife, but as the "mistress of a baby ranch." She is the mother of three, and that, being foreign to the Hollywood tradition, is as near as "The Love Nest" story comes to novelty.

In an added third act the still excited but now sober wife turns on her puffball husband, lays him out, and then leaves for New York with her children, their French nurse and a sympathetic butler. The butler is supposed to be romantic as well as sympathetic, and to cherish a hope that he may some day marry Mrs. Gregg and her children. But in the playing he is about as romantic as an umbrella stand. A wet umbrella stand. So the love interest also goes for nothing.

The playing is good enough. June Walker, her old snappy brunette self after a year as the blonde gentlemen prefer, is the wife. She drinks her liquor easily and with convincing detail. Clyde Fillmore plays her director husband, and Paula Trueman submits a wicked caricature of a simpering lady movie critic.

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Nothing New About "Caste."

The eternal triangle is no more certain, the Cinderella theme no more common, than the matrimonial problem of romantic Jew and sentimental Gentile in the modern drama.

Shall the Jewish boy marry the Christian girl, despite the opposition of his parents and hers, or shall he not? Periodically the query is changed to put the question to the Jewish girl and her goy friend. [Goy, for the benefit of the Christian proofreader, being Yiddish for Gentile.] But the pattern of the drama remains the same.

Now we have Abie and Rose transferred to Park avenue and the upper social strata. The piece is called "Caste," a title Cosmo Hamilton, who wrote it, calmly lifted from an older drama.

Herein we find Jean Farquhar of the Dalbeatie Farquhars fearfully rich and as snobbish as the older Knickerbockers know how to be, meeting Max Lorbenstein, son of the Jacob Lorbensteins, also rich and a musical genius, on board an ocean liner bound for Europe.

They meet, they love, they decide their marriage was ordained in a heaven neither knows nor cares much about, and they proceed with their plans without thought of their respective families.

Then the Dalbeatie Farquhars trot over to Paris to protest and there meet the patriarchal Lorbenstein, who is even more distressed than they. The Farquhars are won over by the apparent sincerity of their daughter's passion for young Max, but the proud Jew will not yield.

Not, at least, until he visions his dead wife come down from her framed portrait to plead for the lovers. The play leaves papa patting the young folks' heads and giving them, the audience is pleased to assume, his blessing.

Mr. Hamilton is given to fancy dialogue and carefully posed scenes. And yet so provocative is this familiar theme, especially in New York, that his first audience was quite plainly held by his play. His argument is quite as sanely presented as it ever has been, from "The Merchant of Venice" to Galsworthy's "Loyalties."

Joe Weber has made the production in the Mansfield theater, of which, interestingly, his old eye-poking partner, Lew Fields, is lessee. He has been generous and wise. His actors include Horace Braham, playing Max; Vivian Martin as Jean, Winifred Kingston [Mrs. Dustin Farnum of the movies, they tell me] as the society mother, and Albert Bruning as the elder Lorbenstein.

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Germans Enact French Revolution.

The most impressive of the Reinhardt productions to date is that of "Danton's Tod." And not the least amusing incident of the German master's triumph with this tragedy is a scene in the revolutionary tribunal in which the mob of excited French patriots are supposed to sing the "Marseilles" with gusto. The Germans get through the battle song with some credit to their art, though it is mainly a mumbling of the words, but even nine years after the war's end the song threatens to choke a few of them.

Reinhardt, the master craftsman, is truly thrilling in this production. In the mass scenes he so deftly uses the lights and a crowd of probably a hundred players that the entire stage seems to swarm with revolutionists.

In the scene of Danton's trial before the tribunal, spec-

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This Thing and That Thing of the Theater

By Frederick Donaghey.

REASONS, rather than years, mark the divisions of show-business; so, there would be small sense in having a New-Year piece about it, or about the plays, or about the actors. Indeed, it is one of those Sundays when it seems best not to have a piece of more than a few lines about any one thing or person in the show-business; and a reason for its being one of those Sundays is that so many persons remained home last night, fearing that they might not be able to obtain adequate set-ups if they went to the places under observation by Mr. Yellowley and his hatchet-men. And here's more of the Socratic irony of true drama that seems to elude the scope of the theater for which men and women write plays: that a ruling meant to prevent persons for their own good from drinking in a few places ends in their drinking in many places for their own good. . . .



LEE BAKER He's in the rôle of a heavy father in "The Squall."

Or, should a New-Year piece about show-business be regarded as fitting, I derive one from some authenticated figures concerning its mercantile aspects. Thus, it is told that there are but 600 theaters available for what are known as "legitimate shows"; whereas, it seems, there were 1,500 or more twelve years ago. There are seventy or fewer shows on tour now, if we don't count those engaged in try-out performances with a view of ascertaining if they be good enough for New-York—or, perhaps, Chicago. Moreover, of the seventy or fewer, a third or more are housed in but three cities—Chicago, Philadelphia, and Boston. . . . The figures seem paradoxical when considered against the fact that the cost of a seat is far higher than it was twelve years ago, that there are more theaters in all the large cities, and that the industry of putting on plays in New-York has been amplified about two hundred percent in that period in order that the seventy theaters in that city may be kept open.

The explanation varies with the person asked; and it doesn't seem to explain much. Movies, radio, box-office prices, the Eighteenth Amendment, ticket-brokers, cabaret-shows, and the unions: all are blamed by one or another of the persons who undertake to explain. New-York has movies, radio, high box-office prices, the Eighteenth, regiments and brigades of ticket-brokers, cabaret-shows, and the unions; and men smart enough to have made a great deal of money build new theaters there with such diligence and persistence that the taxi-drivers don't know where all of them are. . . . Then, I have the credible tale of a wise showman who recently booked a piece in one of the larger Indiana towns for a night. The audience represented $1,800 in tickets purchased at the box-office; and he lost $280 on the night. An $1,800 house for the same show twelve years ago would have given to him a net profit of $700, and the manager of the theater would have netted not less than $200.

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Letter Said to Contain a Vendible Jest.

> SIR: I see by THE TRIBUNE of December 25 that back where you are something is already known of the Pawtucket (R. I.) illuminator who, saying the Prohibition Bureau had put the matter squarely up to him, ordered his meter-readers to snoop about private residences and report any reason they might have to suspect the presence or possession or punishment of hard-drink. So, I'm sending you a swell nifty—one that I could easily have sold for print down here. It is this: that the Prohibition Bureau, taking a hint from Mr. Insull, thinks that it can do it better with gas-men. . . . The reason I'm sending it to you is that the editors here to whom I submitted it didn't get the point, being of the belief that Mr. Insull was a tenor of the Civic Opera.
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> "The Trial of Mary Dugan" is a swell show! So is "The Mikado."
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> GABBY LA BRUNE.
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> New-York: December 27, 1927.

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Other Letters.

One, containing "all good-wishes" but not the writer's name, tells me I erred twice December 28: once in saying that, in Miss Barrymore's engaging and literate play, the wife leaves the husband for six months rather than for six weeks, and once in saying that the new stock-company in Evanston is in the Varsity Theater rather than in the Evanston Theater.

One, from T. R. Phillipps, says I erred December 26 in putting an extra *l* into the name of Miss Mary Philips, who is a good actress in "Two Girls Wanted," and sends the Cort's playbill as evidence.

One, from Mrs. James H. Ronald, asking why the Chicago newspapers "didn't encourage the Chicago public to support so charming a play as 'The Road to Rome,'" and adds the explanation that, although she "didn't get to see it in Miss Grace George's brief stay in town," she has been "assured by not fewer than twenty friends that it was one of the best things of the season."

One, from William L. Sheppard, tells me with indubitable sincerity that my writings for THE TRIBUNE are not to his liking, and sarcastically expresses the fear that his dislike of what I write may reside in his inability to understand it.

One, from Miss Kathryn L. Lewis, asks if it wouldn't be nice if THE TRIBUNE were "to inaugurate a movement to bring Professor Max Rheinstrom and his European players to Chicago," adding: "I feel certain that all the other newspapers would fall into line." . . . Doubtless, Miss Lewis! All any of them would require as an inducement would be some information as to Professor Max Rheinstrom.

Nine, from as many persons, complain of being compelled to pay more than the box-office price on theater-tickets purchased from brokers. . . . Letters in the spirit of these nine simply tear my old heart to shreds with woe. I just hate to think of the compulsion to which theater-goers are subjected!

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Miscellany.

Page 10 in the Picture Section of this issue of THE TRIBUNE contains pictures of Miss Barrymore, Glenn Hunter, H. Reeves-Smith, Miss Ivy Sawyer, Miss Kay McHugh, Miss Nydia Westman, Donald Foster, Harry K. Morton, Miss Ernestyne Jeanne, and six dancing-girls of "A Night in Spain."

Miss Elsie Janis, who has been ill and abroad, is back in the two-a-day.

Theaters in Greater New-York bearing the name of the late Marcus Loew now number sixty! . . . David Warfield is said to owe the bulk of what is believed to be great wealth to his having been one of Loew's backers when the latter was trying to emerge from the nickel-movie game.

"The Trial of Mary Dugan"—regarding which I'm in rapt agreement with Miss Gabby le Brune—and "Saturday's Children" are soon to be staged in London. . . . So also is "Cock Robin," something new by the luckless Philip Barry which has just had its première in Boston.

The Theater Guild of New-York explains that it will be ready to do O'Neill's "Strange Interlude" the 23d, starting at 5:30 o'clock, and ending, it is hoped, "at 11:00 or thereabout." The audience will then have sat through nine acts, with time out for dinner. . . . George S. Kaufman, in today's New-York Times, indicates that the Guild is not to be responsible for the cost of dinner.

Music to Be Wafted on Ethereal Waves?

By Edward Moore.

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pany undertakes to present in the course of less than three months. In response, indirectly but eloquently, the company announces some new times for performances, adding a Wednesday matinée for this week.

It will be "Hänsel und Gretel," the Humperdinck opus of children and witch enchantments, strawberries and gingerbread. Lucille Meusel will be a new Gretel, Irene Pavloska the Hänsel, Augusta Lenska and Desiré Defrere the parents, Maria Claessens the witch, Anna Hamlin and Lorna Doone Jackson the Dewman and Sandman. Henry G. Weber will conduct and there will be a program of divertissements by the ballet after the opera.

Otherwise the company is reeling on its oars, going through what is operatically a period of profound calm, for only one other opera will be brought out during the week and the rest are repetitions. This one is "Romeo and Juliet," wherein Charles Hackett and Edith Mason will sing the name parts. Other characters will be taken by Miss Pavloska, Cesare Formichi, Mr. Defrere, and Edouard Cotreuil. Giorgio Polacco will conduct.

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In Memory of Theodore Thomas.

The present week marks the twenty-third anniversary of the passing of Theodore Thomas, the distinguished founder of the Chicago Symphony orchestra.

It has been the custom during all these years for Director Frederick Stock and the orchestra under his command to pay tribute to the memory of his great predecessor by playing a memorial program on the first Friday afternoon and Saturday evening of the new year. This year will be no exception. Mr. Stock has arranged a program of music with the performances of which Theodore Thomas' name always will be associated in any history of music in Chicago—music which in its day was looked upon as modern (and received, perhaps, the same welcome as modern music does today), but which now classifies more or less as standard or popular.

The list Mr. Stock has prepared for the concerts to be given in Orchestra hall next Friday afternoon and Saturday evening includes Wagner's "A Faust Overture," Bruckner's Symphony No. 9, in D minor (unfinished), and the Richard Strauss Tone Poem, "Ein Heldenleben."

On Thursday afternoon at 3:45 o'clock the orchestra will be heard in the series A offering of the children's concerts, the performance to be given, as usual, in Orchestra hall (the series B repetition will take place two weeks later). The program includes the appearance of Pellegrino Lecce, the first horn of the orchestra, as soloist. He will play the Romanza from Mozart's Concerto for horn in E flat major. Other numbers on the program to be played by the orchestra and explained by Director Stock are the "Mignon" Overture of Thomas, the Allegro Con Grazia from Tschaikowsky's "Pathetic" Symphony, the Dukas Scherzo, "The Sorcerer's Apprentice," and Halvorsen's March of the Boyards. The song is "America, the Beautiful."

Other concerts to be given by the orchestra this week are in Milwaukee tomorrow evening and at the University of Chicago Tuesday afternoon.

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Mostly About Music.

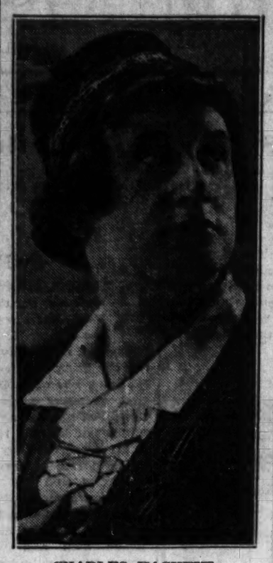
Outside of the opera and the orchestra, the sum of musical events for the week totals four. The Little Symphony ensemble, conducted by George Dasch, will give its customary pair of programs at the Art institute at 3 and 4:15 o'clock this afternoon. The Smith-Spring-Holmes quintet will appear at the Hotel Windermere West tonight.

Zerline Muhlman Metzger will beat the Chicago Opera by two days through presenting "Hansel and Gretel" in English at the Goodman tomorrow afternoon. The participants, so far unknown to professional fame, will be Edith Kampel and Ciel Berkson as the children, Fritz Metzger and Leah Wagner as the parents, and Fay Reisberg, Lillian Mangles, and Genevieve Deuerling as the nonhuman characters. There will be a ballet presentation by the Edna McRae dancers.

Claire Dux, the soprano, and Albert Spalding, the violinist, will make a joint appearance at the Auditorium Friday night, the proceeds of which will go to extend the work of the Infant Welfare society.

Maurice Ravel is due to land in New York on Friday of this week, ready for his country-wide tour under the auspices of the Pro-Musica society. He is announced here as pianist and guest conductor of the Chicago Symphony orchestra Jan. 20 and 21. Before that he will appear with the Boston Symphony orchestra and he will also give a program of his chamber works at the Gallo theater, New York, Jan. 15. Lisa Roma, American soprano, is to be his assisting artist in his recitals.

ROMEO



CHARLES HACKETT.
[De Gueldre Photo.]

He as Romeo and Edith Mason as Juliet will take the principal parts in the opera that was made out of Shakespeare's play and Gounod's music. Mr. Hackett and Miss Mason are both Americans, so it is logical to expect that the opera will be sung in French, as it will be.

The Opera

This afternoon—"Tosca," with Claudia Muzio, Fernand Ansseau, Vanni-Marcoux, Vittorio Trevisan; conductor, Giorgio Polacco; followed by Maria Yurieva, Vechslav Swoboda, and ballet.

Monday—"Tanhäuser," with Leone Kruse, Augusta Lenska, Forrest Lamont, Richard Bonelli, Alexander Kipnis; conductor, Henry G. Weber.

Tuesday—"Lucia di Lammermoor," with Toti dal Monte, Antonio Cortis, Luigi Montesanto; conductor, Polacco.

Wednesday afternoon—"Hansel and Gretel," with Lucille Meusel, Irene Pavloska, Augusta Lenska, Mari Claessens, Lorna Doone Jackson, Anna Hamlin, Desire Defreré; followed by ballet; conductor, Henry G. Weber.

Wednesday night—"Monna Vanna," with Mary Garden, Ansseau, Vanni-Marcoux, Edouard Cotreuil; conductor, Roberto Moranzoni.

Thursday—"Il Trovatore," with Muzio, Cyrena Van Gordon, Charles Marshall, Bonelli, Chase Baromeo; conductor, Weber.

Friday—No performance.

Saturday afternoon—"Romeo and Juliet," with Edith Mason, Pavloska, Charles Hackett, Cesare Formichi, Defreré, Cotreuil; conductor, Polacco.

Saturday night—"Rigoletto," with Dal Monte, Cortis, Bonelli, Baromeo; conductor, Weber.

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Now and to Come in Chicago Theaters

THIS is the calendar for the Chicago theaters as indicated by the resident-managers down to midnight of Friday last. Change of plans since last Sunday's issue has been made with respect to some of the houses:

"The Mask and the Face" in the Goodman Memorial: a comedy from the Italian of Luigi Chiarelli about which a great deal was printed in praise by the newspapers of London on the occasion of its being performed there. The play is new in Chicago; but it was acted in 1924 in New York, where William Faversham had the principal rôle. That it was not successful there is believed by some to have been due to the fact that the performance was hurriedly and incompletely prepared, owing to the management's desire to hurry it to the public before another version could be made ready by a rival claimant of the American rights. William Hallman, an English player unknown here, will have the part acted in New York by Mr. Faversham. . . . Opens tomorrow night.

"Two Girls Wanted" in the Cort: a comedy by Gladys Unger and Winchell Smith, with Miss Nydia Westman, Miss Mary Philips, and Donald Foster. This piece had a run of more than nine months in New York. . . . Second week.

"The Squall" in the Adelphi: a play by Jean Bart, with Miss Blanche Yurka. This one rounded out a year in New York. . . . Second week.

"The Good Bad Woman" in the Central: a play by William J. McNally. And this one was shut down in New York by request of the police. . . . Second week.

Miss Ethel Barrymore in "The Constant Wife" in the Harris: a brilliant comedy by W. Somerset Maugham wherein this actress has her most popular conveyance since "Déclassée." C. Aubrey Smith has the principal man's rôle. . . . Second week.

Mrs. Fiske, Otis Skinner, and Miss Henrietta Crosman in "The Merry Wives of Windsor" in the Illinois: the veteran stars in a revival of Shakspere's farce about Falstaff that is well worth seeing. Mrs. Fiske is cast as Mrs. Page, and Miss Crosman as Mrs. Ford. . . . Second week.

Fred and Miss Dorothy Stone in "Criss Cross" in the Erlanger: the long-popular clown and his lovely daughter in a show fashioned with the talents of both in view. . . . Second week.

Glenn Hunter in "Behold This Dreamer!" in the Blackstone: a comedy based by Fulton Oursler and Aubrey Kennedy on the former's likenamed story. Miss Elinor Patterson, making her first appearance here since the run of "The Miracle," and Thomas A. Wise are of the cast. . . . Second week.

"Mr. Pim Passes By" in the Studebaker: A. A. Milne's comedy in revival by Mrs. Insull. . . . Fourth and final week.

"Murray Hill," with Miss Genevieve Tobin, in the Princess: a merry and light farce by Leslie Howard. . . . Sixth and final week.

"A Night in Spain" in the Four Cohans: a funny show from the New York Winter Garden, with Miss Marion Harris, Ted Healy, and Phil Baker heading the long roster of performers. . . . Sixth week.

"Countess Maritza" in the Olympic: an operetta by Kalman, who has provided a lovely score. Walter Woolf, Miss Gladys Baxter, Miss Odette Myrtil, Harry K. Morton, and George Dobbs are of the cast. . . . Ninth and final week.

"Hit the Deck!" in the Woods: a song-and-dance comedy with tunes by Vincent Youmans, composer of "No! No, Nanette!" Miss Queenie Smith, Charles Purcell, and Miss Trixie Friganza are in the principal rôles. . . . Ninth week.

"Broadway" in the Selwyn: a wow of a piece about bootleggers, joint-owners, ham hoofers, chorus-girls, murders, double-crossings, revenges, and other things. . . . Sixteenth week.

"The Desert-Song" in the Great Northern. . . . Eighteenth week.

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Impending.

Joseph Santley, Raymond Hitchcock, Miss Ivy Sawyer, Mrs. Whiffin, Eric Blore, H. Reeves-Smith, et al. in "Just Fancy!" in the Olympic. . . . Opens January 8.

"It Makes a Difference" in the Princess: a play by Hugh Ford and Edward Stanley, with Kenneth Mackenna, Miss Mayo Methot, and Miss Thais Lawton. . . . Opens January 15.

Earl Carroll's Vanities in the Illinois: fourth show under this name to be seen in Chicago. Moran and Mack, Julius Tannen, and Johnny Dooley are in it. . . . Opens January 22.

F. D.

In Hollywood

Hollywood, Cal.

For the filming of a South Sea picture plenty of quinine and canned goods looms as more important than the selection of a "right type" lead. At least that was the situation with Robert Flaherty, W. S. VanDyke and a company of cameramen and technicians who sailed for Papeete. Two kegs of quinine, enough trade goods to stock a grocery, 300,000 feet of unexposed film, and five cameras were items chosen by Flaherty before the crew sailed. They expected to shoot some of their picture, "Southern Skies," in interior Samoa. Flaherty is to keep in touch with his parent studio, Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, by wireless and do a lot of exploring for locations in the southern archipelago before his second expedition, containing male and female leads and other as yet uncast actors, leaves the Los Angeles docks.

Again proving that a laugh pays dividends, George K. Arthur has just sold $51,000 for a new ten room two story Spanish style home on a crest in Beverly.

ONE'S SEASONED, AND ONE'S NEW



MISS DOROTHY RAYMOND MISS MARY JANE HERRING

MISS RAYMOND was the actress of the cantor's wife in last season's performances in the Harris of "The Jazz-Singer"; and it may be recalled that at the time her acting was the theme of high and warm laudation by Mr. Donaghey. Inquiry as to her brought the information that she is Russian by nativity. . . . She comes to the Goodman Memorial to take part in "The Mask and the Face." It may be remembered that she was announced to take part there last season in "Ghosts," and that the play wasn't given.

Miss Herring is from Hinsdale, nearby, and is in "Behold This Dreamer!" appearing briefly in Act I. This is her first "professional" engagement; but she is said to be in high favor with those who have heard her as a reader and elocutionist.

10 YEARS AGO in Chicago's THEATERS

(From The Sunday Tribune of Jan. 6, 1918.)

DAVID WARFIELD'S engagement in "The Music Master" will begin Jan. 21 at Powers' with Miss Marie Bates, William Boag, Miss Eleanor Barry, Miss Hazel Lowry, and others in the cast. On the same evening Mrs. Fiske will reach the Blackstone in "Madame Sand" which, though onerously praised by the newspapers in New York, did not last very long.

The playbill of Raymond Hitchcock's new revue, "Words and Music," ascribed the libretto to Shakespeare and the score to Beethoven. So many persons believed the stated authorship to be true that attendance was threatened, and Glen Macdonough and Jean Schwartz were forced to abandon their imposing pseudonyms.

In Atlantic City the other night Sydney Rosenfield, author of "Under Pressure," announced that his plans were to make Chicago a center of theatrical production, with an organization similar to that of Augustin Daly. He said it in what the dispatches described as a witty address.

Mrs. Janis indites an exasperated and geneological protest against the inuendoes that she and Miss Elsie are German, just because Bierbower happens to be their patronymic. Sir Charles B. Oldham of Oldham, England, was Mrs. Janis' granddad, says she, and the late Senator Cockrell of Missouri was her first cousin, once removed. As for the Bierbowers, they came to America before the revolution and number among themselves such celebrities as a lieutenant governor of Idaho and a professor in the hospitable University of Chicago.

Klaw and Erlanger will cause another effort to be made to establish Miss Phyllis Nielson-Terry as a star in America. "Maggie" is the play's name, Edward Peple is its author, and a handsome Irish laundress is its leading character.

Mr. Mantel writes that "in imitation drama of the 'Happiness' type Miss Laurette Taylor's art is wasted. More's the pity." Miss Taylor's rôle is that of errand girl to a fashionable sempstress, delivering modes at $6 the week and retaining her purity. The time is the present and the place New York.

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20 YEARS AGO

(From The Sunday Tribune of Dec. 30, 1907.)

In Powers' theater tomorrow evening Guy Standing, Theodore Roberts, and a supporting company said to be of even excellence, will give the first local performance of "The Right of Way," a dramatization of Sir Gilbert Parker's book made by Eugene Fresbrey and originally produced in New York with considerable success.

Starting with the matinee today, the Great Northern offers as a New Year's week attraction Sam Chip and Mary Marble in Joe Weber's production of "Dream City," seen last season at the Garrick.

"Convict 909" begins a week's engagement at the Academy with the Sunday matinee. The melodrama is said to have been originally written as a protest against circumstantial evidence. Its plot deals with the arrest and conviction of a soldier accused of a crime without tangible proof against him.

Mabel Morrison believes she is able to play Rachel Neve, the wronged girl in "The Hypocrites," with great delicacy of feeling, because in private life she is the wife of Richard Bennett, the curate hero, and the mother of two charming little girls. Miss Morrison thoroughly agrees with the statement, credited to the late Adelaide Neilsen, "that in order to portray any part understandingly one must have lived and suffered."

Constance Crawley, a gifted English actress who came to Chicago as a member of the Ben Greet company, and has since become a star, is to return next month, and plans to give a performance of Maeterlinck's "Pelleas and Melisande," which she has been playing successfully on the Pacific coast and through the southwest. She also has Ibsen's "Hedda Gabler," D'Annunzio's "Gioconda," and Bjornson's "Beyond Human Power" in her répertoire.

MOVING UP



MILTON WATSON

He's in "The Desert-Song," although he wasn't in it when, early in September, the run started in the Great Northern. Mr. Watson was, it seems, what is known in the trade as "one of Paul Ash's lads"; and it was his singing in Mr. Ash's didos that made him seem a good man for the operetta.

New York Holidays Crowded with Plays

By Burns Mantle.

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tators are seated tier on tier on three sides of the stage, facing the prisoner's pen in the foreground center. Other actors are scattered through the audience, in the gallery boxes, back of the balcony, in an improvised orchestra loft. During the scene these actors also take part in the dialogue, responding on cue, and drawing the audience itself into the action more successfully than I have ever seen it done before.

It is this scene that is the high point of the production. Paul Hartmann, a favorite Reinhardt actor who has been blanketed up till now by the more famous Moissi, has his chance as Danton.

He is a big man and a fine actor. His defiance of his enemies in this scene, his gradual domination of the hostile crowd, his bellowing laughter at the flimsy charges the fanatical Robespierre has made against him are electrically effective. They set the audience cheering quite hysterically the opening night.

The Reinhardt business has held up rather surprisingly through the holidays. He is to play another week at the Century and then bring his company down to the Lyceum to show what he, and they, can do with the more intimate plays of the répertoire.

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Irish Move Up.

The Irish players have moved up to the Gallo theater, a huge new playhouse built in 54th street by the promoter of the San Carlo Opera company, and shortly to be used for the first season of the American Opera company, singing in English. Here the Irish are playing Sean O'Casey's "Juno and the Paycock," which was briefly unsuccessful here a year ago with Augustin Duncan in the chief rôle. The Sinclair-Allgood company get much more from it than the Duncan players did.

The drama flourishes in bulk but not in quality. Among the other recent arrivals are a first play by Virginia Farmer called "Spring Song." In this a lady pianist agrees to finance the career of a small town sculptor if he will live with her and be her love. The boy repulses her at first, but after two years of marriage with his small-town ideal thinks better of the plan. He wins success as a sculptor but tires of his mistress and returns to his wife. Which leads the piano lady to discover that she only wanted to love him as a mother, anyway.

Olga Petrova is back with a play of her own composition called "What Do We Know?" The answer being, I gather, not a doggone thing.

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Eugene O'Neil's "Desire Under the Elms" left a most vivid impression on my mind. It portrayed life in the raw, and I still shiver as I think of the two brothers getting up at four o'clock in the winter morning to milk the cows, with no inspiration in life greater than eating, sleeping, and drinking "corn likker." The pathetic old man, wondering what it was all about," and the restless youth who did not know what he wanted—I shall never forget them or that play.

M. N.

A Hilarious Comedy.

"Mr. Pim Passes By" is the best play I have ever seen because it is a jolly, healthy comedy; i. e., it provides spontaneous, whole-hearted laughter. Mr. Pim teaches us the value of a sense of humor when it comes to failing memory—how to forget scientifically.

Richard Carlyle's portrayal of Mr. Pim is rich. When you think that you are laughing at him you are having fun with yourself, for the old man is full of chuckles.

Mr. Pim gave me a shrieking good time. He remembered correctly and incorrectly and wasn't certain that he remembered. As a hilarious comedy I shall never forget it.

L. J.

"Blossom Time."

The play that lingers in my memory is the operetta "Blossom Time," portraying a part of the life of the young composer Franz Schubert, particularly of his love for one of his pupils.

The play was clean, full of laughter, and, most of all, beautiful melodies. The duets of "My Song of Love" and "Tell Me, Daisy," between Franz and Mitzi, will never be forgotten. The suspicious count and papa will never know how well they are remembered.

The climax where the hidden chorus sings Schubert's "Ave Maria" and then "You Are My Song of Love," sung by the entire chorus, was beautiful beyond compare.

Though I've seen "Blossom Time" five times I'll see it again if it comes to Chicago.

E. F.

Hard to Equal.

Extravagant, daring, full of witty lines, and containing (if you except some of the scenes from "The Miracle") probably the best pantomime in recent years, Kaufman's and Connolly's "Beggar on Horseback" as performed in Chicago about three years ago has been my favorite play to date. The part of the poor Bohemian artist who was about to marry money was superbly done by Roland Young, and Kay Johnson was capable as the "girl across the hall" whom he really loved.

The fantastic dream in which he foresaw what would happen to him if he married the rich girl was staged in just the deft and shifting manner that a real dream comes and goes—the exaggerated characters, the sudden appearance of courtroom and jury, etc.

There was real comedy in the old lady who rocked and rocked until he had to kill her in his dream, and the interpolated pantomime showed lovely Greta Nissen at her loveliest—far better than she has ever been in films.

A. M.

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ART AND ARTISTS

Hawthorne Speaks for the Simple Soul

By Eleanor Jewett.

THE first impression which the paintings of Charles W. Hawthorne make upon you, those paintings which hang in the first of the east wing galleries of the Art Institute, is of tragedy. Suffering, patience, pathos, fear that is based on doubt, the doubt of winds and weather, and sea, these elements are woven into every inch of canvas. Even the little girls are really women, brought up under the relentless shadow of what might happen. The sea was a capricious mistress in the days of sailing vessels and her whims have not yet been entirely suppressed by steam and engine.

The sea and its rulers; the captains, first mates, and cooks; the fishermen, the wives on shore; the children putting the lamp in the window; an epic of valor to the Atlantic seaboard—Hawthorne does it over and over. Back of his portraits of sailors loom dark skies, shadowed and crossed by suggested sails, weather-beaten and worn by winds. Back of his "Captain's Wife," a sadly confident woman in widow's black, a sail is half-realized.

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Salty Friends.

Figures from the novels of Joseph L. Lincoln flit through our memory as we look at "Selectmen of Provincetown" and the one or two other similar groupings. They are homely, real, and essentially Cape Codish. They are splendid. A genial neighbor across the way is the gallant fisherman with his catch, a huge sea fish which he displays before him.

And we go from these salty friends only a few times. There is a charming, naif portrait of Thomas Arkle Clark, "Tommy Arkle" to his hosts of loving boys from the Illinois university campus; and there is the charming group of baby with its dusky nurse and the mother in white with her friend in scarlet, all set against a vivid blue sky, almost the only light background in the room.

Altogether, the impression is one of force, of true Americanism, of sincere craftsmanship. The paintings do not particularly inspire one, do not at all bore one, but do immensely interest one. Here, you feel, is a painter doing for us what some our writers are doing today—putting the American character and characteristics upon legible pages. Here is a spokesman for the simple man.

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Paintings by E. Martin Hennings.

From this gallery one way leads into a room where hang paintings by E. Martin Hennings. Directly down the room as you enter it there is a group of eight small pictures, four on one side of the door and four on the other. These are exquisite. They are as near perfect as cut diamonds. Each is a jewel, polished, finished, beautifully done.

The larger paintings have a great deal of beauty about them, but to my mind they lack sunshine and, in a subtle way, life. They are rather cold and leave the visitor cold. They are like notes on a journey, when the traveler is too busy with first impressions to allow the significance of what he is seeing to sink into his mind and take root in his soul. Love is absent. Passion is absent. Clear vision is left. Good painting is left. But the magic of feeling which alone can weld a picture into a whole, is not there. Were Mr. Hennings to live in that land of market squares and cobbled streets, slow canals and indolent guitar players, then might we see as inspiring painting as came from his brush when he made New Mexico his own. Meanwhile the eight little pictures make a visit to his exhibit a thousand times worth while.

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Examples of German Art.

Going on rather hastily, next comes a large gallery filled with examples of modern German art. Some forty painters from Munich have done their best and it is shown here. There is some very good work here, and much not so good. There is surprisingly little that is odd. Evidently, if one may judge by this exhibition, German artists have thrown over the strange gods of the isms. They are painting again in a straightforward manner, telling a story, realizing a moment, giving us just a scrap of prettiness.

At the door is a good painting of a riding-ring with a white horse being schooled. Next to it hangs a beautiful canvas showing a park with deer. Next comes a rather weird impression of cows in a meadow by a stream. They are huge creatures and they and their reflections are blurred until the effect is such that the visitor feels he needs glasses or a rail to hang to; the world is going dizzy.

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All Sorts of Pictures.

Next is a charming interior and then a spectacular war scene, which is picked up again in a succeeding canvas. And there are paintings of sheep in the fold, and of entirely human and adorable cherubs, and of mountains with snow, and a marvelous "strictly fresh" plucked fowl, its bare skin a cold reproach to appetite, and there are riders on bridle paths, excellently done, and a gay scene by a race course where jockeys are walking their mounts in the paddock.

There is a saturnine portrait of a dark young man and an amusing note of comedy in a huntswoman with a popgun and a running dog, the woman [not the dog] turning an interrogative face up toward you; there is a typical German landscape of the old fashioned type; there is a dark Salome about to behead poor John; there is an angular and angling interior occupied by a seated girl whose body is composed of angles that edge off into square-angled chairs and pillows and pictures and walls; there is a wild and confusedly symbolic war god fleeing in a whirling flight of gulls; there are two nude men struggling on an open street, with the prize, a girl, also nude, waiting, shivering and weeping, close by.

In short there are all sorts of pictures and all sorts of subjects making up this German show. Among the best are some portraits, one very likeable one of a priest to be especially noted, and, in the last long hall of the galleries, a fine mountain scene with the snow white against the black rock where it is cleft, and a particularly cleverly painted still life with a peeled orange, a glass of water and a little bowl of fragrant violets.

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Mystical Pictures.

Boris Anisfeld has a large room devoted to his paintings. They are somewhat mystical and a little symbolic. Some of them are decorative and some are startling. There is a beautiful portrait of a woman in black, an odd portrait of himself with a sunflower. There is a decidedly queer and elusive canvas showing fruit trees in blossom, the white tops being supported underground by bodies wrapped in white robes. Something is here. Is it that Mr. Anisfeld is putting into color a truly Russian sentiment which we might word, "Dead bodies bear these blossoms up"—and is he suggesting that out of corruption comes immortality?

Lines from the play, "Behold This Dreamer," come to mind as you realize that here is a profound interest in color as color and not at all as form. There is color and then more color, fitted in about the most incongruous compositions. Stags, a Buddha god, a bowl of glorious red apples, and then the most vivid and succulent green that eye can imagine, a green so penetratingly beautiful that it wrings your heart with a momentary pain. That is Boris Anisfeld. A cut of beauty and then wait a bit.

Time and space press and for the other four artists whose exhibits also opened last Tuesday at the Art institute it is best to wait until next Sunday before summing them up. The artists are [and their exhibits are among the most brilliant] Alfeo Faggi, Oliver Dennett Grover, Ernest L. Blumenschein, and Serge Sudaykin.

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About the Institute.

The play for children which is now being given in the Goodman theater on Thursday and Saturday afternoons is the "Topaz Amulet." This was originally written by Thomas Wood Stevens and Wallace Rice, but it has been taken and changed about and remade by members of Mr. Stevens' company of players until now it is a capital bit of entertainment for the youngsters who are flocking to their matinees. The next play to be put on for the children is "Teller of Tales," an Arabian Nights enterprise written by Muriel Brown.

Beatrice S. Levy, a graduate of the Art institute school, some of whose etchings are in the permanent collection of the Art institute, has just returned to Chicago from an extensive tour in Europe. She and her mother have been to Spain, and France, and Italy.

"The Mask and the Face" is the new play for grown-ups which will open tomorrow evening at the Goodman theater. It is said to be extremely funny and very well played.

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News of Art and Artists.

The Union League club announced Friday the members of the jury of award who will select the prize paintings in the exhibition and competition being conducted by the club. The painting must be suitable to hang in a high school and deal, probably, with Washington. The artist must be not over 30 years of age. The exhibit will run from Jan. 3 to Jan. 12. Paintings should have been in Friday at the latest.

Among the members of the jury of award are Pauline Palmer, Allen Philbrick, Paul Schulze, Frank L. Morse, Mrs. Nellie Osgood and William B. Mundie. Five purchase prizes of $100 are offered.

At the Palette and Chisel club there is now a stunning exhibit of paintings by John A. Spelman and of etchings by Leon R. Pescheret. The exhibition will continue through Jan. 15.

The Fullerton hall lecture this Tuesday will be given by Ralph M. Pearson on "What Is Modern Art?" The lecture will be illustrated by material from the Birch-Bartlett collection of paintings at the Art institute.



"SAN GIORGIO," by Oliver Dennett Grover, in the Memorial exhibition of Mr. Grover's paintings which opened last Tuesday in the east wing galleries of the Art institute. Among the other new exhibits, all of which will continue through January, are paintings by E. Martin Hennings, Charles W. Hawthorne, and a group of Munich painters, and sculpture by Alfeo Faggi.

WHAT ARE THE WILD WIRES SAYING?

Your Voice Reveals Your Character O'er the Telephone

By Archer Wall Douglas.

THE study of the voice as revealing character is not a new pursuit, but not long ago a new phase of it suddenly became manifest to me.

I was busily engaged in dictating when I was called to the phone. A woman's voice requested a brief interview that she might submit an interesting business proposition. I assented, and dictated to my stenographer the vision that appeared to me over the telephone wire. It was that of a beautiful young woman of medium height, dressed in good taste. She had blue eyes, fluffy, brown hair, a fine complexion, beautiful teeth, with a most fascinating smile. She strongly resembled her mother, both in looks and temperament.

My stenographer made no comment, but was obviously of the opinion that my mind was wandering. A quarter of an hour later the office door opened, and there entered a young woman of whom the description was a faithful photograph.

BETRAYED BY SPEECH

Such was my first, though not my last, experience in seeking to analyze the temperament and to visualize the appearance of a person whom I have never seen, merely by talking to such a one over the phone. The temperament analysis is far more difficult than in a face-to-face conversation, where you have the additional aid of the play of the countenance, the various mannerisms, and the style of the costume.

That the young woman came from the south was obvious. For it is as true now as in the days of Simon Peter of Galilee that our "speeech betrayeth us" as to the place of our nativity and of residence. There are those who can tell from the voice as to what state one hails from. I have never attained to such discrimination.

Her voice was of that eternal feminine quality that she could inherit only from her mother, and it was obvious that the inheritance also included her temperament. There likewise was the tone of culture that accounted for her fitting costume. There was in her speech a certain definiteness and elemental simplicity that mark one who has spent some portion of youthful days in the naturalness and realities of life in the small town or on the countryside.

ENVIRONMENT

There also was lacking the superficial polish and the thinly veiled conventional, suave tones of the great city. This trait of the elemental environment of early days always perseveres in the voice in after life, no matter what the experiences and pursuits of the individual. I have detected it immediately in all sorts and conditions of men, though not so readily in women. For the latter seem to shed the early garb of speech and to assume the costumes of the tones of new environment far more readily than does the male of the species.

I recall one particular instance of a distinguished scholar and speaker in a large eastern university. I called up to make an engagement with him on the occasion of my first visit there. He was much surprised when, after the exchange of a few words, I asked him what small town was his early abode. Often I am asked how I account for seeing the personal appearance of the speaker at the other end of the phone wire. To this query I have never been able to make a complete answer, for I have no consciousness of summoning spirits from the vast deep. Nor can it be done by taking thought, nor by definite divination. The vision comes with the first tones of the speaker, and does not change in any manner or degree during our conversation. It varies much in definiteness, and without any rhyme or reason with which I am familiar.

HER REPLICA

A distinct appearance was that of a ravishing young girl such as in the past upset empires and altered the lives of "hard boiled" conquerors such as Mark Antony and Julius Caesar. She had long, black hair, large dark eyes, rather wide apart, a brilliant complexion, and a beautiful figure. Her voice was of that liquid quality that hinted at a tropical inheritance, as I afterwards found to be the case. The voice was simply a replica of the girl, and also revealed her rather modest consciousness of her engaging appearance. I knew her to be a stenographer and concluded that she was a capable and willing one, with much loyalty to her employer and with unfailing good nature. All of which I afterwards verified.

An entirely different instance was that of a sister in an Episcopal order who was a nurse in a hospital. Her voice was heavy and slow moving, without imagination, but of a nature that indicated her extreme humility, and gave further evidence that nursing was her vocation and not just a job. She had a large, full mouth, and heavy brows, but with a sympathy and understanding in her eyes that made up for an otherwise homely face. Her sister stood by me as I talked, and confirmed my analysis when the conversation was over.

GAZING UPON MASKS

One man had bright eyes that took in everything, and he walked with a rolling gait which proclaimed his having been a sailor. He had an ingratiating smile, which disclosed good teeth. Also, he wore glasses. Curiously enough, people with this disposition are apt to have good teeth and smile more frequently than those who have not.

Not infrequently there are revealed extraneous matters which have no connection whatever with the voice. One man walked lame in his right leg. Another smoked a cigar, and wore a gray overcoat, as he talked to me over the phone. A third carried a cane, which he swung vigorously as he walked.

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[Mr. Douglas' fascinating study of hidden voices will be concluded next Sunday.]



A woman's voice requested a brief interview.



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America Stars in Modernist Concert

By Alfred Frankenstein.

NEW YORK. — [Special Correspondence.]—At the New School for Social Research, where new schools in science and the arts and ideas in general are expounded with stimulating and amusing results, Aaron Copland and Edgar Varese are directing a course of concerts of new music. They opened with a program they called a cross-section of modern music, in which, for once, the Americans carried off the honors. Two native composers were represented, Henry Cowell, the famous piano smasher, and Copland himself. Next to these two, Krenek, Hindemith, Ravel, and Stravinsky sounded singularly dull.

Cowell is a pianist who not only plays upon the instrument, but also plays with it. Doubtless you know him as the man who depresses gobs of octaves with his fists, elbows, and forearms. He does this to produce what he calls "tone clusters." To define a tone cluster, sit on the keyboard and listen to what happens. Because Cowell puts such amazing material as this to disciplined purposes, various musical wise guys have attempted to work clusters into harmonic theory, police them, lay down traffic rules for their movement.

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Three in One.

But if they had listened to the composer play at the New School they would have seen and heard him stand at the side of the piano and rub his hands over the strings for the entire length of a composition. They would have heard him pluck the wires. They might have sensed through the music the ideas of Henry Cowell phrasing themselves something like this:

The piano is a drum and a harp and a violin all in one. It can be bowed, even if the bow is nothing but an unresined hand. The result will be sounds of eerie windstorms and banshees crying. It can be plucked, and we can hear sounds of unearthly guitars. And if we hit it only with our fingertips we get from it only a little of the roars and grunts and clashing noises it is capable of giving. A whole new world of tonal colors, of unequaled savagery, and unparalleled mystery lies in the strings and keys of a modern piano.

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Jazz Plus.

Copland's contributions consisted of a nocturne and serenade for violin and piano played by himself and Barbara Lull. The latter composition drew a huge hand, for it is "jazz plus, super-jazz written by a son who did not have to stoop from his pedestal to write it. Jazz seems Copland's native language, but his mastery of modern harmony adds an immense amount of steam to his productions and puts them miles above those of Tin Pan alley. If only Whiteman's arranger would study with Schoenberg—but I suppose the dancers must be considered.

Mr. Copland and Miss Lull also played a concerto by Krenek, with which they had more fun than the audience, and a group of pieces by Anton von Webern, in which enjoyment was mutual. These are strange little things. The violin scarcely seems to play. Miss Lull seemed to be tuning in some ridiculous way. Every time Mr. Copland got going the piece was over. From both instruments the sound waves went out in the shape of question marks.

There was junk by Stravinsky, a little ditty by Ravel, and a fragment of a monumental song cycle by Hindemith, about which words can wait until it is sung in full.

A few days prior to the uncovering of the new, refurbished version of Gounod's "Faust" to be presented by the American Opera company, the Schola Cantorum comes across with the "Damnation of Faust," which has not been heard for so long that its existence is almost legendary.

GETTING THEIR FURNITURE FREE



Music Notes

Paderewski has returned to America and on Tuesday will play the first item of a transcontinental tour, his first in two years. It will take place in New Rochelle, N. Y., followed by one in Orange, N. J., on Thursday.

Bernardino Molinari is another foreign visitor this season. He has been for several years the conductor of the Augusteo orchestra of Rome, but this season he will divide his time between the St. Louis Symphony orchestra and The New York Philharmonic.

My Best Joke

What is the best joke you ever heard? If you'll write it out and it is published, $1 will be paid. No manuscripts returned. Address Best Jokes Editor, The Tribune, Chicago.

Cramping Sammy's Style.

Mother—Sit down, Sammy, and quiet your sister. Tell her a story.

Sammy—I can't sit down. I just told daddy a story. H. A. C.

Meet Mr. Pending.

"Hey, any of you fellows lose a wrench?"

"Yes, me."

"What's your name?"

"Mike Conners."

"You ain't the guy. This wrench belongs to Pat. Pending. His name's on it." A. T. J.

Sooner or, Later.

Mrs. R's husband died about six months before our new minister came to Chicago. She went often to the cemetery to visit his grave. One day, as she was returning from one of these visits, she met our pastor. He was very friendly.

In the course of their conversation Mrs. R said, "I have just been out to Rosehill."

"O," said the minister, "are you thinking of locating there?"

"Yes," said she, "eventually." B. M. L.

Two Too Many.

After coming in from a twenty mile hike the officer in command of a Negro company said, before dismissing them: "I want all the men who are too tired to make another hike to take two paces forward."

All stepped forward except one husky six footer. Noticing him, the officer said: "Well, Johnson, ready for twenty miles more?"

"No, sah," replied Johnson, "Ah'm too tired even to take dem two steps." S. B. H.

Voice of the Movie Fan

A Sweet Letter to Receive.

Dear Miss Mae: This is my second letter to you, but I like to write to you. Don't know why, but I do. Do you know, I have another "ideal" now. It isn't Richard Dix any more, and that's not saying I don't still adore Richard, but my other one now is just adorable. He played with Ronald Colman in "Beau Geste." The one with those wonderful dreamy eyes—no other than Ralph Forbes. I must say he is marvelous, and I think his acting is coming along finely.

Your columns are certainly inspiring, Miss Mae, and after I read them in the morning I feel so happy because I have a new movie to attend. I say a new movie to attend because your columns have me all keyed up as to the conclusion of them. When I was a senior in school we had the same principle as yours, and so I wrote one based on your ideas of "Good Morning: How are you today?" and as a conclusion, "See you tomorrow." I received a high grade on that article and had the paper read to the whole class. Yes, O my yes, I was so proud. Do you see, Miss Mae, how you made one little girl feel honored for a whole day—maybe for a week, because I talked about it for quite a while.

Keep up your cheerful work.

PEGGY."

Editor's Note: Peggy, dear—I wonder if I have ever made you feel as "honored" as you have me by this letter! It isn't nice to print compliments of one's self, but I don't care. Here's your—and I thank you!

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Praise for "Seventh Heaven."

Dear Miss Tinée: A great motion picture! "Seventh Heaven" has been told with an artist's touch and the charmingly simple understanding of two humble lovers.

The leading players are ideal in the portrayal of difficult rôles which they seem to have lived rather than acted. The result is unquestionably one of the great triumphs of youth.

The love duets are beautiful songs of romantic music. The reverence of the 11 o'clock rendezvous and the dramatic leave taking are etchings which are breathlessly real.

Who can fail to exclaim, "Dieu! Chico! Ciel." ADMIRER.

Editor's Note: Who, indeed!

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In Deference to Gangland.

Dear Miss Tinée: It certainly made me laugh when I read in the papers that the Chicago police had made the Roosevelt theater take down a sign advertising "Underworld" as "Chicago's Gangland."

Who doubts but it is a reproduction of our civic institution, the gunman's world? It tells nothing about them that the Chicago newspapers have not told many times, and it shows how unbeatable the law is. Teddy Weil escaped from jail just ahead of his execution, just as "Bull" Weed does. There was an "Ammunition" Wood once who stood off the police for hours, if you remember. The flower shop killing was certainly no more violent than Dion O'Banion's taking off.

Chicago has an underworld just as colorful as the picture shows it to be. It is things like this that will show Chicago how the outside world looks at it and that we ought to free ourselves from this blight.

I certainly agree with you in what you said about George Bancroft. He is a great actor. But I do think you could have done more to give credit to Evelyn Brent. That scene where she looks into Clive Brooks' eyes and registers helpless love makes her a star.

I enjoy your reviews, and the Sunday ones most of all.

Yours, C. D.

Editor's Note.—You wouldn't want a policeman to be unkind to a gangster, would you?

If you would like your letter printed in this column, please write on ONE SIDE of the paper ONLY. If you want a personal answer, send stamped, self-addressed envelope—please!

Hollywood

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]—HOLLYWOOD, Cal.—[Correspondence.]—Many thousands of dollars are spent in Hollywood on the engraving cards of the Yule season. This week has proved to be more than in its cards than any other week in years.

Many of the stars' cards are art gems, hand done effects, hints from abroad, while the paper was gold paper, but all cards are more or less degree, are designed to express the taste and individuality of the sender, for Hollywood people devoutly in the crowd cut a best foot foremost. During the recent New Year's and Christmas old coats of arms have been corrected or newly acquired have been trotted out with a flourish and distinction.

Prominent among the Hollywood folk is Pola Negri, who has a Georgian coat of arms on her family embossed on a large card bearing the inscription "Pola and Princess Serge X greetings," etc., this a former crest used when Countess Hollywood as the Countess.

Gloria Swanson uses on her husband, the Marquis de la Coudray, which a shield on which appear five pointed star, and two crossed mounted by a crown coronet corn rampant. Below two greyhounds. On her uses only her own name title of her husband.

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Say It in Rhyme.

Bebe Daniels is a thing embossed cards have been wood Christmas staple white, with the Spanish that comes through her cestry, the card bears greeting and wishes for to all her friends—and most of Hollywood.

Milton Sills, while he ing that the crest does card proper, nevertheless silver on the flap of an ing the Sills' greetings. done in silver, with a a cross of St. George motto "Magnanimiter "—Uphold the cross wi

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ALAMO CHICAGO AVE. MONTICELLO
CONSTANCE TALMADGE "BREAKFAST AT SUNRISE" HOLIDAY VAUDEVILLE
RIVOLI ELSTON-CRAWFORD MONTROSE
CONRAD NAGEL MYRNA LOY "THE GIRL FROM CHICAGO" LATEST COLLEGIANS
CRYSTAL North Ave. Nr. California Cont. 1:30 to 11:30
AILEEN PRINGLE LEW CODY "TEA FOR THREE" VAUDEVILLE
TIFFIN NORTH AVE. AT KARLOV
CONSTANCE TALMADGE "BREAKFAST AT SUNRISE" VAUDEVILLE
EMBASSY Fullerton Ave at Crawford MATINEES DAILY
MILTON SILLS—"Hard Boiled Haggerty" DOUBLE FEATURE AT THE MATINEE 3—ACTS OF VAUDEVILLE—3
COMMODORE 3105 Irving Park Blvd. Cont. 2 to 11 P. M.
Conrad Nagel, Myrna Loy—"The Girl from Chicago"—Also Latest "Collegians"
PATIO 6000 IRVING PARK BLVD. MATINEE DAILY
LEW CODY—"TEA FOR THREE" 4—ACTS OF VAUDEVILLE—4
ELSTON ELSTON AT BELMONT
Milton Sills—"HARD BOILED HAGGERTY"
IRVING Irving Park Blvd. and Crawford ORCHESTRA
Madge Bellamy—"VERY CONFIDENTIAL"

NORTH.
HOWARD N. W. L Station at Howard St. Mat. Daily, 1:30-11:30 P. M.
Fred Thomson—"Jesse James" AND THE NEW "COLLEGIANS" Tomorrow—"WHAT PRICE GLORY"
ADELPHI 7074 N. CLARK
Laura La Plante—"CAT AND CANARY"
REGENT 6740 SHERIDAN RD.
Esther Ralston—"FIGURES DON'T LIE"
DE LUXE On Wilson Ave. at "L" Sta. Cont. 2 to 11 P. M.
LAURA LA PLANTE CREIGHTON HALE "THE CAT AND THE CANARY"
PANORAMA 717 SHERIDAN RD. Cont. 1:45 to 11 P. M.
JOHNNY WALKER JOSYNA RALSTON "PRETTY CLOTHES"
BUCKINGHAM 3319 N. CLARK
FRED THOMSON—"JESSE JAMES"

MOTION PICTURES MISCELLANEOUS

NEW YEAR'S WEEK AT Orpheum Circuit THEATRES

STATE-LAKE 11 A. M.—CONTINUOUS—11 P. M. CHILDREN, ALL SEATS 25c
START THE NEW YEAR RIGHT!
See This Extraordinary Vaudeville Show
IT HAS COMEDY, SONG, DANCE & MUSIC
Don't Forget to Bring the Kiddies!
FOUR BIG HEADLINERS TOP THE BILL
DENO & ROCHELLE AND BAND in New Dances
ART & MORT HAVEL HELEN LOCKHART & CO. in a Screaming Skit
CLARA—ORVAL BARRY & WHITLEGE Fun and Laughs Galore
NELSON—MARIE CLIFFORD & MARION in a Comedy Riot
Other Big, Delightful Acts—Sure to Please
EXCLUSIVE FEATURE PHOTOPLAY
An Entrancing Story as Full of Love, Romance, Comedy and Thrills as an "L" Train of Shoppers Going Home
MARIE PREVOST in The RUSH HOUR With HARRISON FORD and SEENA OWEN

MAJESTIC MONROE NEAR STATE
11 A. M.—CONTINUOUS—11 P. M.
EXCLUSIVE FIRST RUN SHOWING OF THE FEATURE PHOTOPLAY ADAPTED FROM THE STAGE COMEDY, WHICH MADE THE WHOLE WORLD LAUGH
"MY FRIEND FROM INDIA" WITH FRANKLIN PANGBORN & ELINOR FAIR
A Great, Laughing New Year's Week Show for All the Family. Entertainment Galore!
AND DON'T FORGET Bring the Kiddies

RIVIERA BROADWAY AT LAWRENCE
1 P. M.—CONTINUOUS—11 P. M.
Vaudeville at 2:45, 6:45, 9:15 Preceded and Followed by Photoplay
Complete New Show Every Sunday and Thursday
SO SEATS RESERVED
FOUR DAYS STARTING TODAY —A Big Holiday Bill—
DON BESTOR & HIS ORCHESTRA VICTOR RECORDING ARTISTS
FRED ARDATH & CO. In a Hilarious Skit
McCARTHY SISTERS In Songs and Dances a la 1928
OTHER GREAT ACTS
And Paramount's Big Sky-Quake of Fun
WALLACE BEERY and RAYMOND HATTON in "NOW WE'RE IN THE AIR"

DIVERSEY Clark, Broadway and Diversey
1 P. M.—CONTINUOUS—11 P. M.
—Four Big Stage Shows Today and Tomorrow— At 2:00, 4:55, 7:50, 9:15
—A Huge Holiday Stage Frolic— "TID-BITS OF 1928"
—Featuring— TINY TOWN REVUE Haynes, Lehmen & Kahn— JOE KAYSER & His Musical Fascists
OTHER STARS AND —The College Days Comedy Photoplay—
MARION DAVIES in "The FAIR CO-ED"

TOWER 63rd and Rinchotaug
1 P. M.—CONTINUOUS—11 P. M.
—A Tremendous Holiday Show—
JIM TONEY and ANN NORMAN
FREDERICK DONAGHEY, in THE TRIBUNE, says: Jim Tooney Is "An Uncommonly Funny Fellow"
"LONDON, PARIS and NEW YORK"
A Huge, Colorful Revue
OTHER BIG ACTS
And Paramount's Dashing Comedy
"MAN CRAZY" with Dorothy Mackaill, Jack Mulhall

BELMONT Belmont at Lincoln and Ashland
Adults, All Seats, 40c
—Four Vaudeville Shows Today— At 2:30, 4:55, 7:20, 9:15
5—BIG VAUDEVILLE ACTS—5
Photoplay—Mary Astor in "ROSE OF THE GOLDEN WEST"

NORTH
KEYSTONE 3912 SHERIDAN RD. Cont. 1:45 to 11:30 P. M.
DOLORES COSTELLO WILLIAM COLLIER JR. "THE COLLEGE WIDOW"
LANE COURT Clark and Center Matinee Daily
MADGE BELLAMY—"Very Confidential" COMEDY—ORCHESTRA
JULIAN 918 Belmont, Nr. Clark Doors Open 12:30 p.m.
Tim McCoy—"SPOILERS OF THE WEST"
BUGG Robey, Lincoln & Irving MATINEE DAILY
FRED THOMSON—"JESSE JAMES"
LAKE SHORE Broadway at Belmont Mat. 2 to 11:30 P. M.
Milton Sills—"HARD BOILED HAGGERTY"
BERTHA 4717 LINCOLN AVE.
MONTAGUE LOVE—"The Haunted Ship"

NO MAN'S LAND
Teatro del Lago Sheridan Rd. Between Wilmette & Kenilworth
B. Dove, L. Hughes, "The American Beauty"

AUSTIN
AMBASSADOR 63d DIVISION AUSTIN BLVD.
Today Only—Mat. at 1:30
"THE GIRL FROM CHICAGO"
5—Acts of Superb—5
AUSTIN 5619 W. MADISON
WILLIAM HAINES—"SPRING FEVER"
PLAISANCE 466 N. Parkside at Lake
Milton Sills—"HARD BOILED HAGGERTY"
MANOR 5609 W. NORTH AVE. VAUDEVILLE
Lew Cody, Aileen Pringle—"Tea for Three"
IRIS 5742-47 CHICAGO AVE. SELECTED VAUDEVILLE
LEW CODY—"TEA FOR THREE"
PARK LAKE AT AUSTIN
Esther Ralston—"FIGURES DON'T LIE"

SOUTH
LEXINGTON 1162 E. 63RD ST. MATINEE DAILY
RALPH INCE PATSY RUTH MILLER
"SHANGHAIED"
DREXEL 858 E. 63RD STREET MATINEE DAILY
TIM McCOY "SPOILERS OF THE WEST"
Matinee Only—"TRAIL OF TIGER," NO. 2
HIGHWAY 63rd and So. Western Ave.
LEW CODY AILEEN PRINGLE
"TEA FOR THREE"
KENWOOD 1225 E. 47TH ST.
Milton Sills—"HARD BOILED HAGGERTY"
ROSELAND-STATE Michigan-110th Pl. MATINEE DAILY
Conrad Nagel—"THE GIRL FROM CHICAGO"
HARPER 53rd and Harper Ave. Cont. 2 to 11:30
Claire Windsor—"BLONDES BY CHOICE"
NEW REGENT 6826 S. HALSTED
Laura La Plante—"THE CAT AND CANARY"

Hollywood Yule Cards Crested- - - By Rosalind Shaffer.

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

HOLLYWOOD, Cal.—[Special Correspondence.]—Many thousands of dollars are spent annually in Hollywood on the yearly greeting cards of the Yule season. Last week has proved to be more elaborate in its cards than any in previous years.

Many of the stars' cards are small art gems, hand done etchings, color prints from abroad, while others are on gold paper, but all of them, in a more or less degree, are lavish and express the taste and individuality of the sender, for Hollywood believes devoutly in the creed of setting the best foot foremost. During the present New Year's and Christmas season old coats of arms have been resurrected or newly acquired ones have been trotted out with a sense of pride and distinction.

Prominent among the coat of arms folk is Pola Negri, with the noble Georgian coat of arms of the Mdivani family embossed on a neutral toned card bearing the inscription, "Prince and Princess Serge Mdivani send greetings," etc., this supplants the former crest used when Pola came to Hollywood as the Countess Dombska.

Gloria Swanson uses the crest of her husband, the Marquis de la Falaise et de la Coudray, which consists of a shield on which appear four hills, a six pointed star, and two crescents surmounted by a crown containing a unicorn rampant. Below the shield are two greyhounds. On her card Gloria uses only her own name and not the title of her husband.

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Say It in Rhyme.

Bebe Daniels is a third whose crest embossed cards have become a Hollywood Christmas staple. Always all white, with the Spanish family's crest that comes through her mother's ancestry, the card bears her simple greeting and wishes for the New Year to all her friends—and that means most of Hollywood.

Milton Sills, while he is so unassuming that the crest does not reach the card proper, nevertheless uses it in silver on the flap of an envelope bearing the Sills' greetings. The crest is done in silver, with a lion supporting a cross of St. George and with the motto "Magnanimiter crucem sustine"—"Uphold the cross with vigor." The enclosure released from this impressive envelope bears a sample of the verse of Mrs. Sills (Doris Kenyon), whose poetic efforts have been published for several years and have met with high approval from the critics. The Sills family's poetic greeting for the dying week of 1927 runs:

"Three little ducks in a row are we
Standing beneath our Christmas tree
Quacking you joy with our big yellow bills
Kenyon and Doris and Milton Sills."

Vilma Banky joined the Hollywood gang of Lady Clara Vere de Veres when she married Rod La Rocque, for his and her Christmas card bears the imposing crest of La Rocque Latour, a quartered shield with two quarterings striped diagonally and two with towers, the whole supported by two gryphons rampant. A narrow red border sets off the simplicity of the card, which bears greetings from Mr. and Mrs. Roderick La Rocque.

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Tom Mix Turns Essayist.

Dolores del Rio, who bears the lineal right to several old Spanish crests as well as that of her husband, Don Jaime Martinez del Rio, sends a simple white card, bordered with a red line, on which is written in red in her own handwriting "Merry Christmas. Dolores del Rio."

Tom Mix sends a large photo of himself in cowboy regalia, mounted on a holly-wreathed card. Under the photo is a remarkably well written essay on modern Christmas, penned by Mix himself.

Johnny Hines sends a card with a small head of himself in a holly wreath. Opened, the card discloses Hines as a grocer peddling apple sauce, with the caption "It's the same old apple sauce, but it's from the heart."

Jean Hersholt greets one with a red folded card, edged with gold, which, on opening, shows a Christmas tree. In Hersholt's own script in gold he and his wife and Jean Jr. send greetings of the season.

Janet Gaynor chose apple green cards and envelopes. The card bears a modernistic maiden in Russian costume, done in red and gold.

Ben Lyon makes his greeting card individual. A pen sketch shows Ben hanging onto the end of a long distance call to New York as the Big Ben on the desk points to twelve. He is saying, "Thanks; same to you." It doesn't take a seer to know that the long distance call is to Marilynn Miller, as Ben makes them nightly.

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From Nellie Revell.

Many Hollywood hearts were gladdened with an especially engraved card bearing their own name in engraving, from Nellie Revell, the first of women press agents in the old days in New York, who was in Hollywood doing picture titles for a time last year.

Colleen Moore and John McCormick, her husband, selected a pretty colored drawing of Santa Claus entering a cottage to dispatch holiday greetings.

One card of great interest was sent out by a press agent, one Pat Dowling, who helps make the Christie comedies famous in print. Pat recently bought a new home in the Hollywood hills, wherein the roads are labyrinthine, none whicher. His card is a road map through the exclusive Beverly Hills district, with amusing wisecracks on the inhabitants of the estates which he shows on the map on the way to his hillside fastness.

Marceline Day chooses as her card a picture of a French market place in a snowstorm. It was one of several artistic subjects worthy of framing. Cards of this sort have increased greatly in popularity in Hollywood. Margaret Livingston sends such a one with a colonial couple, in gala attire, carrying their bundles down the street.

From New York Gilda Grey sends her solo greetings inclosed in a double leafed card with an exquisite Japanese scene.

Lina Basquette, widow of Sam Warner, sends an autographed photograph of her baby, Lita, with her best wishes.

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A Wide Variety.

Victor and Enid MacLaglen are delightfully old fashioned and English with their card of a cavalier and his wife with two small children about a Christmas tree.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Willatt [Billie Dove] enclose greetings in a card decorated with the Three Kings riding over the desert on camels, followed the Bethlehem star.

Doubtless having the fact in mind that his driver's license has been suspended for speeding, Monte Banks says on his card, decorated with a caricature of himself, "I've just heard there ain't no Santa Claus."

Ben Bard, fiancé of Ruth Roland, sends a Christmas ship in full sail, done in colors on parchment over a gold sea.

Antonio Moreno had a color photograph made of the scene from the balcony of his home on top of a hill.

Clarence Brown, director, had elaborately hand done etchings of different views in his home and about the grounds.

STRUMS AS SHE CROONS TUNES



MISS LEE MORSE

SHE is in the new programme in the Palace, where, in spite of her having such billing as "The Southern Aristocrat of Song," she will probably be liked. Miss Morse was liked in Chicago when, some time since, she took part in one of the big shows in the Apollo, where she betrayed a personal style of putting through songs that were of themselves unimportant. And she is said to be a warm favorite with that part of the populace which takes its music from the discs.

BEST MOVIE.

If you'll confide in us to the extent of telling what movie, in your opinion, rates above all the other movies you've seen, and also tell us why you think this particular movie is deserving of praise, we'll lend a sympathetic ear. And, what's more, we'll pay $1 for your letter if we print it. Address Best Movies, Chicago Tribune.

"The Gold Rush."

Charles Chaplin in "The Gold Rush" was the best movie I ever saw.

The setting was unforgettable and the idea of presenting this well known incident in history not as tragic or heroic, but funny; not seen through the eyes of Rex Beach or Jack London, but from Charley's point of view, was supremely clever.

The suspense in the scene where the shanty hung on the edge of the precipice was torturing, but stopped just short of being unbearable. When Charley shoveled snow we shoveled with him, mentally. The party lacking guests is an idea probably as old as the rhyme:

Smarty, smarty, had a party;
Nobody came but Pudding Tame
And the big fat girl who lived in the lane.

But Charley's party is the immortal one and while we were saying to ourselves, "He's a sentimental boob," we were chuckling and wiping our eyes at the same time. M. A. W.

Uplifting.

Of all the good movies I have seen "The Miracle Man" impressed me as the best. It was not merely a good play made attractive by good players—it was a realistic portrayal of character development from bad to good.

The actors did not merely play their parts—they were their parts, and so impressed their optience with their sincerity that I am sure every one who saw it was uplifted and better for having witnessed it. K. A.

Never to Be Forgotten.

The movie which made the most vivid and lasting impression on my mind and which I rate as the best of the thousands I have seen was "Broken Blossoms," directed by D. W. Griffith and taken from one of Thomas Burke's stories.

In spite of the fact that it was in reality, a brutal and sordid story, with the scene laid in Limehouse, one of the most squalid districts of London, I was fascinated by the beauty of the presentation and overlooked the ugliness. This effect was, I think, due to the wizardry of the great director in picturizing scenes in such a way as to bring out beauty and to accentuate it.

The work of Richard Barthelmess as the Chinaman was wonderful and to my mind he has never done anything half so good since. Lillian Gish, too, was at her best.

I may forget all other pictures, but the memory of that will always be with me. W. A. B.

IN A HIT



MISS GRACE HUFF

She's still in the rôle of the weather-cred piano-player of a night-joint in "Broadway," which has been on view in the Selwyn since mid-August.

10 YEARS AGO in the MOVIES

(From the "Right Off the Reel" column conducted in The Chicago Tribune of Jan. 6, 1918, by Mae Tinée.)

IT seems to me that as a matter of patriotism and loyalty we should see "The Man Without a Country," which was Florence La Badie's last picture. She didn't know it was to be her last picture, but to its timely theme she gave the best as well as the last of her charming self. See it and see it reverently.

Agreeing with my most severe critics who aver that I don't know everything. I nevertheless insist that changing the title of the Alice Brady picture "Jane Eyre," to "Woman and Wife" is bad business. Any one who ever read and was thrilled by the story would not rest until he had seen the picture. Camouflaged, as is the intent, who'd ever going to recognize it? Producers do such funny things!

In her next picture, "Stella Maris," Mary Pickford will play a dual rôle.

And now Earle Williams has migrated to California. Sooner or later they all go, don't they? It must seem like returning home to Mr. Williams, for he is a Sacramento boy.

Henry B. Walthall's second Baralta production will be called "With Hoops of Steel." Many of the scenes were photographed on the Mojave desert. Mary Charleson will play opposite him.

FEATURE FILMS IN THE LOOP.

Alcazar, "Reaching for the Moon," with Douglas Fairbanks.
Bijou Dream, "Shirley Kaye," with Clara Kimball Young.
Boston, "Love Letters," with Dorothy Dalton.
Castle, "Seven Swans," with Marguerite Clark.
Chicago, "The Adventurer," with Charlie Chaplin.
Gem, "In Again, Out Again," with Douglas Fairbanks.
Lyric, "Man Against Man," with William S. Hart.
Orpheum, "Daybreak," with Emily Stevens.
World, "Conscience," with Gladys Brockwell.
Ziegfeld, "A Modern Musketeer," with Douglas Fairbanks.

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National Playhouses

AVALON
79TH AND STONY ISLAND
—Today Only—
Doors Open 12:30
All Shows De Luxe
"She's a Sheik"
with
Bebe Daniels
Also
Gigantic Xmas Extravaganza
—Monday—
"THE CITY GONE WILD"
with Thomas Meighan
Also
Our New Singing Director
ROY DETRICH
A Great Opening Show
"Hello, 1928, and Good Luck, Roy"
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79TH AND HALSTED ST.
—Today Only—
Doors Open 12:30
All Shows De Luxe
JACKIE COOGAN
in
"BUTTONS"
HUSK O'HARE
and His Jacks
in
"Santa Claus Express"
VITAPHONE
—Monday—
"BEN HUR"
The Greatest Picture for All Time
HUSK O'HARE
and His Band
in
"Ringing in the New Year"
A Rollicking, Frolicking Round of Joy and Pep
—Also—
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63rd and Halsted STRATFORD Matinee Daily
Now Playing
Monte Blue—Betty Bronson
"BRASS KNUCKLES"
Stage—Ted Leary in Giant Show
Coming Wednesday
Patsy Ruth Miller
"A HERO FOR A NIGHT"
With Great Stage Show

GROVE 76th and Cottage Grove. Mat. Daily
Jack Holt, "The Tigress." Vaudeville
HIGHLAND 79th and Ashland Mat. Daily
Dolores Costello, "College Widow"
5—ACTS VODVIL—5
W. ENGLEWOOD 63d & Ashland Mat. Daily
Dolores Costello, "College Widow"
5—ACTS VODVIL—5
COSMO 79th and Halsted Mat. Today
RALPH INCE—"SHANGHAIED"
JEFFERY 71st and Jeffery Mat. Daily
JACK HOLT—"THE TIGRESS"
5—ACTS VODVIL—5
COLONY 39th and Kedzie Mat. Daily
RALPH INCE—"SHANGHAIED"
5—ACTS VODVIL—5
CHATHAM 75th and Cottage Grove. Matinee
Ronald Colman, "Supreme Moment"
Westons, at Matinee Only

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2507 EAST 75th. STREET
MATINEE TODAY
1 p.m. Continuous to Midnight
Madge Bellamy in "Very Confidential"
Shore Theatre Orchestra
George Vasch at Many Organs
ARTHUR HAND, Conductor and Colleen Organ
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On the Stage
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"THE CAT AND THE CANARY"
VENDOME STATE AT 31ST ST.
BILLIE DOVE
"AN AMERICAN BEAUTY"
TATE'S VENDOME SYNCOPATORS
PRAIRIE GARDEN 58th & Prairie
CONRAD NAGEL MYRNA LOY
"THE GIRL FROM CHICAGO"
Latest News—Our Gang, 'New Year's Scream'
KIMBARK 6240 KIMBARK
DOROTHY SEBASTIAN
"THE HAUNTED SHIP"
Mat. Only—"Blake of Scotland Yard." No. 10
MARQUETTE 63RD AND KEDZIE
LEW CODY AILEEN PRINGLE
"TEA FOR THREE"
ORCHESTRA AND ORGAN
HARVARD 63RD AND HARVARD
MATINEE TODAY
Dolores Costello William Collier Jr.
"COLLEGE WIDOW"
Matinee Only—"TRAIL OF TIGER." No. 9
REX 60TH AND RACINE AVE.
MILTON SILLS—"Valley of Giants"
"3rd Boiled Haggerty"
WABASH 1826 S. Wabash Ave.
FRED THOMSON—"JESSE JAMES"
ENGLEWOOD 63rd and Halsted
Cont. 1 to 11 P.M.
5—BIG VAUDEVILLE ACTS—5
Photoplay—All Star Cast
in "THE CHEER LEADER"
Four Vaudeville Shows Tomorrow
At 2:30, 4:45, 7:00 9:15
OAKLAND SQUARE Drexel & Oakwood MATINEE DAILY
FRED THOMSON
"JESSE JAMES"
SHAKESPEARE 43RD AT ELLIS
Cont. 1:30 to 11:30
RALPH INCE PATSY RUTH MILLER
"SHANGHAIED"
Mat. Only—AL HOXIE—"His Last Bullet"
VISTA 47th and Cottage Grove
RALPH INCE PATSY RUTH MILLER
"SHANGHAIED"
Matinee Only—"TRAIL OF TIGER." NO. 5
FROLIC FIFTY-FIFTH & ELLIS
MATINEE DAILY
LLOYD HUGHES BILLIE DOVE
"AMERICAN BEAUTY"
Mat. Only: Our Gang Comedy—DERBY DAY

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Last times today
CHARLES KALEY'S "HOLIDAY FETE"
Screen
EDMUND LOWE in "The Wizard"
VITAPHONE
IT TELLS HOW A TINY WAIF REFORMED A CROOK WHOM A DOZEN DETECTIVES COULDN'T CATCH!
MONTE BLUE BRASS KNUCKLES BETTY BRONSON

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LAST TIMES TODAY—JACKIE COOGAN in "BUTTONS"
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TERMINAL Lawrence Nr. Spaulding
De'ores Costello
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8—ACTS OF VAUDEVILLE—8
Special Organ and News Features
MIDWEST 35th and Archer
TIM McCOY
in "SPOILERS OF THE WEST"
5—ACTS OF VAUDEVILLE—5
A Wonderful Show Is Here for You
CROWN Division and Ashland
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"THE GIRL FROM CHICAGO"
Selected Vaudeville
PORTAGE PARK 4050 Milwaukee Ave.
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"TEA FOR THREE"
COMMERCIAL 92d and Commercial
TIM McCOY
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Selected Vaudeville

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BILLIE DOVE
Gilbert Roland, Noah Beery
Today
1:45 a. m. to 12:45
GRANDE ORGAN CONCERT
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75 people on stage
MILTON SILLS in "VALLEY OF GIANTS"
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Directed by GEORGE FITZMAURICE
The Big Screen Sensation of 1928
Tomorrow
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Smart Wit-Show in Radio Studio
"LISTEN IN"
Radio Follies, Gay Hilarity, Hosts of Stars
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CHICAGO THEATER STAGE ORCHESTRA
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ORIENTAL RANDOLPH near STATE
Today
Doors Open 10:30 A. M.
NOON TODAY—PAUL'S CLUB FROLIC
PAUL ASH AND HIS GANG IN
"RESOLUTIONS OF 1928"
On the Screen—
ESTHER RALSTON in "Spotlight"
Tomorrow
Paul ASH
HIMSELF and his merry-mad musical gang
"PICKINGS from PARIS"
Oo-La-La! The things Paul learned about those Parisian Mademoiselles. The dazzling sights he saw on the boulevards—C'est Ca—Oui, Oui and then some!
with DON HUMBERT
HELEN KENNEDY
Earl Lavere, Paul Small, Paul's Parisian Dancing Beauties—Others
on the screen
A French Love Salad Flavored with Romance and Peppered with Thrills
"FRENCH DRESSING"
H. B. Warner
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A First National Picture

UPTOWN BROADWAY at LAWRENCE
Today
Doors Open 12:30 P. M.
CHRISTMAS STAGE SHOW
BENNIE KRUEGER and Orch.
BEBE DANIELS, Richard Arlen
in "SHE'S A SHEIK"
Tomorrow
Frankie Masters
And Orchestra with Stars in
"MOONLIT WATERS"
HELEN YORKE, Sammy Lewis
MYRIO, DeSHA and BARTE
Fountleroy and Van, Petroff Ballet
on the screen
CLARA BOW
With Chas. Rogers in French marriage tangle and Parisian laugh-wrangle.
"GET YOUR MAN"

TIVOLI COTTAGE GROVE near 63rd ST.
Today
Doors Open 12:30 P. M.
GALA CHRISTMAS STAGE SHOW
FRANKIE MASTERS—70 people on stage
RICHARD DIX in "THE GAY DEFENDER"
Tomorrow
Bennie Krueger
With His Orchestra in Sensation Show!
"SHADOW AND"
Al. and Gussie Blum, Roy Rogers,
Aerial Ballet, "Flying Piano"
FOSTER VENUS-ATHLETES
on the screen—
CLARA BOW
IN SPICY FRENCH LOVE-TANGLE
"Get Your Man"

CENTRAL PARK 1535 ROOSEVELT RD.
5 Big Acts Vaudeville
ESTHER RALSTON
RICHARD ARLEN in "FIGURES DON'T LIE"

NORSHORE HOWARD at CLARK
Doors open 1 p. m. Attend the matinee
Happiness and syncopation unrestrained
AL KVALE and his jazz collegians
In a rollicking, rousing stage revel
"HELLO, 1928"
West, Lake and Kane, Hines and Leonard, Lester Brothers, Babe Carter, Others
on the screen
RICHARD DIX
in a story of bold Americanos and dashing Dons
"The GAY DEFENDER"

McVICKERS MADISON near STATE
9 A. M. CONTINUOUS
When you're not shivering with fright, you'll be howling with laughter. It's that kind of a superlative production
The GORILLA
It will get you and grip you the way it gripped thousands of amazed Chicagoans thus far
SEE IT TODAY
A First National Picture
WHERE THE HELL IS MULLIGAN?

ROOSEVELT STATE near WASHINGTON
JOHN GILBERT
Doors open 9 a. m.
NO LOVERS EVER LIVED SO PASSIONATE AND RAPTUROUS A ROMANCE BEFORE
"LOVE"
GRETA GARBO
Filmed 'n splendor from Tolstoi's "ANNA KARENINA"
EVERYBODY IS TALKING ABOUT IT
A Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer Picture

W-G-N TO SELL TIME ON AIR TO ADVERTISERS

High Costs of Programs Forces New Policy.

BY FRANK HINMAN.

THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE today announces a new radio policy—a policy which will mean better entertainment and better service to the radio listener. This policy, simply stated, is that the paper is to inaugurate a schedule of sponsored programs on its station, W-G-N. In other words, it proposes "to sell time" to advertisers.

The radio industry has awakened to the fact that its program development has not kept pace with the advancements in other branches of the art, and that, unless it takes immediate steps to improve its entertainment and service features, its future will be threatened.

High Cost of Production.

One of the obstacles in the face of program advancement has been the ever increasing cost of program production. It was only a couple of years ago that station directors spent most of their time shooing aspiring young artists, begging for a chance to be heard on the air, out of their office. Now, program standards having been raised, they spend most of their time trying to get a high quality of entertainment at a reasonable figure.

Station owners have come face to face with the fact that the radio audience is no longer satisfied with the usual run of programs and if listener interest is to be maintained, there must be an immediate improvement. To make possible this improvement and to provide the enormous sum necessary to carry it through, THE TRIBUNE proposes to make its programs partially self-supporting by selling a portion of its daytime and evening hours to advertisers.

The New Plans.

Under the new arrangement, daytime hours for the broadcasting of advertising programs will be available between 9 in the morning and 6 at night. Evening hours during the week will be between 7 and 11 o'clock and Sunday from 4 to 11. The advertising rate is higher in the evening than in the daytime in consideration of the wider audience the station reaches during the evening hours.

Incidental with the announcement of this change in policy comes the news that a program service department is being organized under the supervision of Henry Selinger, program director of W-G-N, which will be able to furnish the finest programs on the air. A host of the best artists and musicians in Chicago, as well as many novelty performers, will be made available to the advertiser in planning his program. Strict supervision will be maintained over these sponsored programs to make certain that they meet the same high quality which has distinguished W-G-N's broadcasts in the past.

Inside the Loud Speaker

BY QUIN A. RYAN.

[W-G-N Announcer.]

ANYBODY who would try to sell a radio announcer a radio set would try to sell Columbus real estate.

But they do. Uh-huh!

They ought to know that I spend all my spare time with my bicycle.

The fiery salesmen send me letters and invite me to parties that came off last Tuesday. They meet me with their friends and tell 'em how they've known me ever since we went to college together—and then introduce me as Uncle Bob of KYW. They tell me what a spell I cast on their neighbor's canary.

Everybody has to make a living, 'tis true—but they ought to know that I'm not a fireman who loafs around the fire station on his one day off a month.

What could I do with a radio set?

They send me circulars and folders, and they're nice folders and circulars, but I don't want 'em. If you'll send me your name, I'll have 'em send 'em to you.

The folders tell about the radio sets and they romp along like this:

"Announcing the presentation of the new Baby Wampus. . . . Four models . . . open, closed, bid and asked. . . . Simply plug in your faucet. . . . Picks up New York, Tampa, Seattle, dust and lint. . . . Smokeless and fond of children. . . . Detector so keen that it discovered Santa Claus was Lon Chaney. . . . Dandy set to give away. . . . Can do parlor tricks. . . . You can hook it onto a table, a radiator, or a fire wagon. . . . Hooray!"

The world is full of five prospects for sales, besides radio announcers. Only the other day I compiled a list of hot "leads."

AACHEN
Window ShadeWks 62 WWash.CEN tri-3449

AADNESEN
L S r 4318 Drummond pl....ALB any-8412

AAFLEI J F r 2206 NKenneth..ALB-any-5043
Oscar T r 5218 Barry av..PAL lsade-4801

AAGAARD
ArthurA r 5414 Ridgewd ct..DOR chstr-7074
Beauty Salon 25 EWashngtn.DEA-rbn-4224
Chester S cut glass
3943 Lincoln av.....WEL ington-4157
r 5144 N Albany.....JUN iper-0698
Howard J r 1256 N Lorel av..MER imc-7550
Julius r 6647 Perry av.....NOR mal-3192
Kai r 718 E. 70th.....VIN cns-7575
Laundry Co 600 Rood.....*YAR ds-1800
Martin G confty 4206 Hirsch..ALB-any-2450
Otto W r 5144 Albany av....IRV ng-5431
P r. 6626 Dante av.....HYD e Pk-3646
T W r 1334 Birchwd av....ROG rs Pk-1775
W S & Co invst bonds
208 S La S ..*.....*STA te-0770
Walter S Jr ofc 208 S. LaS...STA te-0770
r 20 Cedar .....WHI tehal-4914

AAGARD
Carl r 4015 N. Albany av..KEY stone-4031

AAGE Richard L r
6253 Sheridan rd.....ROG rs Pk-1444

AAGER
Tailoring Co 462 S State....WAB sh-0655

AAGESEN Carl r
6121 Henderson .....PAL lsade-0286

There they are—and remember who gave them to you, boys.

But leave me out.

Come and show me roller skates
Or anything you sell,
But please don't talk of radios—
Or I shall run lykelle!

BRIDGE LESSONS FROM W-G-N

THE tenth of a series of twenty radio auction bridge games will be broadcast from W-G-N, The Chicago Tribune station on the Drake hotel, Tuesday night at 9 o'clock.

Each game of the series features Milton C. Work and Wilbur C. Whitehead, New York experts, in association with players from other cities in America and Canada. The listeners in are urged to have four players ready with cards and to follow the game bid by bid and play by play with the experts.

The contestants in Tuesday's game are Mrs. Florence C. Douglas of Pittsburgh, Pa., playing with Mr. Work against W. S. Firestone, Cleveland, O., and Mr. Whitehead. The following are the advance hands for game ten:

MR. WORK.
Spades—8, 5, 4.
Hearts—8, 2.
Diamonds—A, Q, 10, 8.
Clubs—K, Q, J, 8.

MR. FIRESTONE.
Spades—K,Q, J, 10, 6.
Hearts—9.
Diamonds — 9, 6, 2.
Clubs—9, 7, 5, 2.

MR. WHITEHEAD.
Spades — A, 7, 2.
Hearts — A, Q, 5, 3.
Diamonds — 7, 5, 4.
Clubs—10, 4, 3.

MRS. DOUGLAS, Dealer.
Spades—9, 3.
Hearts—K, J, 10, 7, 6, 4.
Diamonds—K, J, 3.
Clubs—A, 6.

RADIO BRIDGE devotees heard Milton C. Work himself play a hand as declarer in the ninth radio bridge game broadcast last Tuesday from W-G-N, THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE station on the Drake hotel.

Mr. Work and Mr Whitehead were paired against two noted players—John H. Smith of Ridgewood, N. J., and Ralph J. Leibenderfer of New York. These were the cards:

Mr. Smith, dealer, south: Spades, Q, J, 7, 4; hearts, A, K, J, 6, 3; diamonds, K, 10; clubs, K, Q. Mr. Work, west, held: Spades, A, K, 8, 5, 2; hearts, none; diamonds, 9, 3; clubs, 10, 9, 8, 6, 5, 2. Mr. Liebenderfer, north, had: Spades, 3; hearts, 10, 9, 7, 4; diamonds, J, 8, 7, 6, 5; clubs, J, 4, 3. Mr. Whitehead, east, had: Spades, 10, 9, 6; hearts, Q, 8, 5, 2; diamonds, A, Q, 4, 2; clubs, A, 7.

Mr. Smith, the dealer, opened the bidding with one heart. Although he had all four suits stopped for a no trump, he preferred to bid his five card major suit, on account of holding two doubletons, which would be a weakness in no trump.

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Mr. Work, west, with a two suited hand, bid one spade, his major suit, in preference to his longer suit of clubs. Mr. Liebenderfer, north, passed, as his hand was too weak for a first round assist of his partner's heart. Mr. Whitehead, east, also passed, well content with his partner's spade bid.

Mr. Smith then went to one no trump, as he had not been assisted in hearts by his partner, and as he himself had two stoppers in the spade suit adversely bid, and stoppers also in diamonds and clubs. Mr. Work passed, although he was strongly tempted to show his clubs. However, he figured that Mr. Smith had bid a heart originally in preference to no trump because of some weakness. This weakness might be in clubs; therefore, by passing and leading clubs, Mr. Work might make a big penalty. On the other hand, by bidding clubs, he might force the enemy back to hearts, and also might mislead his partner into thinking he held some high clubs. Mr. Leibenderfer at once took his partner out of the no trump by bidding two hearts, a preferential bid which merely showed that he had some support for hearts but none at all for no trump. Mr. Whitehead bid two spades.

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Mr. Smith bid three hearts. After his partner's expression of preference, he gave no further thought to playing the hand at no trump. Mr. Work then bid four clubs. In spite of his partner's spade assist, modern coöperative bidding required him to show the two-suited nature of his hand, thus giving his partner choice between spades and clubs. Mr. Leibenderfer passed, and Mr. Whitehead bid four spades. The strength of his hand fully justified this second assist, although it would be interpreted by his partner, Mr. Work, simply as a preferential bid between clubs and spades.

Mr. Smith doubled four spades. All passed, and Mr. Work became declarer with his contract four spades doubled.

Mr. Leibenderfer led the 4 of hearts, opening his fourth best of his partner's suit. Mr. Whitehead spread his hand for dummy, and Mr. Work played from it the 2 of hearts. Mr. Smith played the 3 of hearts. He could tell his partner's lead was from four cards and therefore knew that Mr. Work held none and that it was unnecessary for him to cover the heart led. Mr. Work trumped with the 2 of spades.

Mr. Work, studying his two hands to determine his line of play, saw at once that his first objective must be the establishment of his club suit. He must lose one trick in the process. Apparently he also must lose a diamond trick for, from the bidding, the king was clearly marked in Mr. Smith's hand, south. Therefore a finesse of the queen could not succeed, moreover, since Mr. Smith by his no trump bid had shown a stopper or stoppers in spades, it was probable that a trump trick also must be lost. Mr. Work's chance for game depended, therefore, upon his ability to limit his losses to these three tricks.

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To start the establishment of his clubs, Mr. Work at once led his 10, the top of his sequence. Mr. Leibenderfer played the 3; dummy the ace; Mr. Smith the queen.

Dummy returned the 7 of clubs; Mr. Smith played the king; Mr. Work the 2; Mr. Leibenderfer the 4.

Mr. Smith led the king of hearts. Mr. Work, without compensating gain, declined to ruff. Instead he discarded his losing 3 of diamonds. Mr. Leibenderfer played the 7 of hearts; dummy the 5.

Mr. Work's refusal to trump was somewhat disconcerting to Mr. Smith, who was left in the lead with no good card to play. Should he continue with a low heart, declarer would pass the trick up to dummy's queen. Should he play the ace, dummy's queen would be established. A shift to trumps would be unavailing, since declarer, placing Mr. Smith with the queen-jack, would base his play upon the card led. A diamond lead from king-10 alone up to dummy's ace-queen was out of the question.

Mr. Smith therefore decided that the best lead under the circumstances was the ace of hearts, which he played. Although it would result in the establishment of dummy's queen, it would at least force declarer's strong trump hand. Mr. Work trumped with the 5 of spades; Mr. Leibenderfer played the 9 of hearts; dummy the 8.

Mr. Work then led the 5 of clubs; Mr. Leibenderfer played the jack; dummy trumped with the 9 of spades; Mr. Smith discarded the 5 of hearts. Mr. Smith realized that if he overtrumped he could not possibly defeat the contract, for declarer, entering dummy with the ace of diamonds, could then lead through Mr. Smith's remaining trumps, capturing all of them and then making the established clubs.

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Dummy led the queen of hearts; Mr. Smith played the jack; Mr. Work discarded the 6 of clubs; Mr. Leibenderfer played the 10 of hearts. Dummy next led the 10 of spades; Mr. Smith covered with the jack; declarer played the king; Mr. Leibenderfer the 3.

Mr. Work then led the 9 of clubs; Mr. Leibenderfer discarded the 5 of diamonds; and Mr. Smith trumped with the 4 of spades.

Mr. Smith was again forced to make an embarrassing lead, this time away from his tenace either in trumps or in diamonds. Whatever he led declarer must take the remaining tricks. He led the 7 of spades. Mr. Work played the 8; Mr. Leibenderfer discarded the 6 of diamonds; dummy played the 6 of spades.

Mr. Work then led the ace of spades; Mr. Leibenderfer discarded the 7 of diamonds; and Mr. Smith played the queen of spades.

Mr. Work then led his good 8 of clubs; Mr. Leibenderfer discarded the 8 of diamonds; dummy the queen of diamonds; Mr. Smith the 10 of diamonds.

Mr. Work led his 9 of diamonds for the final trick, on which Mr. Leibenderfer played the jack of diamonds; dummy the ace; and Mr. Smith the king.

Mr. Work therefore lost but three tricks. He scored 72 points in the trick score for four spades doubled, and in the honor score 50 points for making his contract and 30 for his three honors.

INTERSECTIONAL GRID GAME ON W-G-N TOMORROW

A feast of football and music is promised to radio listeners by W-G-N, THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE station on the Drake hotel, for tomorrow, in honor of the extra holiday. Broadcasting will start at 12:40 o'clock with the presentation of the luncheon concert by the Drake Concert ensemble and the Blackstone String quintet and music and other features will continue until 11 in the evening.

The famous Tournament of Roses football game, to be played in Los Angeles, provides the sports entertainment for listeners. W-G-N will bring the game to the nation's receiving sets in company with a country-wide chain of stations which are also broadcasting the game. The clash brings together two of the country's championship elevens, Leland Stanford, representing the coast, and Pittsburgh, the east. Graham McNamee, eastern announcer, will be at the microphone.

Another spectacular program of holiday music is promised for the afternoon by Aladdin, the impresario of the Arabian Nights' Entertainment. Henry Selinger and his novelty orchestra will be heard in a seventy-five minute program between 2:30 and 3:45 o'clock. Among the selections to be heard will be music from Victor Herbert's ever popular, "The Fortune Teller." A feature of the program will be the playing of Borodine's "On the Steppes of Central Asia," a selection in which the composer has truly caught the meaning of the vast arid stretches of the eastern plains.

Brilliant programs will also come from New York for broadcasting by W-G-N between 7:30 and 9:30 o'clock. The Gypsies, heard during the first hour, are dedicating their first new year's program to the state of Delaware and "The Bells of St. Mary's," the favorite selection of Gov. Robinson of Delaware, will be heard. Other numbers include a selection from Gershwin's "Oh Kay," and "Naila," by Delibes. The Family Party, on the air between 8:30 and 9:30 o'clock, will feature more orchestra music and other novelties.

Other musical features of Monday night include the weekly appearance by the Phantom Violin, the Music Box and a rousing popular show by Art Smith and the Hoodlums on WLIB between 11 and 12:30 o'clock

BISHOP HUGHES TALKS TONIGHT AT SUNDAY CLUB

The Chicago Sunday Evening club's New Year's message will be given this year by Bishop Edwin H. Hughes of the Methodist Episcopal church, and broadcast from Orchestra hall by WMAQ together with a musical program consisting of favorite anthems appropriate for this season of the year.

"Ring Out Wild Bells," and "The New Year" are among the selections which the choir of 100 will sing. Doris Doe, New York, contralto, will be guest artist. Miss Doe will sing with the choir, and will also give the solo, "God Is Our Refuge," by MacDermid.

Stanley Martin, organist, will play Handel's "Suite from Water Music" during the recital beginning at 7:40.

RADIO PROGRAMS FOR TODAY

Sunday, Jan. 1, 1928. *Central Standard Time.*

A SPORTS review—a radio moving picture—with flashbacks to the most thrilling sports events of the year will be the New Year's day headliner from W-G-N, THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE station on the Drake hotel. It will go on the air between 3 and 5 o'clock today. Quin Ryan, W-G-N's famous sports announcer, will revive all the thrills attendant on the Kentucky Derby, the Indianapolis auto race, the Dempsey-Tunney fight in Chicago, big league baseball, and one of the year's best football games. And to while away the moments between these athletic dramas, there'll be band music by a brass band.

Mary Lewis, famed soprano of the Metropolitan Opera company, will be the star of a model radio program to be presented tonight on W-G-N during the Atwater Kent hour of music, 8:15 to 9:15 o'clock. She will be assisted by a male chorus of sixteen voices and an orchestra. The program is designed to meet the tastes of thousands of radio listeners as expressed in a census taken recently, one out of five signifying a liking for fine music with a 44 per cent preference for male quartets. The double octet is to sing the Pilgrim's chorus from "Tannhauser," "A Winter Song," and other selections.

Compositions by the Swedish composer, Grieg, will be featured in "Our Music Room," to be heard from W-G-N between 8:15 and 9:15 o'clock tonight. Instrumental selections from Grieg's works include the incidental music to "Peer Gynt," his "Lyric Pieces," and "A Wedding Day in Tolhaugen." These will be offered by the Drake concert ensemble under the direction of Henry Selinger. Leon Benditzky is to play the first movement of the composer's "Concerto in A." There will also be a group of Grieg's songs by Edwin Kemp, tenor.

Tommy Coates, the popular young baritone of W-G-N, will be heard in a twenty minute group of songs tonight between 10:40 and 11 o'clock.

Those popular Italian boys, Lawrence and Frank Salerno, will be heard in another of their programs of songs and accordion melodies between 5 and 5:50 o'clock this afternoon on W-G-N. Old Italian folk songs, modern Italian ballads, and a group of popular tunes and accordion solos make up their afternoon's broadcast. The W-G-N studio ensemble is on the same program.

Between 7:30 and 8 o'clock tonight, W-G-N will present a half hour of harmony singing by Correll and Gosden. Eight o'clock will see Auld Sandy, the station's likalble Scotch character, beginning his program of Scotch songs and stories.

DETAILS OF TODAY'S W-G-N PROGRAM.
[416.4 Meters—720 Kilocycles.]

12 to 1 p. m.—Uncle Quin reads The Tribune comics to the children.
1 to 3 p. m.—Studio program.
3 to 5 p. m.—1927 sports review by Quin Ryan.
5 to 5:50 p. m.—The Salernos, assisted by the W-G-N ensemble.
6 to 6:10 p. m.—The Million Sing.
6:20 to 6:50 p. m.—Uncle Quin's Punch and Judy.
6:50 to 7:30 p. m.—Old-Fashioned Almanack and Bible reading; incidental music by the Drake concert ensemble and Blackstone string quintet.
7:30 to 8 p. m.—Correll and Gosden.
8 to 8:15 p. m.—Auld Sandy.
8:15 to 9:15 p. m.—Program from New York.
9:15 to 10 p. m.—Our Music Room.
10 to 10:10 p. m.—Tomorrow's Tribune.
10:10 to 10:40 p. m.—The Music Box.
10:40 to 11 p. m.—Songs by Tommy Coates, baritone.

WLIB PROGRAM

The laughable days of the nickelodeons, with their blood 'n' thunder "mellerdramas" and the "can can" piano, will be brought back to radio listeners tonight on WLIB, the Liberty Weekly station on the Drake hotel, during the jazz jamboree which starts at 11 o'clock. Listeners will hear the announcer reading the movies subtitles, while the piano bangs out gunshots, the war whoops of the attacking redskins, and the cowboy's romance when "came the dawn." Other features of the evening include snappy dance tunes by a studio orchestra, songs and instrumental solos.

LOCAL PROGRAMS

6:30 a. m.—WMAQ [448]. Y. M. C. A. exercises. 7:30—Morning worship. 8—Music.
7:30—WJJD [365]. Catholic and Protestant Protestant services.
10—WMAQ [448]. Organ recital from People's church.
10:30—WGES [242]. Services of Austin Methodist Episcopal church, James L. Gardiner.
10:30—WEBH [365]. Church services. Seventh Church of Christ, Scientist.
10:45—WMAQ [448]. Services from People's church of Chicago; the Rev. Preston Bradley, pastor.
10:45—KYW [526]. Central church services, Orchestra hall; Frederick F. Shannon, minister; music under direction of Dr. Daniel Protheroe. Christmas program.
11:30—WGES [242]. Rich mass from Our Lady of Sorrows church.
12:15—WLS [345]. Concert: WLS players.
1:30—Cross Roads Sunday school.
12:30—WMAQ [448]. Musical program; vocal.
1 p. m.—KYW [526]. Chain program from New York. 2—Concert. 4:30—Radio vesper services.
2—WMAQ [448]. Columbia chain program.
4—Sextet; vocal.
2:15—WGES [242]. Theater program. 3—Request program.
6—WLS [345]. Little Brown Church in the Vale.
7—WMAQ [448]. Chicago Sunday Evening club. Informal Bible talk, "Tales of Friendship," by Clifford W. Barnes. Soloist, Mark Love. 8—Address, "Words," by Bishop Edwin H. Hughes, Methodist Episcopal church. Chicago. Choir of 100. Guest artist, Doris Doe, New York.
7:15—KYW [526]. Chain program from New York. 8:17—20 minutes of good reading. 9:15—New York program.
7:30—WGES [242]. Music. 8:15—Travel talk.
9—WGES [242]. Feature; studio program.
9:15—WMAQ [448]. Columbia chain program. 10—Program.
11:30—WGES [242]. Orchestra. Studio program.

W-G-N QUIZ BOX

Here are the answers to three questions broadcast last night over W-G-N, The Tribune radio station. Three questions are asked and answered in the following morning's Tribune:

What is the capital of Russia and what was it called before the European war? Answer—Petrograd, formerly called St. Petersburg.

Where is Trafalgar square? Answer—In London.

In what state does the poinsetta grow abundantly? Answer—California.

JOE COOK, ONE MAN VAUDEVILLE, ON W-G-N TUESDAY

With Joe Cook as its principal attraction and virtual master of ceremonies, the atmosphere of pink lemonade and flying rings, of sawdust arenas and tumbling clowns will hover about the major portion of the program to be broadcast Tuesday evening from W-G-N, THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE station on the Drake hotel at 8 o'clock. A circus episode written especially for the entertainment will offer Cook, who is known as "the one man vaudeville show," plenty of latitude for his expansive comic sense.

Joe will offer, among other numbers, an explanation of why he cannot imitate four Hawaiians, his famous "baseball story," and a rendition of that celebrated folk song, "Frankie and Johnny," as rewritten by himself and "Bugs" Baer.

In addition to the foregoing, and just to show that he can present as diversified a program on the air as on the stage, Joe plans to take his radio audience into his confidence regarding a secret radio set, with television attachments, that he has invented. In Broadway parlance, this set, or at any rate Joe's explanation of it, is said to be a "wow."

CHURCH NEWS

Pulpits Send Out New Year's Message

By The Rev. W. B. Norton.

GOOD morning, January first, 1928! Christmas is not only a holiday but the long period preceding Christmas is full of preparation, anticipation, and the spirit of giving and entertainment. January first brings the churches face to face with the future. January is the month for board meetings, educational conventions, teacher training in the Sunday school, and all kinds of serious programs. Read the religious editorial in today's issue by Dr. John A. Earl, editor of The Baptist, and after you have studied his one fundamental resolve make resolves of your own.

This evening at the Sunday Evening club at Orchestra hall Bishop Edwin H. Hughes of the Chicago area of the Methodist Episcopal church will give a New Year's message. From the pulpits of all the churches pastors will be giving messages like the one announced by the Rev. James O'May of the Sheridan Road Methodist Episcopal church, "Facing the East."

A Happy New Year to all readers of THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE!

A college in the loop under the joint auspices of University college and the Chicago Council of Religious Education, a department of the Chicago Church federation, will be held, the first course beginning tomorrow evening at University college, 116 South Michigan boulevard. The teacher will be Prof. Norman E. Richardson of Northwestern university and the subject will be, "How to Understand Youth." The course continues twelve weeks, Mondays and Thursdays, from 7 to 9 p. m.

The next course will be taught by Prof. Ernest J. Chave of the University of Chicago, and the subject will be "How to Organize Religious Education." It will begin next Saturday, 11 a. m. to 1 p. m., and will continue Saturdays for twenty-four weeks. One major college credit will be given for each course.

A third course taught by Prof. W. C. Bower of the University of Chicago will have for its subject, "How to Teach Religion" and will begin April 2, continuing for twelve weeks.

There will be eleven leadership training schools at the following centers: Englewood, Morgan Park, South Chicago, Oak Park, Chicago Lawn, Cicero, Irving Park, Wilmette, Evanston, Edgewater and West Central district. For cost, leaders of the centers and other details consult the Chicago Council of Religious Education, 77 West Washington street, telephone Central 0681.

Dr. Robert Clements, pastor of the Austin Presbyterian church, who has just led in a $25,000 improvement on the church building, has been elected associate superintendent of the Chicago church extension board. A reorganization of the board was made necessary by the leaving of Dr. W. Clyde Smith, who has gone to San Francisco to assume the duties of extension secretary there. Dr. Clements has not accepted his new election and said he could not without further considering the question. If he accepts he will become associate superintendent with Dr. Henry Seymour Brown.

Dr. Roy E. Vale, who has been ill for many months, has been granted an extension of absence from the pulpit of the First Presbyterian church, Oak Park, until April 1. He has so far recovered that he had decided to renew his pastoral duties today, but the church thought it wiser for him to remain in Florida, where he now is, during the winter months.

A lecture will be broadcast by Prof. Harris F. Rall of Garrett Biblical institute, Evanston, tomorrow at 1 o'clock by station WCFL from Grace Methodist Episcopal church, Chicago. The subject will be "Christian Unity and the Early Church." The institute, which has an enrollment of more than 400 students, has voted to raise the standard of work required for the granting of the bachelor of divinity degree by discontinuing the present system, generally followed by seminaries, of accepting toward the divinity degree any undergraduate work in theological or semi-theological subjects done in college. This move is pioneer work among the seminaries of the Methodist Episcopal church.

The new arrangement will make the time required for graduation from college and seminary a little longer, but permits of more thorough training. Another advance step is that every student must take a general examination at the end of his three years' course.

Bishop Edwin H. Hughes of the Chicago area of the Methodist Episcopal church will give the New Year's message at 8 o'clock this evening at the Sunday Evening club at Orchestra hall. President Clifford W. Barnes will speak at 7. Doris Doe, New York City, will be the guest soloist with the choir of 100.

The national educational program of the Anti-Saloon league will be launched throughout the United States on Sunday and Monday, Jan. 15 and 16. Sermons by pastors will explain the American creed on prohibition and on Monday, the eighth anniversary of the passing of the eighteenth amendment, the subject will be, "Christian and American Foundation of the Eighteenth Amendment and Responsibility of the Christian Church and American Citizens for Its Maintenance and Enforcement."

The Rt. Rev. Seldon M. Griswold, suffragan bishop of the Chicago Episcopal diocese, recently recovered from a long illness, will be honored next Sunday on the occasion of the twenty-fifth anniversary of his consecration. The date is also the 67th anniversary of his birth, and the 11th anniversary of his installation as suffragan bishop of Chicago.

He will be the guest at St. Mark's church, Evanston, in the morning and at 4:30 p. m. lay readers of Chicago will conduct a celebration at the Church of the Messiah, 82d street and Dante avenue. On Monday morning, Jan. 9, there will be a gathering at St. Mark's church, Evanston, at 11 o'clock, followed by a luncheon in Bishop Griswold's honor.

The Rev. William A. Sunday, D. D., better known as Billy Sunday, the evangelist, will begin today a series of meetings for six days at the Methodist Episcopal church, 34th street, west of Oak Park avenue, Berwyn, Ill. Dr. Sunday will preach today at 10:45 a. m., 2:30 p. m., and 8 p. m.; tomorrow until Friday night he will speak daily at 2 p. m. and 8 p. m.

While the meetings are held in the Methodist church, all the churches of Berwyn have promised to coöperate and the church has arranged for an audience of 2,000 people. From Berwyn Billy Sunday will go to St. Louis, where he will begin next week an extensive revival campaign.

Special revival services to continue every evening except Saturday will begin today at the Immanuel Baptist church, 23d street and South Michigan avenue. The pastor, the Rev. Robert V. Meigs, will preach and conduct the services, assisted by various committees, composed of the deacons, other church officers and the young people's society.

The regular choir committee will have charge of the music. This is the first special revival campaign conducted by the church since the one led by the girl evangelist, Uldine Utley, last March.

SERMONS AND SERVICES IN CHICAGO CHURCHES TODAY



THE VERY REV. JAMES W. DONAHUE, C. S. C.
[McDonald Studio Photo.]

The feast day of the Holy Name will be observed this evening at 8 o'clock at Holy Name Cathedral, North State and East Superior streets. It is the most important day on the calendar of the Holy Name society of the archdiocese union of Chicago. It has come to be known as Holy Name day.

The special speaker on this occasion is the Very Rev. James W. Donahue, C. S. C., superior general of the Congregation of Holy Cross, Notre Dame, Ind. His eminence Cardinal Mundelein will be present and it is expected he will make a brief address to the members of the society. The Rt. Rev. E. F. Hoban, D. D., is the general spiritual director of the society and will be in general charge.

Father Donahue was born in St. Columbkille's parish, Chicago, the same parish in which Bishop Hoban was born. As superior general of the Congregation of Holy Cross, his jurisdiction extends over all the works of the congregation, which now has establishments in the United States, France, Italy, India, and Canada. The University of Notre Dame, which is the mother house, is the best known establishment in the United States.

NOTICE.

Announcements for this column must reach THE TRIBUNE by Thursday morning. Address Religious Editor, THE TRIBUNE, Chicago.

ADVENT CHRISTIAN.

Blessed Hope, Grenshaw-st. and Karlov-av. The Rev. A. F. Bloom. 11 a. m.: "The Days That Are Past." 7:30 p. m.: Miss Hannah Stocks.

ADVENTIST.

First German, Roscoe-st. and Claremont-av. Pastor Patzouski. 8 p. m.: "New Year Resolutions."
Greek, 619 S. Ashland-blvd. Pastor N. S. Pappas. 8 p. m.: "Destiny of Man."
Shiloh, St. Lawrence-av. at 46th-st. Pastor G. Peters. 8 p. m.: [colored].
West Central, Waller-av. and Midway-pk. Pastor A. D. Bohn. 8 p. m.: "In One Hundred Forty-Four Thousand of Revelation."

AMERICAN CATHOLIC.

St. Cecelia's Oratory, Garrick hall, 64 W. Randolph-st. Mass and sermon. 10:30 a. m.
St. Joseph's, 2219 N. Mansfield-av. Mass, 10:30 a. m.
St. Mary of Nazareth, 4417 N. Mulligan-av. Mass, 10:30 a. m.

BAPTIST.

Belden Avenue, 2309 N. Halsted-st. The Rev. J. W. Hoyt. 11 a. m.: "A New Year's Message—the Responsibility of Leadership." 7:45 p. m., "How to Make a Success in 1928."
First, 935 E. 50th-st. The Rev. Perry J. Stackhouse. 11 a. m.: "Christ in the Common Things of Life." 8 p. m.: "A New Year's Sermon."
Garfield Park, 4100 Jackson-blvd. The Rev. E. A. Shulls 11 a. m.: "The Question of Bookkeeping." 7:45 p. m.: "What the New Year Should Mean for Us."
Hyde Park, 5600 Woodlawn-av. The Rev. Charles W. Gilkey. 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.
Immanuel, 2320 S. Michigan-av. The Rev. Johnston Myers. 11 a. m., The Rev. Robert Van Meigs. "The New Year's Work." 7:45 p. m.: "Eternal Reasons for a Revival."
Irving Park, 4401 Irving Park-blvd. The Rev. G. C. Crippen. 11 a. m.
Judson, Austin-blvd. and Potomac-av. The Rev. Joseph Croft Dent. 11 a. m.: "A New Year's Motto." 7:45 p. m.: "How to Be Successful."
Lorimer Memorial, 73d-st. and St. Lawrence-av. The Rev. Charles B. Althoff. 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.: "The Sovereign Cure for Worry." Dr. A. E. E. Wyant].
North Shore, Berwyn-av. at Lakewood. The Rev. H. W. Virgin. 11 a. m.: "I Am Resolved." 8 p. m.: "Has Protestantism Failed?"
Normal Park, 70th-st. and Stewart-av. The Rev. M. M. McGorrill. 11 a. m.: "Practical Suggestions for the New Year."
Second, Jackson-blvd. at Lincoln-st. The Rev. Ralph A. Jensen. 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.: "Thinking One's Way."
Tabernacle, Monroe and Spaulding. The Rev. S. J. Reid. 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.
Temple Hamilton, Hamilton-blvd. The Rev. Henry G. Smith. 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.
Western Avenue, Western and Warren-avs. The Rev. Alfred C. Drummond. 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.
Woodlawn, 62d-st. and University-av. The Rev. M. P. Boynton. 10:30 a. m.: "The Last Days." 7:30 p. m.: "The New Way."

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.

Subject in all churches: "God."
First, 4017 Drexel-blvd, 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.
Second, Wrightwood-av. at Pine Grove. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.
Third, Washington-blvd. and Leavitt-st. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.
Fourth, Harvard-st. and Marquette-rd. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.
Fifth, 4840 Dorchester-av. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.
Sixth, 11321 Prairie-av. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.
Seventh, 5318 Kenmore-av. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.
Eighth, 4359 S. Michigan-av. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.
Ninth, 6154 Woodlawn-av. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.
Tenth, 5640 Blackstone-av. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.
Eleventh, 2840 Logan-blvd. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.
Twelfth, 635 Grace-st. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.
Thirteenth, 10317 Longwood-dr. 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.
Fourteenth, Sunnyside-av. and Paulina-st. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.
Fifteenth, 301 N. Central-av., Austin. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.
Sixteenth, 7201 N. Ashland-av. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.
Seventeenth, the Masonic Hall temple, 32 W. Randolph-st. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.
Eighteenth, corner E. 73d-st. and Coles-av. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

CONGREGATIONAL.

Argyle Community, 5018 Kenmore-av. The Rev. J. S. Ainslie. 11 a. m.: "Another Year. What Shall It Be?"
First, Oak Park. The Rev. Albert W. Palmer. 10:45 a. m.: "Ideals for the New Year." 2:30 p. m.: Apollo Musical club. "The Messiah."
First, East Chicago, Ind. The Rev. Walter H. Moore. 10:45 a. m.: The Rev. John X. Miller, Pasumali school, India.
Irving Park Immanuel, Berteau-av. at N. Troy-st. The Rev. Clarence B. Gould. 11 a. m.: "The Price of a Happy New Year." 8 p. m.: "Religion and Music."
New England, 869 N. Dearborn-st. The Rev. John Rushton Heyworth. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.
New First, Washington and Ashland-blvds. The Rev. Walter Amos Morgan. 10:30 a. m.: "Christianity and Great Vocations; Law and Human Life." 7:30 p. m.: Pageant.
South Drexel-blvd. at 40th-st. The Rev. W. F. Slade. 10:45 a. m.: "A Beautiful Life," and 7:30 p. m.: "Pressing Onward."
Warren Avenue, Warren and Albany-avs. The Rev. W. H. North. 10:45 a. m.: "A New Year's Affirmation."
Wellington Avenue, Wellington-av. near Broadway. The Rev. George S. Mills. 11 a. m.: "Holding Fast."

DISCIPLES OF CHRIST.

Evanston, Maple-av. and Greenleaf-st. The Rev. Clark W. Cummings. 11 a. m.: "Christ the Finality." and 7:30 p. m.
Irving Park, Kildare-av. at Cullom. The Rev. Robert C. Lemon. 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
Jackson Boulevard, 2421 W. Jackson-blvd. The Rev. Charles R. Oakley. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.
North Shore, Magnolia at Ainslie. The Rev. C. W. Longman. 11 a. m.: "Christian Resolutions."
Ravenswood, Greenview-av. at Sunnyside. The Rev. D. A. Wickizer. 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.
University, 5655 University-av. The Rev. Edward Scribner Ames. 11 a. m.: "This New Year."

EPISCOPAL.

All Saints, Wilson and Hermitage-avs. The Rev. Floyd F. Bernard. 7:30, 9:30, and 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
Atonement, 5749 Kenmore-av. The Rev. Alfred Newterry. 7:30, 8:30 and 10:30 a. m.
Advent, 2900 Logan-blvd. The Rev. Gerald G. Moore. 7:30 and 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.
Calvary, 3160 Monroe-st. The Rev. H. R. Neely. 7:30, 9:30, and 11 a. m. and 4:30 p. m.: "Near East Relief."
Cathedral Shelter, Washington-blvd. and Peoria-st. The Rev. David E. Gibson. Masses at 7:30, and 11 a. m.
Christ, 6300 Woodlawn. The Rev. Francis Nitchie. 6:30, 7:30 and 11 a. m., and 7:45 p. m.
Church of the Ascension, 1133 N. La Salle-st. The Rev. William B. Stoskopf. Masses 8, 9:15, and 11 a. m. Evensong and benediction, 7:30 p. m.
Church of the Epiphany, Ashland-blvd., at Adams-st. The Rev. John F. Plummer. 7:30, 9:45, and 11 a. m.
Church of the Holy Apostles, Leland

PART 3 | REAL ESTATE HOME BUILDERS

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THE WORLD'S GREATEST NEWSPAPER

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PART 3 | REAL ESTATE HOME BUILDERS

Busy Year Predicted for Uncle Sam, the Builder, During '28

HUGE PRODUCE CENTER SLATED FOR SOUTH SIDE

To Occupy 10 Acres; Cost $5,000,000.

BY PHILIP HAMPSON.

Provided our country's farmers keep on the job, Father Dearborn's south side offspring need never take up the popular old army refrain, "When do we eat?" For there were announced yesterday plans for a $5,000,000 south central wholesale produce market which for many years to come should be able to keep south siders' pantries stocked with fresh foods.



FRANK J. O'BRIEN.

This market is to occupy ten acres of ground extending three blocks along the south side of 89th street between State street and Indiana avenue. It will be bounded on the south by 89th place.

Here's the idea. The market will consist of two long one story buildings facing on 89th street and 89th place. Each will be divided into 46 stalls, with a total of 92 for 92 merchants. These merchants will receive their foodstuffs —vegetables, fruits, chickens, ducks, geese, butter, eggs, and so on—direct by rail from the farmers, and they in turn will wholesale to the south side retailers. The method of operation will be similar to that of the South Water street and other markets.

Will Be Vermin Proof.

William L. Hoffman is architect for the project. The buildings are to be of steel and concrete, with fireproof and vermin proof materials used throughout. The entire outside is to be of white enamel brick, with green enamel brick courses employed to bring forth a bit of color. According to promoters of the project, all the buildings are to be kept spotless and if a speck of dirt shows itself doubtless the entire police and fire departments will be called out to chase it.

Each stall is to have its own refrigerator room and will be equipped with labor saving devices that will enable one man to handle from two to four carloads of produce a day. Foundations will be laid to carry an additional story if the occupant of any stall requires additional space.

Speed Is Emphasized.

A study has been made of the leading produce markets of the country and the new development has been designed so as to permit merchants to shop around amongst the various wholesalers with as little delay as possible. Each stall will have a minimum storage capacity of ten cars and they are arranged to permit retailers to load and get away quickly. There will be a private street 75 feet wide between the two buildings. Service platforms along the buildings will be protected by a currugated asbestos and cement tile canopy which will allow full delivery during inclement weather. It is said merchants will be able to get to and back from the market in an hour and a half.

The market is based on a nine mile radius, with its territory going as far north as 39th street and including such suburbs as Gary, Hammond, etc. It will serve some 2,000,000 consumers. The Hammond junction yard of the Chicago Belt Line railway, with a capacity of 1,500 cars daily, is adjacent and it will be connected with the market by switch tracks.

It is also planned to include in the project a separate bank building at the corner of State and 89th, which structure will also contain club rooms and offices, and a 200 truck garage at Indiana and 89th.

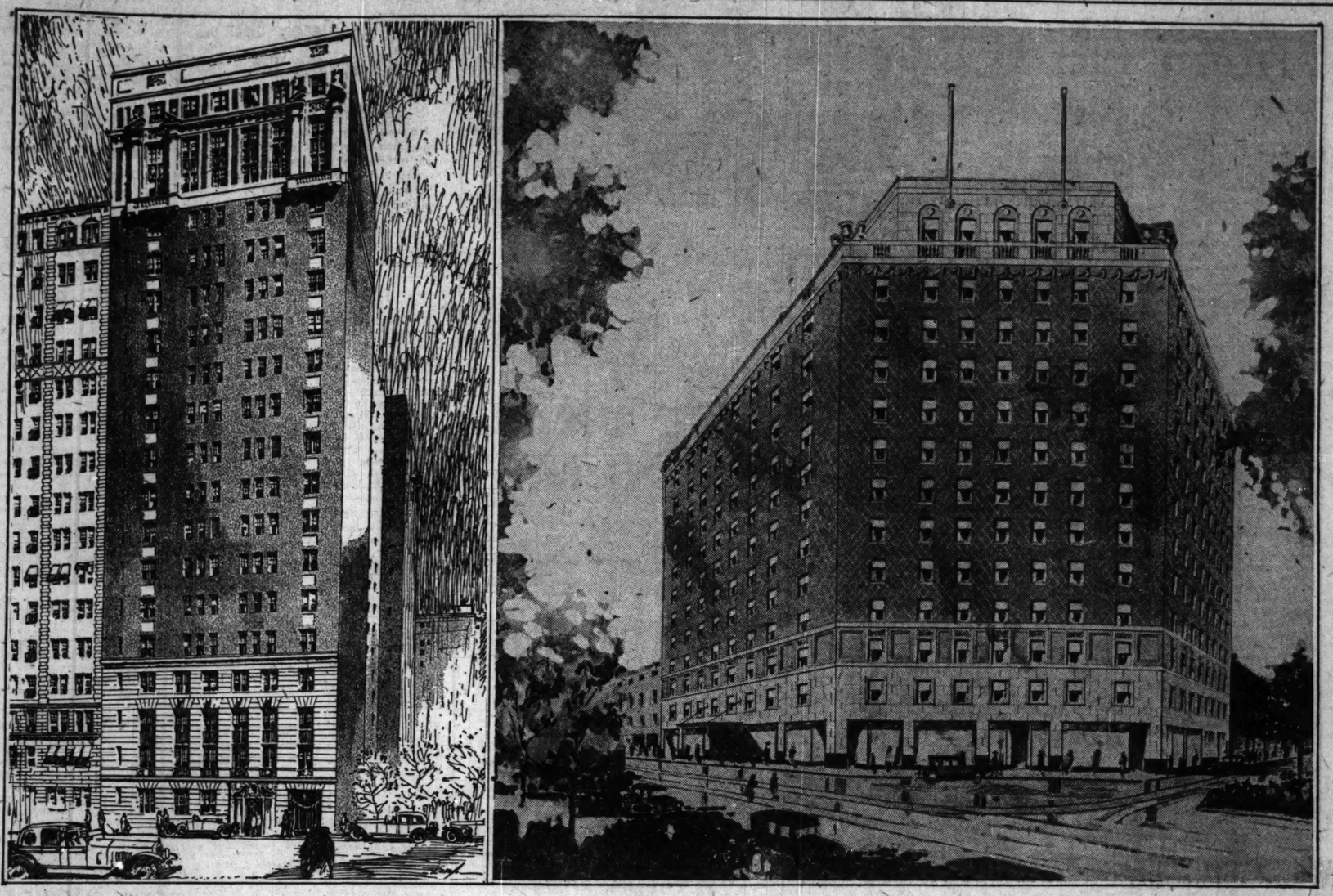
To Be Sold Like "Co-ops."

The stalls are to be sold on a co-operative basis. Frank J. O'Brien, vice president of McKey & Poague, is to have charge of their sale and has organized a special department under the charge of Harry Hoffman. The method of sale will be similar to that employed in the sale of cooperative apartments.

Details of financing are to be announced later. Work is scheduled to start shortly. It is stated the investment in land, buildings and equipment will total $5,000,000.

Frank H. T. Potter is handling all the legal details for the South Central Realty and Development company. Chandler & Montague represented the owners of the site, the Healy White Realty Trust. McKey & Poague, Inc., are exclusive sales agents.

TWO GOOD SIZED NORTH SIDE PROJECTS OF THE WEEK



On the left is the nineteen story cooperative apartment building to be erected at 222 East Chestnut street, just east of and adjoining the Seneca hotel, by the Chestnut Street Building corporation, from plans by Riesman & Hirschfeld, as told in The Tribune of Dec. 16. Charles Kemp made the sketch shown. H. O. Stone & Co. have underwritten an $800,000 bond issue. Work is to start this week. There'll be thirty-six suites of six and seven rooms.

The building on your right is the new Lincoln hotel, work on which has started at the intersection of Clark street, Lincoln avenue, and Wells street. The hotel will face north, so that in the picture above Clark street is on your left and Wells on your right. Loewenberg & Loewenberg are the architects. The total cost of land, building, and furnishings is placed at over a million dollars. The hotel will have 300 rooms.

CONSTRUCTION IN CHICAGO AREA MAY BEAT 1927

Forum Predictions Are Cheerful.

BY AL CHASE.
[Real Estate Editor.]

Uncle Sam, the builder, is not going to slow up any in his wielding of hammer, saw and other tools he's been using at high speed throughout the nation for several years, according to a prediction just made in the annual building forecast of the Architectural Forum. Instead, the old gentleman's activity during the year 1928 is expected to be approximately equal to that of 1927 and in addition it is predicted that over the next few years there'll be no general collapse of the situation but rather a gradual return to a new normal much higher than that established in any previous decade.

Of course, in various geographical districts of the country there are changes indicated. In some districts there is to be more building and in others less. The Chicago area, in fact the entire middle states district, promises continued building activity perhaps surpassing that of the year 1927.

More Apartment Hotels.

The notable changes in public demand for the Chicago area, according to the forecast, includes a doubling of the demand for apartment hotels and a falling off in the requirements for churches, industrial, office buildings and theaters.

There is evidently to be more construction of public buildings and of hospitals, apartment and automotive buildings. In the residential field of this district still greater construction activity is indicated.

"In attempting to establish this forecast of building activity for the year 1928, we face an unusual and paradoxical condition," says C. Stanley Taylor of the Architectural Forum. "On one hand we hear many casually or even thoughtfully expressed opinions indicating that there will be less building activity in 1928 than in several past years.

Get Data from Architects.

"On the other hand, the Forum's, survey, on which this forecast is based, has been carried out in exactly the same manner used for the last seven years. Here we have actual evidence of work on architects' boards, or seriously contemplated for the year 1928, a volume of work which is testified to by 1,793 individual confidential reports from architects.

"These reports indicate that building will continue in 1928 at least in the same volume if not reaching even greater totals than 1927.

"If we seek further to analyze the apparently paradoxical situation (wherein many are predicting a sharp falling off of building in 1928, although most forecasts are to the contrary), we seem to discover controlling factors of an unusual nature, which, after all, may offer a simple explanation.

"It is to be noted that those who are making casual predictions anticipating a considerable decrease in the building volume are located in larger centers where there is perhaps an overbuilt situation which colors opinions.

Real Prosperity—Not a Boom.

"Probably, too, the idea of decreased activity in the building fields is a natural reaction of the human mind which refuses to believe that good conditions can last so long. This conjecture is substantiated by the fact that most of those who are pessimistic about building activity are also pessimistic about national prosperity. Of course, if general business conditions become adversely affected and the confidence of the public is shaken, building activity will be materially influenced.

"With these thoughts in mind, is it not reasonable to believe that there may be a basic explanation for the evident paradox of contrary opinions as to building activity? Perhaps we have not been passing through a real boom—perhaps the continued building activity which has been carrying on in increasing volume since 1922, is primarily based on greatly increased building requirements coupled with prosperous conditions which have provided the means for this great investment.

Living Standards Higher.

"After all, the population of this country during the last ten years has increased by many millions, for which shelter of all kinds must be provided.

"The fire losses grow greater each year in spite of efforts to curb them. Naturally, replacements to meet fire losses must grow larger as the requirements become greater.

"We also have to consider seriously the greatly increased standards of living. The average family requires better shelter with a greater degree of attractiveness, comfort, and utility. Similarly in business buildings of all kinds, builders must meet a demand which has grown amazingly in respect to the factors of equality and efficiency.

Predicts New and Higher Normal.

"We predict, therefore, that the building activity of the year 1928 will approximately equal that of 1927 and that over the next few years there will be no general collapse of the situation but rather a gradual return to a new normal much higher than that established in any previous decade."

The forecast points out that construction activity during 1927 continued at a pace almost equal to that of the record breaking year of 1926. Including engineering projects and construction in the rural districts, it is evident that the total annual build-

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Urges O. O. of Loop Buildings Twice Yearly

Calling attention to the fact that loop pedestrians recently have had narrow escapes from falling pieces of building material, loosened by weather conditions, Leon E. Stanhope, president of the Illinois Society of Architects, urges at least two annual inspections made of loop buildings by the property owners. These should be done by a skilled inspector under the direction of the architect of the building, he suggests.



LEON E. STANHOPE.
[Moffett Photo.]

"In a recent issue of THE TRIBUNE," writes Mr. Stanhope, "I noted the following: 'Several persons on their way home from motion picture theaters in the vicinity had narrow escapes last night when a piece of ornamental stone work, weighing about 100 pounds, fell from above a window on the eighteenth floor of the Union Trust Company building, Madison and Dearborn streets, to the sidewalk. Several men were walking on the sidewalk at the time but none was hurt.

Blames Climate.

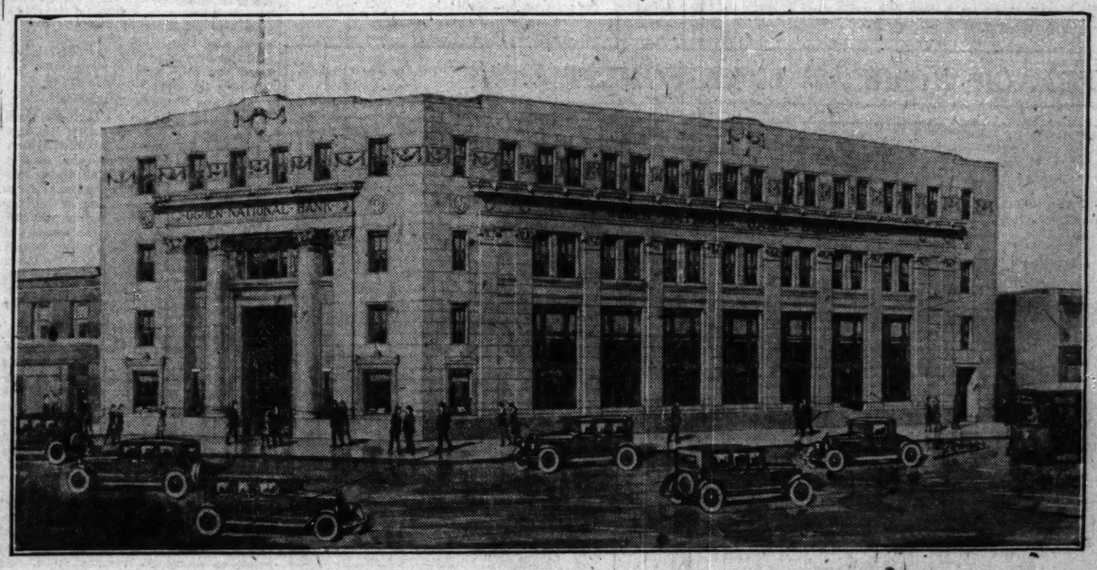
"This falling stone is not a rare occurrence in the loop district. In a climate similar to ours, where we have great extremes in temperature as well as in dry and moist conditions, this alternate freezing and thawing, becoming wet and then again drying out of the joints between the individual places, causing projecting moldings and members, whether of brick, stone, terra cotta, and even cast iron, to loosen and, unless checked by wedging, anchoring, and repointing, to finally fall away from the building.

"I cannot urge too strongly upon the owners of property to have at least two annual inspections made of all cornices, parapet walls and projections. These inspections should be made annually, preferable about April 1 and Oct. 1, by a skilled inspector under the direction of the architect of the building.'

Calls It Only Remedy.

"Under our municipal code, the commissioner of buildings, is intrusted with the duty of inspection of buildings annually, but it is a physical impossibility for the personnel of the department of buildings to cover an area as large as the city of Chicago with the force of inspectors allowed them, and the only remedy that can safeguard the public is the inspection of buildings semi-annually by a competent inspector employed by the owner of the building.

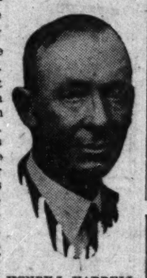
WHERE PENNIES GROW TO DOLLARS



Above is the new home which the Ogden National bank will erect at the southeast corner of Ogden and Crawford avenues. K. M. Vitzthum & Co. designed the structure. Work is to start this month, and the building is to represent an investment of $225,000, it is stated.

HENRY HARRELL HEADS DU PAGE CO. REALTORS

Henry L. Harrell, of Harrell & Allmart, Wheaton and Glen Ellyn realtors, was elected president of the Du Page County Real Estate board at its annual meeting at the Dutch grill in Glen Ellyn on Wednesday. B. C. Downs was named first vice president. Other vice presidents are: Otto Balgemann of Elmhurst, O. J. Roath of Lombard, John J. Wozencraft of Glen Ellyn, Alfred C. Hoy of Wheaton, Monroe Crist of Naperville, William Blodgett of Downers Grove, and George Beaton of Hinsdale. Howard P. Jones of Downers Grove was reelected secretary and treasurer.



HENRY L. HARRELL.

The Du Page County Real Estate Board is composed of realtors living in the principal communities in the county.

Ogden National Bank Will Erect a $225,000 Building

The Ogden National bank announces that it will build a new home at the southeast corner of Ogden and Crawford avenues, and leave its present quarters at 3716-18 Ogden, where it has been since its organization in 1912.

K. M. Vitzthum & Co. have drawn the plans for the new structure which is to be of the architecture favored by bankers, namely, classic. The building is to be three stories high and will be faced with Bedford stone on a granite base.

The banking room is to extend through two floors. It, too, will follow the decorative styles approved by bankers, so bronze and marble will be found in abundance in the room where the clinking and rustling of money provide such pleasant music. There will be mezzanine floors at the front and rear of the banking floor.

Officers of the bank like the safety deposit vault equipment in the basement of the present building so well that they will move it to their new home.

The second and third floors of the structure are to be rented out for offices, mainly to doctors and dentists.

Work is to start on the new structure some time this month. It is estimated that the cost of the building will be $225,000. The lot is 50x133 feet.

Frank Ramsford is president of the bank. Barnet L. Rosset is chairman of the board; Max Wollenberg is vice chairman, and Charles R. Corbett is vice president.

Crown Point Man Buys Building at 5618 Drexel

Cleon Burner has sold to Simon McGinley of Crown Point, Ind., the building at 5618 Drexel avenue, containing two stores and fourteen flats. The price was not disclosed, but the sale was made subject to $15,000. A farm near Crown Point was given in part payment at $43,000. Joseph C. Ficklin was broker and D. W. Murphy of McKay & Poague acted for the buyer.

FORMER HEAD OF LOOP BANK TO SELL REALTY

William M. Richards, until recently president of the Lake State bank [now the Old Dearborn State bank] has become associated with the firm of George S. Ballard & Co., realtors, in the First National bank building, and will devote his time to the sale, leasing and financing of business property. Mr. Richards has been identified with the banking business in Chicago for more than twenty-five years, having been with the American Trust and Savings bank for several years, later going to the Chicago Savings Bank and Trust company, from which institution he resigned as cashier in 1919 and organized the Lake State bank.



WILLIAM M. RICHARDS.
[National Art Bureau Photo.]

Tall Inn for Clark Facing Lincoln Park

The Lincoln is the name of a new twelve story hotel which is being erected on North Clark street across from Lincoln park. The site measures 90 feet on Clark, 81 feet on Lincoln, and 83 feet on Wells, and is at the northern extremity of the small block which is bounded on the south by Menominee.

There will be 300 rooms, each with private bath, in the new hostelry, which, it is stated, will represent an investment of $1,050,000 in land, building and furnishings.

Loewenberg & Loewenberg are the architects for the structure which will be of Georgian design. The first three stories will be of stone, while those above will be of face brick laid in English cross bond. Brick laid in this manner permits pleasing contrasts in color in the façade. Along the roof line will be a number of balusters and carved rosettes typical of Georgian architecture.

A Turkish Bath.

There will be an elaborate lobby and a lounge on the ground floor, while stories will face on the street fronts. In the basement will be found a Turkish bath establishment which will be run in conjunction with the hotel.

The structure will be surmounted by an apartment bungalow. One part of the roof will be made into an Italian garden which will be open for use by the guests of the hotel.

Street Is Changing.

It is interesting to note that the Lincoln is the third major improvement on Clark street between North avenue and Center street, completed in the last few years, of a type that is changing the appearance of that thoroughfare. The others are the Moody church, near North avenue, and the Odgen Plaza hotel at Center. The Lincoln replaces an old hotel which has just been wrecked.

Thomas Hennessey, who operates the Wacker hotel and the Norwell Apartment hotel, has leased the new structure for a term of years and will run it. The owners are the Clark-Lincoln Building corporation. Rosenberg & Lurie represented all parties in the purchase of the site, while Epstein & Feiwell were attorneys for the building corporation. Albert Pick & Co. have been given the contract for the furnishings.

Ready to Tell Realtors About North Side Market

John J. Ready Jr. of Ready & Cormack will give the first lecture of the year, Tuesday evening, Jan. 3, before the class in real estate fundamentals of the Y. M. C. A. college of commerce. He will talk on "Chicago's North Side Real Estate Market." This course is given in conjunction with the Chicago Real Estate board.

REALTORS PLAN ANNUAL DINNER SANS SPEECHES

An almost speechless banquet is the novelty promised realtors who attend the annual festivities of the Oak Park Real Estate board on Monday, Jan. 9th, at the Golden Pumpkin cafe at Madison and Hamlin. President Ted R. Leth will sing his "Swan Song" and there'll be greetings by the new president. "No other speakers" reads the announcement. There'll be special entertainment, dancing and cards after the nine course dinner, until 1:30 a. m.

According to Mrs. W. H. Wright, member of the banquet committee, national and state executives and also the entire active membership of various suburban real estate boards have been invited.

HOME BUILDERS' DEPARTMENT

HOUSE DESIGNED FOR ITS BEAUTY; STYLE IS HAZY

Nonessentials Left Out; Cost Reduced.

(A Tribune Competition house of six rooms, designed by Bernard Heatherley, architect, Hiram Sibley building, Rochester, N. Y.)

BY LOUISE BARGELT.

[Home Builders' Editor.]

In this instance, the architect, Mr. Heatherley, was reluctant to name any particular style or period to which the house conformed.



LOUISE BARGELT. (Chambers Photo.)

As Mr. Heatherly expressed it, he believed that the finest examples from the golden age of architecture are those which were designed to fill the needs of life as then lived, regardless of attempts at style. For this style, although designed for beauty in the last analysis, was evolved logically from the sources of material at hand and available labor.

However, admitting that one must own, in elevational treatment, a legacy from the past, he describes his home as English; an adaptation of the style that developed in the days of the late Tudors.

Here we find the pleasingly rendered exterior walls of cement plaster on 8 inch hollow tile. The color is dark cream, with finish a smooth sand float. Latitude of choice is suggested in the roof covering; tile, slate, or asbestos shingles in dark shades.

Steel Casement Windows.

The windows are steel casement with leaded glass. The lot may be defined by trellis, the pergola piers may be built of broken brick and tile slushed solid with cement.

From the entry one reaches an inner reception hall, with long living room and sun porch on the right and dining room with two generous window exposures on the left. Between the rear entrance and the garage there is a covered way—a big comfort—giving to the completely detached garage many of the distinct advantages of the attached garage.

The following treatment of the interior is made with a view to keeping the cost moderate.

The wall surfaces and ceilings are to be left in a perfectly plain sand float cement plaster finish so far as all the living quarters are concerned. The kitchen and bathroom, if not tiled, can have a hard, smooth plaster finish for painting.

Favoring Plain Walls.

It has been said that plain walls are the refuge of the artistically destitute. But this statement, like many similarly sweeping ones, is unguarded. It denies much of the beauty of Spain, particularly, and much early architecture wherein the value of plain walls was appreciated.

Ruskin indeed was eloquent in his plea for plain wall surfaces, and there are those who go so far as to say that an insistence upon the elaboration and patterning of all walls is a mark of the unimaginative. For plain walls admit of much variety in room treatment, furniture grouping, and window hangings.

As for the interior trim, one might indulge in colors denied to wallpapers or to other wall coverings. Unless one used a fine grade of oak, stained, one could use white wood, gumwood, or birch for painting. Blue greens, dull oranges, reds, or rich grays all would be effective, provided they were used cautiously. Even a touch of gilt is not inconceivable.

Eliminate Nonessentials.

The elimination of nonessentials might be the keynote in building this house. Cornices and ceiling ornaments are not obligatory, and the woodwork can be unmolded. In the fireplace the plaster can be brought into the jamb of the opening as far as the brick lining and the lintel can be simply a solid heavy wood beam. If circumstances permit, there might be carving on its face.

The second floor contains three well lighted rooms, together with a large bath, windows on two sides, shower, and linen closet. If preferred, the shower could be placed over the bath tub and the space indicated for the shower occupied by a linen closet with door opening on to the landing.

The basement is well planned, with complete laundry equipment, incinerator, laundry chute, hot water heater, washing machine, laundry tray, ironing machine, and drying cupboard. The architect emphasizes the possibilities of added interest by the skillful use of rain water heads and conductors.

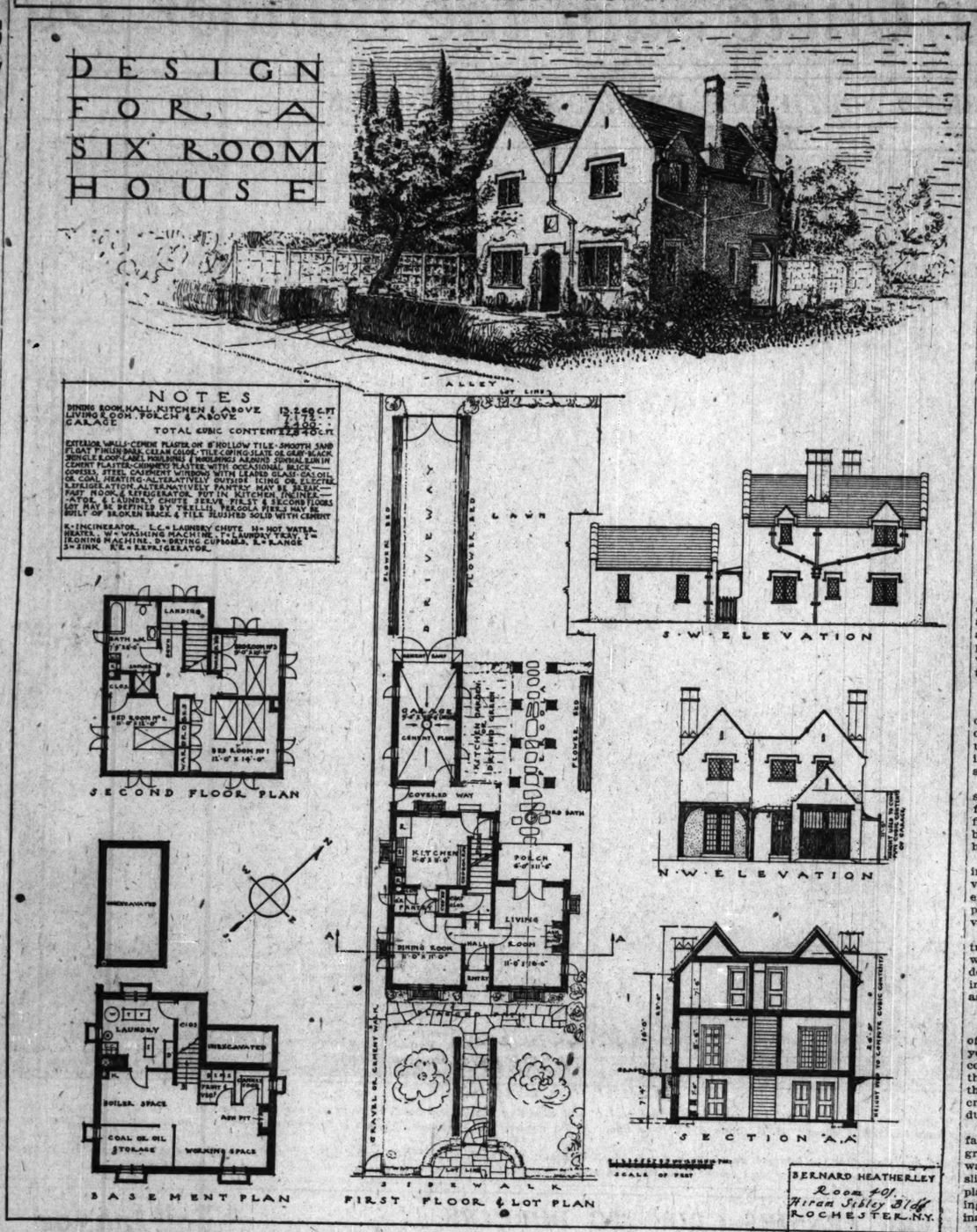
The cost of this house should range between $12,000 and $14,000.

JANUARY IS TIME TO THINK ABOUT LANDSCAPING

January is an excellent month to think about the landscaping problems to be met in the spring.

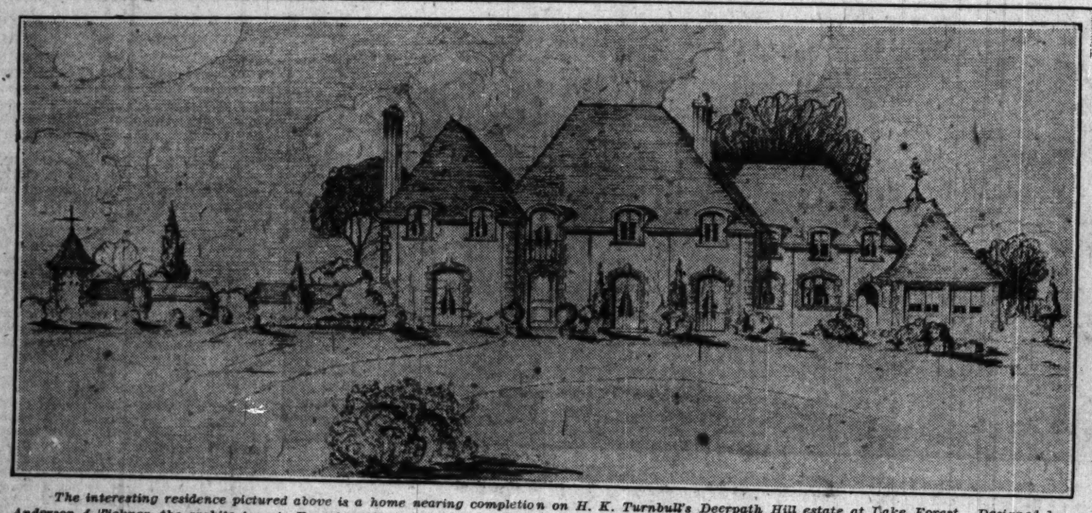
If one makes out a list of what is going to be necessary, and most of these necessities will come under these classifications: lawns, food, flowers, and shrubbery, one will read with added interest all that appears in magazines and papers on landscaping hints. And incidentally one may perhaps save here and there from the family budget so that when spring arrives, one has both the ideas and the money for the landscaping and of home owning.

REMINISCENT OF LATE TUDOR DAYS



A six room house of cream cement plaster walls on hollow tile, with roof of slate or black shingles. Its style is an adaptation of that evolved in the days of the late Tudors. Designed by Bernard Heatherley, 400 Hiram Sibley building, Rochester, N. Y. A Tribune Competition house.

FRENCH HOME AT LAKE FOREST



The interesting residence pictured above is a home nearing completion on H. K. Turnbull's Deerpath Hill estate at Lake Forest. Designed by Anderson & Ticknor, the architecture is French. The building is of hollow tile construction, surfaced with a smooth white cement finish. It has a heavy slate roof. The trim is of red and henna colored brick. Jerome Robert Cerny prepared this rendering.

Answers to Questions on Home Owning

Consult a Bank.

Dear Mrs. Bargelt: I have just purchased plans for a new house, but have been told that they are too exaggerated in style and that I will have a hard time getting a mortgage on it. What shall I do? S. W.

Answer: Submit your plans to your local bank to see if you can secure a mortgage.

Stripping Saves Loss.

Dear Mrs. Bargelt: Is it true that there is any perceptible air leakage around the sash of an unstripped wood window? What is the actual difference between this window and the stripped window? G. S.

Answer—It has been estimated by some authorities that for every running foot around the sash of an unstripped wood window there is an air leakage of 49 cubic feet an hour against the loss with a well weather stripped window of less than 4 cubic feet. The heat loss therefore is about 12 times as great at this estimate for the plain window as for the window protected by stripping. I cannot guarantee the accuracy of this estimate. Authorities differ somewhat, but the main fact—that there is a big difference, remains obvious.

Concerning Provencal Home.

Dear Mrs. Bargelt: We are having a Provençal home built. While we are not going to carry out the interior very faithfully in the French spirit, I would like a suggestion for the walls and floor of entrance hall and for living room ceiling and floor. We have decided on woodwork and dado paneling of jade green for living room walls.—D. F.

Answer: Your entrance hall floor can be of large squares of cork laid in colored cement stained and waxed, or slate slabs, or rubber tiling; the walls of rough plaster with sand finish. The living room ceiling can be of rough floated sand plaster and floor of wide squares of oak and chestnut wood stained with walnut dye and linseed oil. Brick, sandpapered and waxed and oiled, might also be used. These are but a few suggestions. The Provençal house permits many treatment possibilities.

Answers to Quiz

1. English, French, Italian, Spanish and Gothic.
2. Not according to reports from prominent foresters.
3. At the present time more than 4,500.
4. Apt to prove ineffective because they are too weak and pale to form a background for deeper colors.
5. The use of strong contrast; light, semi-transparent shades produce a gentle contrast.
6. Adjustable glove drier.
7. From Elizabethan England.
8. Soil which is easily cultivated and soil which is worked with difficulty.
9. Riders pasted to bids made by heating contractors, insuring that the purchaser will get precisely what he pays for; an adequate heating plant in every way, installed up to definite standards.
10. This idea is national in its intention to make widespread good heating plants.

MANY TYPES OF WOOD SUITED FOR INTERIOR TRIM

Under the term "interior trim" comes a variety of items. These are door casings, window casings, baseboards, molding, wainscoting, etc.

The woods to be preferred for interior trim should be hard enough to allow a smooth finish after they have been dressed, yet soft enough to be easily machined.

Among the hard woods used for interior trim are oak, chestnut, red gum, birches, black walnut, maples, yellow poplar, beech, basswood, and cottonwood.

Pine, fir, cypress, hemlock and redwood are among the soft woods. Hemlock takes a polish well, redwood is known for its rich color. White and yellow pine and eastern spruce take paint well and hold it.

If the finish is to be treated with an oil or varnish and the natural color of the wood will show, a high quality of wood is necessary. But if the trim is to be painted, a less expensive material is satisfactory—providing that material is capable of holding paint.

CONCRETE FLOOR IN HOME REDUCES PERIL FROM FIRE

Also Cuts Repair Bills and Keeps Out Dirt.

BY HOMER GRANT.

Jeremiah spoke words of cheer in comparison to those uttered by some home owners when the use of concrete flooring in their home is mentioned. They may have heard of many of its practical features; they may want a house as nearly fireproof as they can afford but—

"I don't want a floor to look like a sidewalk." Or "I don't want my basement floors brought upstairs" or "concrete floors are damp—don't tell me."

And the average home owner has to be "shown" before he will be convinced of the beauty and sanitation possible in concrete floorings as they are now offered to the public. Certainly there is much interested discussion current today on the future possibilities of concrete floors in the homes of tomorrow.

The practical features of the concrete floor are those which naturally appeal to any practical home owner, and most home owners are by nature practical in their attitude towards what affects the stability and longevity of the houses they own.

Fire Safety Main Point.

But in the last analysis the extent of the future popularity of the concrete floor will depend largely on the understanding of the public regarding the attractiveness of its different surfacings.

Fire safety is one of its most outstanding points, for the concrete first floor slab prevents the passage of flames up from coal pile, furnace or basement garage—if one has a built-in basement garage.

Then again concrete flooring eliminates many troubles which often develop after a house has stood for several years, causing the home owner repair bills or interfering with the resale value of the house.

For instance water does not penetrate a concrete floor easily. Broken water pipes, overflowing water pipes do not work such damage on the ceiling below. Vibration is eliminated, as are squeaking and sagging floors.

Keeps Out Dirt.

Another virtue claimed for this type of floor by a home owner of fourteen years experience is that it prevents coal dust and other dirt from seeping through into the upper stories from the basement. He says that the concrete floor especially proves its worth during the delivery of coal.

Another construction point is the fact that concrete floor slabs afford greater strength and stability to the walls. Ordinary floor joints, moving slightly, can crack a wall or ceiling plaster. Concrete floor slabs, not moving appreciably if built correctly, eliminate this danger.

Hardwood flooring, oak, maple, etc., can be nailed directly to the wooden sleepers embedded in the concrete. The firm concrete support does away with any cracking or warping of the wood and the home owner who prefers the floor surfacing of lovely hardwood can still have it, even with the fire safe concrete underflooring.

Many Popular Surfacings.

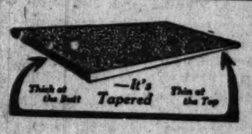
Or other popular surfacings, such as linoleum, rubber tile, cork tile, can be well cemented to concrete slab. There is no danger of any pulling loose here, or warping, as these surfacings become an integral part of the concrete. Then, lastly, comes the concrete floor, standing on its own merits, uncovered by any other surfacing, but so treated as to afford really lovely effects. A concrete floor may be made to look like a tile flooring, or it can be stained and waxed in handsome dark shades without any pattern attempt.

There are many pigment preparations for concrete, various reds, yellows and soft browns which combine well with the neutral gray of the concrete and result in effective dark tones. Designs in contrasting colors can be worked out if desired, interesting appearances created by the different stains, charming effects produced by waterproof enamels.

Deserves Consideration.

In the light of all the advancement made in the fields of fireproof construction, weatherproof and age proof construction, in residence work as well as along all building lines, this feature of concrete flooring is well deserving of consideration.

The man who is building his own home is not only investing his money at the time of building, but his future moneys and his future comforts. And whatever contributes to the stability and fire safety of his home adds to his sum total investment in "pieces of silver and peace of mind."



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3. Approximately how many commercial and industrial uses are there for wood at the present time?
4. Why is it that light blue or pink walls are sometimes disappointing?
5. What should be avoided in the choice of a window shade?
6. What modern device permits gloves to be washed at home and come out smooth and shapely?
7. From what period and country were the early New England houses with overhanging second stories, steeply pointed roofs, and leaded casements derived?
8. In gardening parlance, what is meant by "light" soil and "heavy" soil?
9. What is meant by "certified heating"?
10. How widespread is this idea?

(Answers to these questions will be found on another part of this page.)

SEES AMERICA AS LEADING WORLD IN HOME DESIGN

Bernard Heatherley, architect, Rochester, New York, is designer of the six room house shown in the Home Builders' page today.



BERNARD HEATHERLEY.

"I cannot help but regard my student days among the glorious architectural heritage the old world possesses as invaluable," Mr. Heatherley writes. "No less valuable are my years of experience in America, now my home, and to which, particularly in house planning, the world owes an enormous debt.

"Nowhere as in America has house planning reached so nearly the ideal. I believe that the house plans evolved by pioneer architects have had as much to do with molding the high standard of life lived here, as the high standard of life has had to do, by its demands, with the evolution of the perfect plan.

"My experience has been gained in many varied fields—as an architect's should be. Besides my training in architectural schools and offices in London and Liverpool, I have spent periods specializing in the workshops of various craftsmen. Working in ship decoration, furniture, iron work, etc., have all proved extremely valuable in the practice of domestic and public architecture upon which I am now engaged."

LIGHT IN BED ROOM SHOWS IF DOOR IS LOCKED

Electricity will now inform you whether or not your house is locked up. An interesting automatic door switch of the battery type is placed beneath the strike plate of the inside door lock opposite the bolt and operated by the bolt. When the bolt is thrown and the door locked the switch opens a low voltage circuit operating on the bell ringing transformer and controls a pilot light in the main bedroom which indicate whether the house is locked or not.

The illuminated house number is a well known modern device which is invaluable for the passing stranger or friend seeking to find his way after dark.

In connection with this there is a momentary contact switch operating an overhead domelight. A touch of the switch illuminates the door and enables one to find the key hole. Releasing the switch extinguishes the light and there is no danger that one will forget to turn the light off because it won't remain lighted unless one holds the switch button.

Then, too, in connection with this modern entrance lighting one should not forget the front door bell push button which has luminous center.

FEW GUIDEPOSTS TOWARD SAVING IN HOME BUILDING

Eliminate Frills, but Use Best of Materials.

Here are a few practical pointers on house building economics which may save you more than a few hundred dollars when it comes to building your future home.

There are two kinds of economy. One, economy through substitution of cheap materials for expensive ones. This decidedly is not wise economy for it spells extravagance too often when quick depreciation sets in.

The other economy is the economy of house shape and also of construction. This is common sense economy. The elimination of nonessentials, fussiness of detail, of elaborate trim, of expensive porch work, high priced gables, grilles, fancy roof lines and ornate dormers.

Square House Economical.

First, from point of view of economy, the square house is the economical house. It does not have to be a homely, boxlike structure, for it can be designed to present desirable features of dignity and architectural charm.

There is little lost space in a square house; moreover it is easy to work in, easy to heat, and because its rooms are located at each corner of the dwelling, it can easily be given adequate ventilation. And because it is a perfect cube, it contains the most space to its wall area which is another building economy point.

As for the roof, a simple hip roof usually saves money, over against a steeply pitched roof. Gables over bay windows, dormers, wide eaves all cost money.

Porches with heavy columns can be had from cheap and lighter porch columns can be used as well.

Saving in Cellar and Attic.

Then, too, a part of the cellar can be left unexcavated and the attic eliminated. Every foot of attic and cellar space costs money. If an attic is included in the house plan, let it be finished for actual use. It will then prove an investment in house space and not be an extravagance because of costly, wasted floor area.

The cellar is being left out entirely in some homes, even in this Chicago territory. Needless to say where this is done there must be a well built first floor of concrete, well waterproofed with foundations beneath. On the concrete slab a finished wood floor may be laid and the furnace placed in a room a little below the first level.

The modern cellar is certainly diminishing in size. If it does not at this time do a complete fade out, it will be because it has been made such a useful member of the house family that it cannot possibly be eliminated.

HOW TO TELL IF YOUR HOUSE IS IN NEED OF PAINT

The true economy in keeping a house well painted cannot be overestimated.

If one is in doubt whether a repainting job is necessary, as a deterioration preventive, there is a simple test which will tell the tale.

If in passing the fingers over a piece of the painted exterior, a powdery substance comes off, this is an indication that the house should probably be repainted. For it means that the oil has dried and that only the pigments are left. In paint the ingredient which is protective is the oil; ergo, deterioration is in sight and should be stopped.

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BUILDING IN THE CHICAGO AREA MAY EXCEED '27

Forum Predictions Are Optimistic.

(Continued from first page.)

ing volume of this country during 1927 has been well over seven billion dollars.

Former Forecast Conservative.

"In January of 1927 the Architectural Forum issued a forecast that building activity for the year would be 10 or 12 per cent less than in 1926," the forecast continues. "Events have proven this forecast to have been more than safely conservative, because the actual building construction, not including public works and utilities, was evidently only about 6 per cent less than 1926.

"The difference between forecast and fact was therefore on the safe side and this fact is pointed out in view of the peculiar difficulties of establishing our forecast for the year 1928."

One of the Best of Its Kind.

THE TRIBUNE has found the Architectural Forum's annual forecast to be one of the most accurate and comprehensive of any made. For several years the Forum has carried out a national survey among architects, obtaining confidential reports of work actually on the boards or seriously contemplated to reach the contract stage in the following year.

"Having these figures in hand it has been found possible to apply a series of ratios which have resulted each year in a fairly close approximation of actual figures ultimately recorded," said Mr. Taylor.

"Primarily, of course, this forecast deals with work carried out through architects' offices, but with the exception of small residential work [houses under $10,000] and factory buildings, the bulk of the building in this country is controlled by architects."

LOCAL CHARITIES TO BENEFIT BY 50 YEAR LEASE

The F. & W. Brand company, which operates a 5-10-25 cent store chain, has leased the property at 7814-18 South Halsted street, 50x117, from the Peoples' Stock Yards State bank and Mitchell D. Follansbee, executors and trustees of the estate of Albert W. Klingbeil, for fifty years.

On May 1, 1928, the lessees will wreck the present one story structure and erect a modern two story and basement building. They will occupy the entire main floor and basement. The second floor will have offices.

Mark Levy & Brother, only brokers in the deal, state that the total net rental for the entire term will be $505,000, or an average annual net rental of $10,100. On a 6 per cent basis, this gives the property a value of $168,333, or $3,366 a front foot.

Albert W. Klingbeil died in 1926, leaving an estate of approximately $425,000, the income of which was divided between a brother and a sister and the Chicago chapter of the American Red Cross, the Alexian Brothers' hospital and the German Old Peoples' home. The brother survived Mr. Klingbeil only fourteen months and on the death of the sister, Ida Korte, the whole income of the estate is to be paid annually to the Chicago Community trust.

PARAMOUNT TO MARKET 11 ACRES AT NILES CENTER

Eleven acres at the southeast corner of Simpson street and Keeler avenue, Niles Center, have been purchased by the Paramount Realty corporation from a syndicate headed by Otto Otterstrom of Nelson Brothers and the Flossy Dental laboratories of Evanston. The price was not disclosed. Frank R. Mason, vice president of the Paramount company, states that the property will be marketed at once. It is adjacent to the firm's Orchard and Crawford and Ridge Terminal subdivisions. McNab, Holmes & Long were attorneys for the buyer and Pickett & Holt acted as brokers for both parties.

$320,000 FLATS XMAS PRESENT OF DOCTOR TO WIFE

The Madison and Kedzie Trust and Savings bank, trustee, has sold to Coriane C. Rust the Hinman Manor apartments, 547-55 Hinman avenue, Evanston, for a reported $320,000; subject to $236,000. As part payment the purchaser gave twelve flats at Early and Magnolia, subject to $47,500. Dr. Austin Rust, the real purchaser, had the property conveyed to his wife as a Christmas present. H. J. Goldberg of E. A. Hastings & Co. represented the buyer and Mr. Juelson of Rutherford & Harding acted for the seller.

PLAN 12 STORY SHERIDAN ROAD FLAT BUILDING

Tentative plans are under way for a twelve story apartment building on the east side of Sheridan road, between Albion and Loyola. The 350x165 site was acquired by Marks Bros. in 1921 and recently sold to undisclosed parties.

Figures for the Week

TRANSFERS.

	No.	Amount.
Last week	1,422	$3,352,251
Same wk. last yr.	1,307	3,034,501

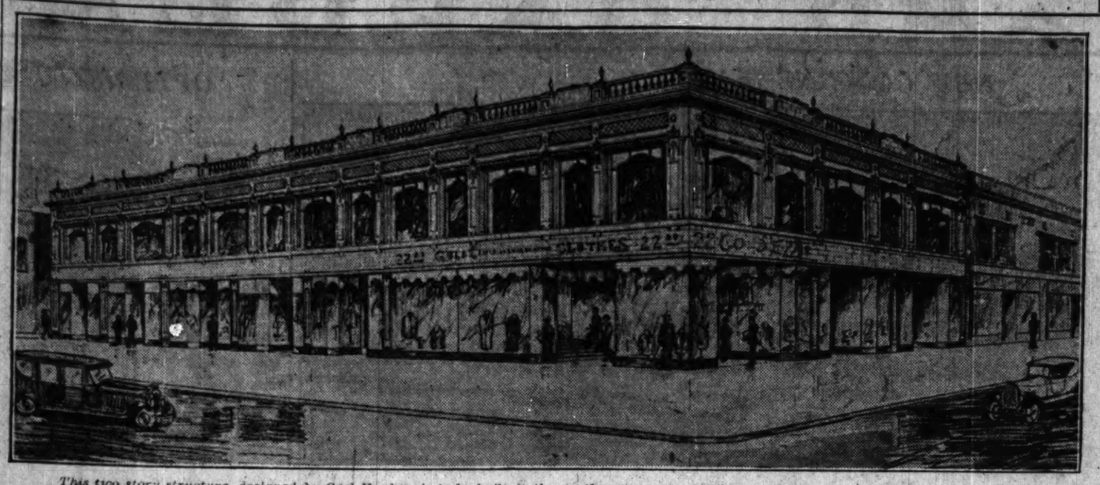
TRUST DEEDS, MORTGAGES.

	No.	Amount.
Last week	1,438	$20,978,901
Same wk. last yr.	1,639	15,939,819

BUILDING PERMITS.

	No.	Cost.
Last week	79	$1,832,000
Same wk. last yr.	95	3,269,600

NEW BUILDING FOR THE WILSON AVENUE DISTRICT



This two story structure, designed by Carl Hauber, is to be built at the southwest corner of Wilson and Kenmore by John C. Krietenstein, who has leased the entire second floor and the corner store to the Golde Clothes Shops, Inc., through Cerf & Ehrenhalt. It'll have foundations for two more stories.

CLEANING PLANT FOR NORTHWEST SIDE



New plant being erected by the Northwest Cleaners and Dyers at Western, Station, and Manitou, from plans drawn by M. Louis Kroman. It is stated the project will represent an investment of $175,000, in which connection Lackner, Butz & Co. have made a $60,000 loan. Completion is scheduled for March 15, 1928. The Callner Construction company has the contract. Herbert Joseph prepared this rendering.

KANKAKEE OFFICE BUILDING



Kankakee might be said to be a Chicago suburb, so we'll show a picture of how that town's latest office building will look on completion. It will be located at the northwest corner of Merchant and Schuyler. One unit is already completed, and work is to start shortly on the other. Edward A. Nitsche is architect. Harry L. Topping is owner.

ERECT 30 HOMES IN VICINITY OF ROSCOE-AUSTIN

3 Units Slated to Cost $825,000.

Construction has started on the first unit of a group of three bungalow developments in the Roscoe-Austin district which it is stated will represent a total investment of $825,000. Serrin & Hildebrand are the builders and owners.

The first unit will consist of thirty brick residences of five and six rooms each, to sell for $9,000 or $10,000. They are being erected on both sides of Roscoe and Newport, just east of Austin avenue. Designed by E. Brauchen, the architecture will be of the conventional type adopted for bungalows in the city, with only slight variations in the fronts.

James B. Serrin calls the bungalows "certified homes," which means that they are erected in accordance with the code of ethics as set forth by the National Better Home Builders' association. He reports that 1927 was his firm's best year, it having done twice the business of 1926.

The bungalows now under construction have sites 30x125 feet. They are to be ready for spring occupancy. The Irving National Mortgage company is underwriting first mortgage loans on the entire program, the second two units of which will get under way later in the year. Robert E. Schreiber is exclusive sales agent.

POSTAL WORKERS TO ASK CONGRESS FOR HIGHER WAGE

Want Shorter Hours for Night Men.

BY THOMAS WREN.

This session of congress will be asked to raise the wages of postal workers and also to improve their working conditions, according to Thomas F. Flaherty, the secretary-treasurer of the National Federation of Post Office Clerks.



SOL COHEN. [Moffett Photo.]

Mr. Flaherty said one of the leading issues that will be brought before congress is the time differential bill for the night workers in postal service.

"This legislation would give night workers a work shift of six hours and the pay of eight hours," said Flaherty.

"Any time between 6 o'clock in the evening and 6 o'clock in the morning would be classed as night work." A wage increase of $300 a year will be sought."

Sol Cohen, head of the Chicago Post Office Clerk's union, pointed to the necessity of legislation improving conditions during the seventieth congress.

"A large percentage of the employés in the Chicago post office," he said, "are night workers who must submit to an exacting task that requires memory, accuracy and speed.

"Most of them can become proficient only after years of study. It is only fair to the night workers to reduce their work shifts from eight to six hours.

"Pay of post office clerks is by no means adequate. It has not kept step with the wages of millions of workers in the competitive industrial field."

Complaint will be registered against the speed-up practice.

PLAN TWO STORY BUILDING FOR WILSON-KENMORE

Golde Clothes Shops in Upper Floor.

Plans have been completed and work is to start at once on a two story building to be erected at the southwest corner of Wilson and Kenmore avenues by John C. Krietenstein, who already has leased the entire upper floor and the corner store to the Golde Clothes Shops. This will be the fifth Chicago location for this clothing concern.

Plans for the new structure, by Architect Carl Hauber, call for foundations for two additional stories, which will be added when uptown conditions warrant it. It is planned to have the building ready for occupancy by April 1, 1928.

The new building will front fifty feet on Wilson avenue and 125 feet on Kenmore avenue. There'll be three stores opening on Wilson avenue and four stores on the Kenmore avenue side. The cost is estimated at $75,000. This site was once occupied by the old Sheridan moving picture house.

The length of the Golde term and the rental were not disclosed by the brokers in the deal, Cerf & Ehrenhalt. This firm states its intention to establish this corner as a men's shopping building.

Joseph Grossman was attorney representing F. M. Hahn of the Golde Clothes Shops and George Steinbrechen was attorney for Mr. Krietenstein.

REALTY CONCERN TO LET WORKERS SHARE EARNINGS

The Metropolitan Realty company announces that at the end of 1928 all office employés and sales members of the organization will be paid a bonus equivalent to ten per sent of their earnings in the form of stock in the company. This bonus system is to continue over ten years at the completion of which time it is hoped to have the firm the first cooperative selling organization in the country.

An advisory board, composed of officers, directors and heads of departments, will direct the firm. Twenty-one people constitute this board. Future plans of the boncern contemplate building and bond and mortgage departments. The firm is now marketing its tenth subdivision in the Niles Center district, with five more to come.

1928 YEAR BOOK OF REALTORS IS JUST OFF PRESS

The Chicago Real Estate board's year book for 1928 is just off the press. This volume contains laws, ordinances, city regulations, commission charges and similar information of interest to real estate dealers, property owners, lawyers, etc. It also contains a list of all Chicago realtors and contains blank pages in the form of a calendar, one for each day of the year, which may be used as a daily memorandum note book.

TO BUILD AT LAKE AND KILPATRICK. Franklin M. and Harry J. Miller have bought the southeast corner of Lake and Kilpatrick, 184x135, from the Western Fuel company, and contemplate erecting an automobile service station and storage plant.

REALTY MARKET THROUGHOUT U. S. STABLE IN 1927

Residential Rents Show Some Decline.

Real estate activity throughout the United States and Canada during 1927 generally found itself in a stabilized condition, according to a survey of the real estate market which has just been completed by the National Association of Real Estate Boards.

Of the 310 cities covered by the survey 40 per cent report the market to be somewhat less active than last year, 35 per cent report it at the same level as last year, and 25 per cent report a greater activity than last year. Selling prices are reported higher in 14 per cent of the cities, the same as those of last year in 57 per cent of the cities and lower in 29 per cent.

All the cities having a population of 500,000 or more reported prices to be the same as last year.

The total number of real estate transfers recorded for the country as a whole, as indicated in 41 typical cities, has been substantially equal to the number recorded in 1926, according to the tabulation of official reports of the number of transfers and conveyances recorded as made by the National Association of Real Estate Boards. While the trend of the monthly index of real estate market activity compiled by the association from the official reports of transfers and conveyances recorded in the 41 typical cities has been downward since February, 1927, the total number of transfers represented by the index is practically equal to any year on record.

Rentals Show Decline.

Incoming data for the next monthly index indicate that the curve will turn upward toward the first of 1928, as it has done in ten out of twelve years during which the index has been compiled.

Rentals for all types of dwellings show a downward trend, as compared with last year, for the United States.

The large majority of cities reported the rents of central business property to be the same as or higher than a year ago.

Rents in single family dwellings are reported stationary in 66 per cent of the cities, higher in 10 per cent, and lower in 24 per cent than they were at this time last year. Apartment rents are reported stationary in 68 per cent of the cities, higher in 9 per cent, and lower in 23 per cent. Kitchenette apartments show a still more stabilized condition, with rents stationary in 73 per cent of the cities, higher in 9 per cent, and lower in 18 per cent.

Rents in central business property are reported stationary in 57 per cent of the cities, higher in 30 per cent, and lower in 13 per cent.

Office building rents in central business districts are reported the same as last year in 78 per cent of the cities, as higher in 11 per cent and lower in 11 per cent, a highly stabilized condition.

Residence Building.

As to degree of existing overbuilding or underbuilding, 30 per cent of the cities reporting indicate some oversupply of business buildings, 13 per cent a shortage of this type of structure, and 57 per cent a normal supply. In single family residences 28 per cent of the cities report a shortage, 48 per cent a normal supply, and 24 per cent an oversupply.

In apartment buildings 32 per cent of the cities report a shortage, 25 per cent an oversupply, 43 per cent a normal supply.

The survey shows that the principal decline in real estate activity this year took place in the subdivision market, where 40 per cent of the replies report the same activity as last year, 44 per cent less activity and 16 per cent report more activity.

Percy Wilson Distributes Cash Prizes to Employes

A belated announcement from Percy Wilson & Co., states that Christmas presents and cash prizes totaling $5,000 were distributed to their salespeople. Service pins were awarded the executives and sales managers.

The firm lists as its year's achievements the subdividing of Arterial hill, Broadgate, Southgate, Parkside addition to Arterial hill and Shilling highlands. A turkey dinner was served at the Wilson field office on Dec. 25th.

BROCKMAN'S REPORT TO REAL ESTATORS TELLS OF GOOD YEAR

President Albert J. Brockman's report for the year 1927 to be presented at the annual meeting of the Cook County Real Estate board next Tuesday evening, to be held in the board rooms in the Conway building, will indicate a successful year in all of the organization's activities, according to an advance statement issued.

"The invested reserve of the board has been increased about 30 per cent during the last year and for the first time in the history of the board the general fund has a considerable balance to carry forward, thus enabling increased expenditures for the benefit of the members at the beginning of the year instead of awaiting the receipts of dues for that purpose," the statement reads.

"The Real Property institute has been very successful. The board's service to its members has been greatly increased during the last year through the medium of furnishing real estate ownership information, the protection of members, insurance interests and brokers' operations in the real estate market of Chicago which in conducted every Tuesday afternoon in the board rooms.

"The public service of the board has likewise received increased attention during the last year. President Brockman as a member of the joint commission for real estate valuation has represented the members of the board in that capacity in the effort to bring about improved administration in the offices of the board of assessors and the board of review."

PLAN DINNER FOR ALD. O'TOOLE AT HOTEL SHERMAN

Incidental to the celebration of the fifth anniversary of the adoption of the Chicago zoning ordinance, a testimonial dinner is to be given to Alderman William R. O'Toole, chairman of the committee on buildings and zoning, on Saturday, Jan. 14, 1928, at at Hotel Sherman, at 6 p. m. The following committee is in charge of the dinner: Alderman E. J. Kaindl, John P. Boyle, John J. Sullivan, Charles Bostrom, Joseph Brittain, H. W. Elmore, George O. Fairweather, Paul Gerhardt, William Artingstall, Thomas J. Courtney, Charles H. Wacker and Patrick Sullivan.



WM. R. O'TOOLE.

PLAN FACTORY AT MAPLEWOOD AND MONTROSE

Kurt Rosenthal has bought the northeast corner of Montrose and Maplewood avenues, 84x125, and is to erect a three story store and factory building which already has been rented to Carson, Pirie, Scott & Co., for fifteen years at a term rental of $142,500. It will be used by the lessees for the manufacture of ladies' house dresses.

The architects are Olsen & Urbain and the builders will be Rosenthal, Mayer & Lewis, Inc. The total investment it is reported, will be in the neighborhood of $110,000.

ARCHIBALD TO BUILD AT WELLS AND MADISON

H. Teller Archibald, head of the Fannie May Candy company, will start work at once on wrecking the old buildings at the northwest corner of Madison and Wells, to make way for a one story building. Contracts have been let to the Solomon-Waterton company. This corner eventually is to be improved with a tall building.

BUYS WINNETKA RESIDENCE. Mrs. Mary Wells has bought the brick residence at the northwest corner of Hill and Chestnut, Winnetka, from George R. Boehm for a reported $65,000, through McGuire & Orr.

SEES PLENTY OF 1928 FUNDS FOR SOUND BUILDING

Cody Trust Company Is Optimistic.

Although 1928 construction may not equal the figures of the year just closed, acoording to the Cody Trust company's month end review, just issued, a high volume of building activity is predicted with a building permit volume in the neighborhood of $325,000,000. The 1927 total for the city approximated $350,000,000.

"The post-war building shortage has been ended definitely for all classes of structures except schools and institutions," the review states. "Nevertheless, there are several factors which insure a good if not a record year for the city in 1928.

"The first is the money outlook, which may function, nevertheless, in something of a dual role. There will ben an ample supply for the financing of all sound construction projects. There has been some talk in the financial world of a firming of money rates as the year progresses. This may have the effect of forcing into the open much earlier than was originally intended many large building projects whose backers seek to take advantage of the lowest possible financing terms.

"Such a development may make for new high monthly records in permits taken out during the first two quarters, but it should be followed by a tapering off process later.

Sees Air Right Activity.

"The second factor making for a high rate of activity is the recent approval by the Illinois commerce commission of the use of railroad 'air rights' for two large building projects. Several well located tracts are made available for skyscrapers and warehouses by the precedent thus established and it is probable that this new opportunity for development will be made use of.

"Factor number three is the small house situation. The marked improvement in the heating, lighting, and plumbing facilities available for the average family is rapidly placing the house built fifteen years and more ago in the same class with the used car as regards market value. The demand is for the modern and it is being satisfied through the sale of these sharply depreciated older dwellings and the construction of new ones.

"There is also a large number of subdivision lots whose final payments mature during the winter of 1927-28. Their owners acquired these lots in most instances for home building purposes. The paradox is in prospect of a high rate of small house construction in this field, while bungalows built by small speculators are proving difficult to sell.

Flat Vacancies Increase.

"These favorable factors might make for a record year in building, were it not for the presence of several which are adverse.

"Apartment vacancies are on the increase. They are not unduly high at present, but they will serve to put a damper on the speculative enthusiasm in this class of construction.

"It is this mixture of conditions which suggests a moderate decline in Chicago building next year. We doubt if the value of the permits will drop as low as those of the last presidential election — $296,000,000. Probably it will be in the neighborhood of $325,000,000.

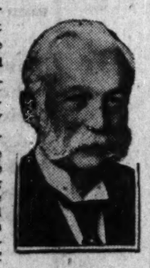
"With this level of activity, building labor should be well employed in Cook county during 1928. Material jobbers and manufacturers should continue moderately active. There will, however, be a healthy atmosphere of competition and both jobs and profits will go to the alert and the efficient."

LEASES CORNER FOR CAFE. J. Blonski has leased the corner store at the southwest corner of Bryn Mawr and Winthrop to Kitsos & Co. for a restaurant for ten years at a term rental of approximately $48,000, according to Fribera & Co., brokers for the lessee. J. Shapiro represented the owner.

LOOKING BACKWARD

To Jan. 1, 1918; 10 Years Ago Today

Evidences of improved conditions with respect to office buildings is found in the annual reports of the First National and the Continental and Commercial National banks. They both show gains as compared with the previous year, the statement being made that the Continental and Commercial has at present ninety-nine per cent of its available space rented and also has a considerable waiting list.



JAMES B. FORGAN.

James B. Forgan says in his statement to the shareholders that the rent roll of the First National Bank building shows an increase of more than six per cent.

Fred Johnson has acquired from John J. Johnson the apartment property in Kimball avenue, 271 feet north of Lawrence avenue, 60x125 feet, east front, for an indicated price of $30,000, subject to an incumbrance of $15,000.

To Jan. 1, 1908; 20 Years Ago Today

Burt J. Fitzgerald, for $215,000, conveyed to Fielding L. Marshall and William Waller the property known as the new Lincoln park subdivision, at the southwest corner of North Park avenue and Belden avenue, fronting also on Webster and North Clark and Sedgwick streets, except 427 feet on Belden and 177 feet on Webster. The property was acquired from the University of Chicago in connection with the purchase by the latter of the Lees building, at 147-53 5th avenue. It was conveyed to the university by Mrs. Emmons Blaine. Mr. Fitzgerald sold frontage on Belden avenue for about $40,000, and also expended about $10,000 in putting through and improving Anita terrace, running from North Clark street to North Park avenue. It is said that Mr. Marshall and Mr. Waller contemplate improving the Anita terrace front with apartment buildings.



MRS. EMMONS BLAINE.

To Jan. 1, 1898; 30 Years Ago Today

J. F. and J. P. Doerr have designed for C. A. Londelius a three story apartment house to be built at 518-26 56th street. It will be constructed of pressed brick and stone, the interior being finished in hardwood, and it will be heated by steam. It will cost $50,000.



J. P. DOERR. [TRIBUNE Photo.]

Collins & Morris bought from John A. Cudahy the lot 133x160 feet at the northwest corner of Prairie avenue and 60th street for $15,800. The purchasers will build a fine apartment house on the site to cost $75,000. The building will be three stories high, constructed of light pressed brick and cut stone. It will be finished in hardwood.

Frank Knapp has transferred to C. J. Hambleton the property at the northwest corner of Wrightwood avenue and Dayton street, 126x125 feet, for $34,000.

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FARM AND GARDEN

Greater Efficiency Is Farmers' Motto for the Coming Year

Operating Costs Must Be Cut Down to Gain Profits.

BY FRANK RIDGWAY.

IN 1928 much of the agricultural relief must come by farmers turning to the task of organizing their farms so that they can be operated more efficiently. No one seems to doubt that farm earnings are so low that this nation cannot maintain a stable agriculture. Farmers have the country apparently convinced that they should get more for their work, but there is much debate over the plan of adding to the producer's income.

There is no one to kick where the farmer whittles down his production costs and thereby adds to his net profits. Differences of as much as $5,000 a year may occur between the net earnings of farmers in the same community, all because of the way the farms are organized and operated, according to H. C. M. Case, head of the farm organization and management department, University of Illinois. But the earnings on the better farms are the result of years of definite effort to establish a profitable system of farming, Mr. Case finds in reviewing the records of farms in the heart of the corn belt.

Based on Facts.

His views are not based on guesses, but on five year records of fifty-one Woodford county farms in central Illinois, where he found that usually the difference in earnings vary more than 10 per cent on the investment between the high farmer and the low farmer in any one year.

"As an average for the five year period, the best farm made 8 1-3 per cent more on the investment than the farm with the lowest earnings, a farm that lost money. The average investment on these farms was $59,225. Hence the difference in the earnings between the high and low farms computed on the average investment would amount to approximately $5,000 a year. For the five year period the difference would amount to approximately $25,000," said this farm management expert.

This difference in five years would be enough to pay cash for half the cost of a 250 acre farm at $200 an acre.

Why Profits Accrued.

The successful farmers followed certain principles in farming while those less successful failed to observe them. In outlining these principles of factors influencing earnings on Illinois farms, Mr. Case finds that good yields help reduce costs; the higher profit crops should be selected; productive live stock reduce costs; good live stock well handled add to the farm income; available man labor must be used advantageously; the supply of horse and mechanical power should fit the farm needs; buildings, machinery and other equipment costs must be under control; production should be planned in accordance with market demands; a good farm layout makes for economical operation; a large volume of business is necessary for profitable farming, and diversity of production is desirable.

One of the important steps in reducing production costs and thereby adding to the farmer's income has come about through the use of improved machinery which is helping to eliminate man labor and save crops that have previously gone to waste, making it possible to do work at the proper time. The greatest improvement has come about in the harvesting of grains.

Reducing the Bills.

E. W. Lehmann, head of the farm mechanics department at the University of Illinois, shows that possibilities of reducing the farmers' yearly bill for the harvesting of small grains with the combined harvester-thrasher, formerly used only in the far west. The use of the combine for four seasons in Illinois has shown that this new outfit in the middle west has striking advantages in the saving of grain and in reducing power and labor required in thrashing.

There are more than 300 combined harvester-thrashers being used in Illinois in the harvesting and thrashing of soy beans, wheat, oats, sweet clover, red clover, timothy, alsike, buckwheat, rye, and barley, according to Mr. Lehmann. He says that tests of the old mower and thrasher method of harvesting soy beans and of the binder and thrasher method show an average loss of about 30 per cent of the crop.

In contrast, the total loss in harvesting beans with the combine has been less than 10 per cent. Reports from individual farmers indicate that the cost of the combine method of harvesting wheat is about one-half the cost where it is handled by the old binder-thrasher method.

Tested Since 1925.

Mr. Lehmann has been testing the efficiency of the combined harvester-thrasher since 1925. A coöperative project is now under way in which agronomists of the university are studying the characteristics of different varieties of crops, planting, and other factors in relation to the combine. Farm management specialists are making a detailed study of costs, too, he said.

In records kept on Charles Johnson's farm in Ellis county, Oklahoma, by Hyer, county agent, it was found that it cost $3 an acre to handle sweet clover with a combined harvester-thrasher, while with the old binder-thrasher method the cost was $12 an acre, or $9 an acre more. Further saving was brought about by catching more of the seed with the combine in a sweet clover field, where the yield was seven bushels to the acre.

Great strides have been made recently in the development of attachments for the combine which will widen the use of this revolutionary machine. Reports from the grain fields of the Pacific coast and the northwest on the use of the combine in handling bound grain and seed crops either loose in windrows or in bundles and stooks or shocks show that it is now practical.

The new attachments for the combine make it possible to overcome the handicap of harvesting grain heavily infested with weeds or where a field is ripening unevenly. The season for using the combines also has been greatly lengthened. Where weedy grain fields are harvested with the combine, which cuts and immediately thrashes the grain all in one operation, there is danger of the grain coming out with a relatively high percentage of moisture.

Handicaps Overcome.

F. H. Higgins of San Leandro, Cal., says that there are three attachments to the regular combine harvester-thrasher. There is the windrow header, which heads the grain, as done in the old days, but drops it alongside the machine in a neat windrow on top of the stubble, where air can pass all around it and quickly dry it out. The second attachment is a windrow pick-up which gently lifts the dried windrow of cut grain when it is ready for the combine. It feeds it into the combine in an endless carpet and functions as a regular combine. The third attachment is a pickup feeder, which handles the bundles or shocks of grain where it has been cut by the binder, the knives cutting the bands and the feeder mechanism holding back the material to feed it evenly into the thrashing part of the combine.

C. D. Kinsman, formerly of Purdue university and later with the federal department of agriculture, has done much of the experimental work with these new attachments. He has seen the pickups successfully handle beans, rice, sweet clover, weedy wheat, barley, oats, Egyptian corn, kaffir, dwarf Milo maize, and most of the field seed crops.

Many of the pickup attachments were used in the Dakotas, California, and western Canada last season.

Shortage of Funds Halts Michigan Tuberculosis Work

GOV. F. W. GREEN officially stopped all tuberculosis eradication work in Michigan this morning because state funds have become exhausted. Health authorities of Chicago, Detroit, and other cities and towns that require the tuberculin testing of cattle are deeply concerned over the governor's action and the effect it will have on future pure milk supplies.

Detroit's new milk ordinance, quite similar to the one now rigidly enforced in Chicago, requiring that all milk come from tuberculin tested cattle under state and federal supervision, went into effect this morning. This has added to the seriousness of the situation in Michigan, where both the retesting and initial testing work has been stopped, making it impossible for many of the dairymen with qualified herds to repeat the test and keep their cows on the approved list of such cities as Chicago and Detroit, according to authorities.

At a Standstill.

Live stock interests at the terminal markets are taking an interest in the Michigan governor's action. H. R. Smith, live stock commissioner of the National Live Stock exchange, Chicago, said yesterday that all tuberculosis eradication work in Michigan must be discontinued immediately unless Gov. Green authorizes the use of an emergency fund or calls a special session of the legislature to bring relief, as was done in Wisconsin. Unless money is made available Michigan's testing work will be kept at a standstill for six months, until the next fiscal year's appropriation becomes available July 1, 1928.

"It is a regrettable situation," said Mr. Smith. "Michigan up to this time has been a leader in the eradication of tuberculosis from its cattle. All of the cattle in forty-nine out of the eighty-three counties in the state have been tuberculin tested, the reactors slaughtered, and the premises disinfected. These counties are now practically free from tuberculosis and are designated by the state and federal government as modified accredited areas. Only one other state, North Carolina, has more accredited counties and there is very little tuberculosis in North Carolina, some counties showing no reactors whatever.

State Funds Exhausted.

"Only four counties in the entire state of Michigan have failed, as yet, to provide funds with which to cooperate with the federal government and the state in the cleaning up of tuberculosis. The federal fund and county funds are ample, but neither can be used without state funds, which are exhausted. If adequate funds had been provided by the last Michigan legislature, the entire state would be practically free from this disease by 1930.

"During the last few years Michigan has been spending $250,000 a year out of the state funds on this project. Legislative hearings attended by farmers and others from all parts of the state were held in Lansing last winter to show how $100,000 per year additional would be needed this biennium because of the demands from Detroit and other cities for pure milk from herds tested for tuberculosis and known to be free. Gov. Green not only refused the additional $100,000 per year, but he cut the regular appropriation $37,500, allowing only $212,000.

"Heretofore when the regular appropriation was used up in the payment of indemnities and other necessary expenses incident to the application of the tuberculin test in the various counties, the predecessors of Gov. Green have authorized the use of a limited amount of money from so-called emergency funds to carry the work along until the regular appropriations would be available. Apparently Gov. Green refused to do this. Unless the situation is met, all the federal and state men engaged in tuberculosis eradication will be withdrawn from the state of Michigan. This is a calamitous situation to the live stock owners of the state, because up to this time Michigan has been in a position to supply the eastern states with clean cattle at very satisfactory prices to the farmers of the state. This stopping of the work is not only a blow to the farmers, but it is a misfortune to every consumer of milk in the state.

"Last April a year ago Gov. Blaine of Wisconsin called a special session of the legislature at the time when the tuberculosis eradication fund became exhausted. The Wisconsin legislature was in session just one day and it was called for no other purpose but to appropriate an emergency fund of $450,000 to carry the work in that state until the next appropriation became available. There was not a single dissenting vote in either house. This is a matter of just as much importance to the people of Michigan as to the people of Wisconsin, and action of some kind is greatly to be desired," Mr. Smith said.

When Dr. Arnold H. Kegel, health commissioner of Chicago, learned that the testing work was to be stopped in Michigan he immediately reviewed the records in the dairy division to see how much of the city's milk supply coming from that state would be affected by Gov. Green's orders.

The new health commissioner declared that during his administration the strict supervision of all milk coming into Chicago will be continued. He explained that Chicago receives 2,000 gallons of cream daily from Michigan, which amounts to about 5 per cent of the total cream supply of the city. This is shipped from five plants located at Charlotte, Galien, Hopkins, Otsego, and Zeeland. These plants hold permits issued by the health department to ship milk or cream to Chicago. The milk supply for these plants is produced on 1,863 farms in Allegan, Barry, Berrien, Eaton, Ingham, Jackson, Ottawa, and Van Buren counties. All of these counties, except Jackson (in which only six herds delivering to these plants are located), have been declared modified accredited areas, in which the percentage of reactors was below one-half of one per cent.

In Chicago.

"The Chicago department of health," said Dr. Kegel, "has expended approximately $9,000 during the last four years on the inspection and grading of the farms and plants in Michigan. This represents an investment which would be wiped out should it be necessary to shut off these five plants, due to failure to maintain the herds supplying them under state and federal supervision. There would probably be no immediate danger of this, due to the fact that these plants, shipping to Chicago, are all located in modified accredited counties.

"However, the retests on individual herds must be kept up to date, or it is necessary to bar this product from the Chicago market," warned the commissioner.

"The five states from which Chicago draws her milk and cream supply have made splendid progress under the state-federal coöperative tuberculosis eradication plan, and the Chicago department of health would regret very much to see the program in any state crippled, or even suspended for a several months' period," he said.

Fine Record to Date.

It is claimed that no other state has a better record than Michigan in its eradication work. If the testing is stopped for six months it would cost many times the amount of money needed to keep the work going until July 1, when the new appropriation will become available, according to Mr. Smith.

At the present time there are fourteen federal inspectors in Michigan. If the work stops these men will be transferred to other fields and men who are in a position to know say that there will not be the slightest hope of ever having as many return if the work is again taken up. There are also fifteen county veterinarians in the eradication work in Michigan who will have to look for other positions and many of them are not expected to return if they are taken away.

NEW COMBINE WAY



[Photo Courtesy F. H. Higgins.]

WINDROW PICK-UP—Pacific coast grain growers are demonstrating how easily oats are picked up with a combined harvester-thrasher attachment. The grain as shown here is first cut with the windrow header, which heads the grain and drops it alongside the combine in a neat windrow on top of the stubble, where air passes all around it and quickly dries it out.

With this attachment the grain farmer can start harvesting small grain a day or two earlier than he can even with the old binder method. This attachment aids in the harvesting of weedy wheat and other small grain.

FEEDER PICK-UP ATTACHMENT



[Photo Courtesy F. H. Higgins.]

WHERE PITCHFORKS ARE NOT NEEDED—With the combined harvester-thrasher attachment oats (shown in this picture) and other small grain in the shock can be picked up and elevated into the thrasher. This machine cuts the bands and evenly feeds the straw into the thrashing mechanism.

With this attachment, unevenly ripened fields may be cut and shocked and later thrashed with the combine. Under this plan all the labor of loading the bundles from the shock, hauling to a thrashing machine and unloading them is done away with and the cost of harvesting and thrashing is greatly lessened.

More Motor Trucks Bring Live Stock to Markets

THE INCREASED USE of motor trucks in the hauling of live stock direct from the farm to the terminal markets is indicated in a recent report of the Minnesota highway department. An analysis of one day's shipments to the Union Stock yards at South St. Paul, Minn., shows that on Nov. 29, shipments were received from 162 towns by truck. There were 473 loads, representing 648 separate consignments. Sixty-three per cent came distances of fifty miles or less, but 177 loads, or 37 per cent, came 51 to 110 miles.

The total number of cattle, hogs, calves and sheep received by truck during the first eleven months of 1927 was 550,772, compared to 519,443 in twelve months in 1927. Receipts so far this year are more than eight times as great as in 1920, the year before the trunk highway system was put into effect, says the report.

"Bringing live stock direct over the highways reduces the number of loading and unloading operations, shortens the time from farm to market, and usually brings the stock to the packing houses in better condition," says T. E. Good, president of the South St. Paul yards.

OPTIMISTIC ABOUT FARM



DEAN HERBERT W. MUMFORD of the College of Agriculture, University of Illinois, issues New Year's statement, focusing nation's attention on five bright spots in agriculture's outlook for 1928.

H. W. Mumford Finds Bright Spots in Farm Outlook

IN contrast to the gloom that comes along with many farm relief discussions, there is obvious optimism in the new year's statement dealing with agriculture's outlook issued this morning by Herbert W. Mumford, dean of the college of agriculture, University of Illinois, Urbana, Ill.

Dean Mumford says that while prosperity for the corn belt farmer is not just around the corner waiting to be ushered in, there are at least five bright spots to keep the outlook from being all black as the new season opens.

Bright Spots.

Here are his bright spots:

"Intelligent interest by other industries in the agricultural depression; increased efficiency on the part of the individual farmer; a shift of surplus labor from the farm to the city; broader opportunities for improved standards of living on the farm, and better farm organization."

"Social and economic equality for farming and farmers is a challenge to every citizen, be he farmer, banker or business man, to make such contributions in thought and action as may add something to the desired result. The prize of a readjusted agriculture with restored opportunity to young farmers is so great that I have faith in the forces at work in its accomplishment," Dean Mumford said.

Four different reports on the agricultural situation made within the last few years by different interests are cited by Dean Mumford as evidence that "it is doubtful if other industries have ever taken as intelligent interest in an agricultural depression as they have and are taking in this one."

Opinions of Expert.

Commenting on the increased efficiency of the individual farmer, he said, "It cannot be successfully maintained that the present agricultural distress of farmers in general is due to their inefficiency."

Dean Mumford believes that the shift of population from the farm to the city is to be a good thing for agriculture, because "agriculture needs fewer rather than more workers. Farming is not benefited by having to act as the haven for the unemployed."

Turning to the question of farm organization, he continued: "I believe it is true that there were never as many farmers organized who had an intelligent reason for being organized as at the present time. In spite of the criticism that farmers cannot agree on what they want, the facts are that they agree about as well, probably better, than any other six million people that could be assembled and they are making encouraging progress in their ability to coöperate and work together."

Tribune Want Ads Take the Uncertainty Out of Room Renting

LIKE many women in Chicago, Mrs. R. G. Stamp of 2834 North Whipple Street found that she could reduce her housekeeping expenses materially by renting out her spare rooms. But this means of amplifying her income did not become truly profitable until she secured steady occupancy by using Tribune Want Ads.*

The efficiency with which they serve her is well brought out by her latest experience. On November 25, when she found two of her rooms had been suddenly vacated, Mrs. Stamp called The Tribune Adtaker. Her ad appeared in the Sunday issue and before evening she had rented the rooms to two of the twelve desirable prospects that had called in answer to her announcement.

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Social Calendar Lists Gala Affairs

By Mildred Jaklon.

IN a day or two the social city will have returned to normalcy, with only memories remaining of the mad, glad holidays that have just passed. The polite conventionality of New Year's calls, one of the few remnants of formality long dead, helps to establish the even tenor of smart ways after the hectic régime of collegiate youth. Mr. and Mrs. William Stanton Monroe, Mr. and Mrs. Kellogg Fairbank, and Mrs. Joseph B. Long are among those who will have informal New Year's parties, and John Robert Leonard, Daniel Leonard, and the Hibbard Casselberrys will give their annual New Year's affair, a tea dance, from 4 to 7 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at Mr. Leonard's residence, "Wildacre," in Winnetka.

The social calendar includes for the week, also, the Twelfth Night ball at the Stevens hotel on Friday evening, and the unique party ten of the season's most promising buds are to give on Saturday evening at the Casino. The Junior league announces the premiere of its second play of the winter, "The Land of Oz," at the Harris theater on Saturday morning.

A number of affairs are being planned for Prince and Princess A. Obolensky of Paris who are expected to arrive tomorrow, but they have not been made definite yet, pending the inclinations and plans of the visitors.

WEDDINGS

No wedding or engagement announcement will be published in The Tribune unless it bears the signature, address, and telephone number of a parent of either the bride or bridegroom. Announcements should reach the society editor not later than the Wednesday morning preceding the Sunday they are to be published.

Miss Thelma Fowler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Parkes Fowler of Evanston, was married on Dec. 22 to Albert Ruggles Mathias, son of Lee Dowling Mathias and of Mrs. John H. Harries of Chicago. Mr. and Mrs. Mathias are at home at 244 East Pearson street.

Announcement has been made by Mr. and Mrs. Herbert R. Bell of Hammond, Ind., of the marriage of their daughter, Grace Woodhull, to Donald Cutler Blanke, son of Mrs. Everett N. Blanke of Greenwich, Conn., which took place on Dec. 13 in New York City.

Mrs. D. D. Culver of Aurora, Ill., announces the marriage of her daughter, Mildred, to Lloyd W. McDowell of Fort Madison, Ia., which took place on Christmas day.

The marriage is announced of Miss Dorothy Ruckelshausen, daughter of Mrs. Henry Ruckelshausen of Oak Park, to Lloyd W. Jacobs of Norwood, O., which took place on Christmas eve.

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Rose Askenos, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Askenos of Benton Harbor, Mich., to Hyman Cohn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cohn of 1923 Humboldt boulevard.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry M. Rosenblum of Waukegan, Ill., announce the marriage of their daughter, Berdice, to Robert B. Deal of Chicago on Dec. 22.

Mrs. Jennie Moshinsky of 1406 South Albany avenue announces the marriage of her daughter, Ione, to Benjamin Goldfarb, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Goldfarb.

The marriage of Miss Lillian Chavkin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Chavkin of 2701 Haddon avenue, to Leonard Louis Sutker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harris Sutker of 1517 South Spaulding avenue, takes place today.

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Sylvia B. Jacobson of Stoughton, Wis., to Howard W. Dexter of 1525 East 67th place.

ENGAGEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Arlan W. Converse of Winnetka announce the engagement of their daughter, Marcia Burnham, to Donald Olin Cady of Meriden, Conn., son of Mrs. H. Olin Cady of Evanston.

Announcement is made by Mr. and Mrs. John J. Lassahn of 2416 Winona street of the engagement of their daughter, Adele, to Franklin Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell D. Miller of Helena, Mont.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Campbell of 5459 Dorchester avenue announce the engagement of their niece, Lucile Elsie Lyman, to Courtland D. Banks, son of Mrs. Ralph P. Higgins of 4451 Greenwood avenue.

Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Jeannette Moldauer, niece of Mr. and Mrs. William Roller of 3129 Eastwood avenue, to George Kaufman of Chicago.

The engagement is announced of Miss Hazel Wexberg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Wexberg of 3027 Logan boulevard, to Ernest E. Strauss, son of Mrs. David Strauss of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Mooney of Niles Center announce the engagement of their daughter, Marjorie North, to Julian W. Jackson of 5658 South Park way.

Announcement is made by Mr. and Mrs. Bernard F. Knauer of 1315 Norwood street of the engagement of their daughter, Margaret Helen, to Paul Belden Zaring, son of Mrs. Irene B. Zaring of Chicago.

The engagement is announced of Miss Ellen Le Count, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. E. R. Le Count of 5757 Kenwood avenue, to Miller Koeper, son of Mrs. Paul Koeper.

Henry J. Lehmann of Beverly Hills announces the engagement of his daughter, Lorraine Dixon, to William E. Sullivan, son of Michael Sullivan of Bridgeport, Conn.

Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Lydia Joan Bylow of Chicago, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Bylow of Neenah, Wis., to D. Hale Darnold of Kansas City, Mo.

The engagement is announced of Miss Margaret Bowmer Atkinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Letcher Atkinson of Berwyn, to Frank Sargood Giles Williams of Oak Park, son of Mrs. Frank Henry Williams of New Haven, Conn.

The engagement is announced of Miss Cerna Weinstein, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Weinstein of 3844 Congress street, to Milton Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Johnson of 1614 Columbia avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mautner of 1353 Glenlake avenue announce the engagement of their daughter, Louise, to David Paul Greenwald, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Greenwald of Hammond, Ind.

Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Evelyn Ehrenberg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Morris H. Ehrenberg of 2224 Roscoe street, to Manning L. Ware, son of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Ware of 3509 Medill avenue.

The engagement is announced of Miss Virginia Rose Mary Fruin, daughter of Mrs. Lillian M. Fruin of 2506 West Marquette road, to Joseph Francis Naughton, son of Mrs. Mary Naughton of 8141 Luella avenue.

S. A. Grimblot of 6259 Winthrop avenue announces the engagement of his daughter, Isabell, to Harry Lewis, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Lewis of 1618 North Shore avenue.

Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Rosalind E. Chaim, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Chaim of 1521 East 60th street, to Harold Newman, son of Mrs. Jack Newman of 2356 East 70th street.

The engagement is announced of Miss Jeanne Kosvick, daughter of Mr and Mrs. Harris Kosvick of 5728 South Park avenue, to Irving E. Keer, son of Mr. and Mrs. I. Keer of 6845 Ridgeland avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Brotine of 1318 South Harding avenue announce the engagement of their daughter, Anne, to Julius Sloan, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Sloan of 1458 Roosevelt road.

Announcement is made by Mrs. Bertha Davidson of 2236 East 70th street of the engagement of her daughter, Sylvia, to Sidney Newman of Chicago.

The engagement is announced of Miss Edythe Violet Nelson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nelson, to Leonard Allan Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Henry Williams of 2632 Hampden court.

Mr. and Mrs. David Novak of 907 Winona street announce the engagement of their sister, Emily Ginsburgh, to Charles Rubin of 2 South Mayfield avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolpe Armer of 840 Ainslie street announce the engagement of their daughter, Dorothy, to Jules J. Zohler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Zohler of 5838 South Park avenue.

The engagement is announced of Miss Shirley Sheila Zimbler, daughter of Mrs. R. Zimbler of 1829 South Clifton Park avenue, to Dave Bernstein, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bernstein of 4110 Jackson boulevard.

Announcement is made by Mr. and Mrs. David Berman of 1240 South St. Louis avenue of the engagement of their daughter, Evelyn Helen, to George Friedman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Friedman of Chicago.

Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Gertrude Rubin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Rubin of 5405 Ingleside avenue, to Oscar Rifkind.

The engagement is announced of Miss Fannie J. Deutelbaum of 851 Drexel square to Edward I. Friedman.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Laskey of 1401 Olive avenue announce the engagement of their daughter, Martha Jeanne, to Leo Sussland, son of Mrs. Jennie Sussland of 1921 Estes avenue.

The engagement is announced of Miss Rheda Cohen, daughter of Mr and Mrs. Joseph Cohen of 1318 South Kedzie avenue, to William Levine of 3628 Lexington street.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Dorticos of Park Ridge announce the engagement of their daughter, Carmencita, to Arthur Fergus Mead of Newark, N. J. The wedding will take place in the early summer.

Announcement is made by Mr. and Mrs. George R. Schoof of 3268 Fullerton avenue of the engagement of their daughter, Marjorie, to Henry P. Birkemeier, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Birkemeier of 6114 North Campbell avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Epstein of 5452 Ellis avenue announce the engagement of their daughter, Ruth, to Samuel H. Stern, of Omaha, Neb., and Chicago.

The engagement is announced of



SALLY GARDEN, KATHLEEN AND BETTY LORD.



NANCY POOLE, JOSEPHINE ROGERS, ANN WINSTON, NANCY FORGAN, MARY GARDNER, SALLY GARDEN, [Standing in back], PRISCILLA CURTIS, AND DOROTHY YOUNG.



MRS. KENT S. CLOW AND MRS. ROBERT A. GARDNER.



ALBERT BLAKE DICK JR. AND WILLIAM H. MITCHELL.



MRS. THORNE DONNELLEY, MASON PHELPS, MRS. WILLIAM E. CLOW JR., MRS. FARWELL WINSTON, AND WILLIAM E. CLOW JR.

THE Winter club in Lake Forest is promoting ice sports and skating among its members and their families. A large and jolly crowd turned out on Monday for a program of fancy skating by some imported performers. Donald B. Douglas, Hempstead Washburne, Thorne Donnelley, A. B. Dick Jr., and John H. McIlvaine Jr. are among the ringleaders in the arrangements. One of the amusing features of the affair was the bull fight staged by Mr. McIlvaine and Mr. Donnelley as the bull, and A. B. Dick Jr. as the matador.

Miss Edith Mary Skinner, daughter of Mrs. Ida M. Skinner of 2432 Fargo avenue, to William Roy Turgeon, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Turgeon of 4861 North Washtenaw avenue.

Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Rose Greenberg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Greenberg of the Envoy hotel, to Richard Culbert, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Culbert of 6517 North Ashland avenue.

SOCIETY PERSONALS

Senator and Mrs. James E. MacMurray of the Hotel Windermere are to depart on Saturday for a trip around the world.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Malloch of 1532 Thome avenue have had as their guests for the holidays their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Vilas M. Swan of Rochester, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel S. Hork of 3520 Sheridan road announce the birth of a daughter on Dec. 22 at St. Luke's hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Rose have returned from their wedding trip and are residing at the Flamingo hotel. Mrs. Rose was Miss Reeva Alfremow before her marriage, which took place on Thanksgiving day.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Anderson of 6846 Euclid avenue and their niece, Miss Lucile Caroline Berggren, departed on Wednesday to motor to Miami, Fla., where they plan to be for the remainder of the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Granville Revere Lewis III. of Wilmette have returned from a sojourn in New York City, Baltimore, and Lynchburg, Va. Mrs. Lewis was formerly Miss Natalie Madeline Yonkers. Her sister, Mrs. George Albert Zabriskie, and the latter's small son have also returned from New York City, where they have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cornell Zabriskie.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar L. Goodspeed of 5706 Woodlawn avenue are sojourning at the Edgewater Golf hotel, between Gulfport and Biloxi, Miss.

Miss Grace Sollitt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sumner Sollitt of 3995 Ellis avenue, has been spending the holidays from her studies at Sweet Briar college with her parents. Miss Sollitt is a senior and editor in chief of the college weekly.

Chronicler Looks Back Over the Year

By Mme. X.

GOOD-BY, 1927! Hail, 1928! And a Happy New Year to all my readers!

One more lap of what the late Charles Frohman, victim of the sinking of the Lusitania, called "the great adventure" has ended. It is the moment to pause and take a look, both back over the past and forward into the future. What changes have come in that social outfit which is supposed to be the especial concern of this pillar of polite piffle? How are our customs, manners, fashions, and outlook altered? Along what route are we going? Who of those with whom we have been traveling have solved the great riddle? Whither is this mighty experiment tending and what is our part in its direction?

These are many questions and this is the moment for asking them. As to our customs, manners, fashions, and outlook—to the unbiased observer it seems that a custom, one more honored in the breach than in the observance, that of drinking too much, which certainly prevailed not so many years ago, in the period immediately following the passing of the eighteenth amendment, is, in social circles, slowly diminishing and passing away. Not that we do not see our good friends occasionally under the influence of liquor, but it is not nearly so universal as it was, and especially among women and young girls is it becoming much rarer.

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A Practical Reason.

It must be confessed that, perhaps, the chief motive for this change among the fair sex lies not so much in the horror of putting that in the mouth that doth steal the soul away as because it has proved destructive of health and good looks. It is a curious fact that women who become addicts to this habit lose whatever they may have in the way of beauty much more completely and permanently than do men. A reformed man drunkard can become again attractive in appearance. A woman who has once been marked by the habit is never henceforth fair to look upon.

Our manners, too, have improved in the last few years, even in the year just gone. You see fewer young men in the casual attire of dinner coat and black tie at formal parties. The youth of the day is also much more punctilious in its attitude toward the elders of the tribe. That bumptiousness which became so evident directly after the war, that tendency to assert freedom and independence among this contingent is not nearly so obvious as formerly.

The fashions for women which govern our outward appearance and our backgrounds have developed along some interesting lines. While the skirts may be as short as they were last year, there are appearing at the sides or in the back draperies that fly out and sweep about the shorter under skirt in a way to suggest an approaching return to longer dresses. The slinking outline and utter annihilation of any evidence of hips is giving way to a bouffant treatment at the waist line that looks ominous to those females who are inclined to be both short and plump.

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Designed for the Slim.

These newer frocks are so evidently designed for the tall and slim that the rest of womankind can only beseech that their squatter outlines also will be considered. Are the walking bird cages of the Spanish Infantas returning to make life a burden? It is to be hoped not. Also, we pray the powers that govern modes not to withdraw entirely those healthgiving short skirts and loose blouses. And we beg them to leave us the small, close fitting hats that shade the eyes and make us independent of strong breezes.

As to the immediate outlook of the social world, it is both interesting and cheerful. While there are many of our social leaders who are already beginning to pack up their trunks in order to flit to warmer climes, there will be enough of this hospitable contingent left to fill our days with entertainment and our evenings with gayety. It is hardly probable that January, however, will see as many big balls as did departed December, whose lists were full of these festive affairs. The two principal events of this kind that are ahead on our calendars are the Twelfth Night ball, which will take place Jan. 6, and second Assembly ball, dated for Jan. 9.

Never were there more sumptuous invitations sent out by any ball committee than those lustrous silver and gilt bids issued by the Twelve Knights in charge of these historic and brilliant Twelfth Night balls. These affairs have far outgrown their origin, that was the jolly and informal dances the late Billy Gamble invented, got up and managed practically alone and unaided, and to which he first gave the name Butchers and Bakers, later changing it to Twelfth Night ball.

This year this gay contingent has selected one of the most poetic, imaginative, exquisite stories in history as the episode to be illustrated by the guests and the ball room. Nothing in all literature and ancient records is quite so fascinating as the legend of Atlantis, the lost island in the ocean off the northwest coast of Africa, which with its inhabitants and civilization is said to have disappeared beneath the waves. There are many who believe that these strange tales, handed down by word of mouth for countless generations, were founded on fact; that once there existed such an island peopled by a race far ahead of the rest of their contemporaries in civilization and accomplishments. By some it was believed to be a sort of matriarchy, a forerunner of today when women are supposed to be coming to the fore as custodians of culture and ideals.

In the surging mists of the unfathomable past the vision of Atlantis rises in prismatic splendor. Those seeking to express it in costume can indulge all their fervid and brilliant imaginings. The ball ought to be one of the most colorful and exquisite of the long line of these fancy dress dances. If, like some, you thought the ornamental invitation was a Christmas card or advertisement, hasten to retrieve it and

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prepare to accept it, or you will miss one of the gayest parties of 1928.

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The Second Assembly.

While some of those who attended the first Assembly ball of this season at the Congress hotel on Nov. 9 have departed for the west or the south or even further afield, there are enough of the well known folk, the very fabric of our social life, to provide a representative and brilliant gathering at the second of these annual fêtes. There is there a friendly atmosphere together with an elegance which makes these balls one of the loftiest of the winter's high spots.

To the young they may lack that element of final gayety which they think that they alone can impart, but to their elders who delight in these reunions there is a really chic and cosmopolitan air which is not to be attained without a certain knowledge of life and the world unattainable by mere youth.

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A Gay Month.

In the annals of our social doings, December, 1927, will go down as having been one of the gayest in Chicago's history. There were over twenty balls and dinner dances in those thirty-one days given by and for Chicago's "pretty world." This does not include the many large dinners, the beautiful musicals, and other evening entertainments which enlivened the month.

On Dec. 2 the James Weber Linns gave a dinner dance at the Blackstone for their debutante daughter, Miss Elizabeth Linn. On the following evening Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Richardson were hosts at a dinner dance at the Casino to introduce their daughter, Miss Frances Richardson. That same evening Mr. and Mrs. Philip Hosmer introduced their daughter, Miss Jessie Hosmer, at a dinner dance given in the Fortnightly's rooms.

Dec. 9 saw the first of the two Assembly balls at the Congress hotel. Dec. 16 was the date of the Actors' Equity ball at the Aragon, one of the season's gayest affairs. That same evening Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Borland and Mr. and Mrs. James C. Hutchins gave a dinner dance at the Casino.

On the twentieth of the month Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rumsey were hosts at a ball at the Blackstone for their debutante daughter, Miss Elizabeth Rumsey, and for another debutante, Miss Barbara Neff. The night after at the same place another debutante, Miss Roberta Harvey, made her bow at a ball given by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Harvey.

Dec. 22 Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Munroe presented their daughter, Miss Josephine Munroe, also at a ball at the Blackstone. The same ballroom was selected by Robert Carr for the ball he gave the night after in honor of his debutante daughter, Miss Louise Carr.

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On Christmas Eve.

On Dec. 24 Mr. and Mrs. John Blair were hosts at a dinner dance in the French foyer of the Palmer house, the occasion being the debut of their daughter, Miss Elizabeth Blair.

In the Red Lacquer room of the same hostelry Miss Virginia Vilas and her brother, Royal C. Vilas Jr., invited their young friends to a dinner dance that night. On Dec. 26 Mr. and Mrs. James W. Morrisson were hosts at a dinner in honor of their daughter, Miss Rosemary Morrisson, in the Red Lacquer room of the Palmer house. Later that same evening Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Dennehy gave a ball at the Blackstone for their daughter, Miss Eleanor Dennehy.

The night after Mr. and Mrs. John D. C. Towne gave a ball at the Blackstone for Mrs. Towne's debutante daughter, Miss Dorothy Vilas. Mrs. Jacob Baur was hostess at a dinner dance that same evening for her subdeb daughter, Miss Rosemary Baur, at the Casino. Henry H. Porter gave a ball the succeeding evening at the Blackstone for one of the season's debutantes, Miss Louise Brewer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Harris Brewer. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brewster gave a dinner dance preceding the ball for Miss Brewer and the younger set at their residence, 2710 Lake View avenue.

That same evening Mr. and Mrs. Gustavus Swift and Mr. and Mrs. Huntington Henry gave a dance at the Casino for their young people. Mrs. Howard Shaw was hostess before this event at a dinner for her young daughter, Miss Frances Theodora Shaw.

On Dec. 30 Mr. and Mrs. Frank Logan gave a Russian ball at the Palmer house in honor of their granddaughter, Miss Josephine Munroe. The last night, the final effort of the year, the only large entertainment even smacking of society was the dance given at the Bal Tabarin by the members of the new Tavern club, so completely has Mr. Volstead undermined old established custom and destroyed that long accepted method of drinking out the old and drinking in the new year. Probably there are not nearly so many headaches this morning as used to be the case.

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New Year's Functions.

Today's most conspicuous social function is the buffet luncheon which Mr. and Mrs. Kellogg Fairbank are giving at their residence, 1244 North State street. This has become an institution and to have the first day of the year come and go without this opportunity to have a gay rendezvous with the various interesting folk who compose our society would seem a real hardship to most of us. The Fairbanks know and cherish many different kinds of people, including the literary, artistic, musical, fashionable, the young, and not so young, members of our older families and newcomers, so that one is sure there of ushering in the young year in as excellent company as can be gathered together in Chicago. The afternoon always ends in singing in which, one after another, the entire company joins.

Another annual event in the social world to usher in the new year is the reception which Mr. and Mrs. William Stanton Monroe and Miss Harriet Monroe are in the habit of giving on this day. This year, as 1928 is born on a Sunday, they are asking their friends in on the official New Year's day, which is tomorrow, when they will be received from four to seven o'clock at the Monroe apartment, 64 East Elm street.

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Empty Places.

Looking back once more on the year that has just passed into history, your chronicler notes many vacancies in the ranks of those who made up our social and civic life. Men and women of high standing among us, fellow citizens who meant much to Chicago, who were delightful companions, some of them childhood playmates to many of us, have passed out and on into that great silence that hems all of us in, from which we come and into which we go.

It seems as if more deaths came in the late winter or early spring than at any other period of the year. Between January 1 and May Ernest Hamill, Ambrose Cramer, George F. Porter, Benjamin Carpenter, Dexter Fairbank, Howard Shaw, Mrs. James Keeley (dear Gertrude Keeley!), all answered the great summons.

In the summer Ogden Armour, whose name was known around the globe, also left the warm and cheerful precincts of this life, while in the autumn came the shocking disaster which ended the lives of that devoted couple, Mr. and Mrs. John J. Mitchell. This necrological list is, I know, incomplete and inadequate. These all were friends and neighbors who, in their departure, left vacancies that never can be filled in the rest of the march. We must just close up ranks and go on our strange and mysterious road. Do you remember this ancient toast?

"Here's to Life!
Our entrance to it is naked and bare;
Our progress through it is heavy with care;
Our exit from it is to God knows where;
But if you're all right here you're all right there."

And these friends above cited were all right here, so we may be sure they're all right there.

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A Fine Performance.

The talent Chicago's society folk develop as they go along their chosen ways is always a matter of keen interest to the provider of this social pabulum. There is that exquisite, incredibly young, unbelievably determined, and perfectly plucky Elinor Patterson who is now in the delightful company presenting that whimsical and charming satire, "Behold This Dreamer," at the Blackstone theater. She seems more like an ethereal, mystical maiden when she first comes on the stage than a flesh and blood Miss. She plays her rôle from first to last consistently and efficiently, though preserving the same nunlike quality that gained her renown when she alternated with Lady Diana Manners and Iris Tree in "The Miracle" last year.

The piece itself is a delicious and very delicate satire, and the company is excellent. Young Glenn Hunter and that veteran of theaterdom, Thomas A. Wise, are irresistible, and are ably supported by the other actors, Patricia O'Hearn (utterly amusing), William Lorenz, Mary Jane Herring, J. J. Hyland, Edward Donnelly, and James Seeley. Each of those in the cast was so good in his or her rôle that the company was able to put over a subtle comedy which needed the best kind of acting to reach the average theatergoing public. Nor am I talking in this laudatory fashion because I am on the W. G. N. staff and Elinor Patterson is a great-granddaughter of the founder of THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE. I'm not supposed to be a dramatic critic and could stay off the subject with great propriety if I did not want to testify to the real pleasure I enjoyed at the Blackstone last Tuesday evening.

It was an unexpected enjoyment, I must confess. It is so seldom that one really likes those of our friends and social acquaintances who take to the stage. Even when they write very clever books the consciousness of their personalities stands between us and genuine pleasure in their work. As for giving a fair judgment on the merits or demerits of the achievements of our close kin, our blood relations, whether in literature, or art, or music, or the stage—well, it's not possible. In writing of Elinor Patterson I am dilating on one whom I don't know now, though I did when she was a little girl. Then to an outsider there was little indication of the present very unusual and purposeful personality.

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Irene Castle Takes Up Pen.

The other unexpected development of talent in a socially prominent young woman is the case of Mrs. Frederic McLaughlin, who is blossoming out into a writer of no mean order. In a series of articles she is now contributing to Liberty she is proving herself as adept with the pen as she was as a dancer when she set a new fashion in this oldest of human modes of expression.

She writes under the name she made so famous when, as Irene Castle, she delighted the gay world on both sides of the Atlantic with her grace and charm. In a serial called, "Things We Remember," now appearing, she gives an account both thrilling and humorous of her life from the time she married Vernon Castle, a man in his life as famous as she as a creator of a new mode of dancing. The latest chapter in this series is one of the most entertaining of recent contributions to current periodicals.

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Whither Are We Tending?

Whither, to return to my opening paragraph, is this age tending? Is it towards the greater happiness and satisfaction of the majority? I think that in this country it is. We are nowhere near the goal of our desires, but we are on the road toward it. We are in a transition era out of which promises to grow a better, higher civilization. We are casting off old superstitions, old customs, old ideas of what constitutes right and wrong. We are giving a greater value to truth as far as we can see it, and also to candor. The prudishness that prevailed during what we call the Victorian age is falling from us like a worn out garment. It covered a lot of nastiness. We are outgrowing traditions that bound our ancestors in chains. We are much farther along the path towards ultimate spiritual sanity and freedom than many of us realize, with a better sense of relative values.

It seems old fashioned, these days, to look up to people because of some fancied inherited superiority or caste. Kings and queens, princes and nobles and such like are becoming quaint relics of the past. Even wealth does not confer that exalted state it once did. Can a rich man get a high office, one in the gift of the people? He cannot. Have we ever elected a financial magnate to the presidency of the United States of America—the most powerful position today existing? We have not.

In our social life there is an increasing regard for the essentials in human companionship. Social leaders are also leaders in the philanthropies in a community. More and more are women beginning to understand their responsibilities to the state. The nineteenth amendment will in time be a reality to them, something which they will use to the advantage of the country.

Social usages, too, are becoming saner. Overeating is not nearly so prevalent as it was a generation or two ago. Work as an accompaniment to daily life is becoming the mode among the young women of the time. Few of them are contented with the former state of domestic inertia which tied them to the parental apron strings, waiting for marriage. In fact, if they don't get out of the home of their own accord their parents are apt to do so for them, turning them out to find their calling in the strenuous battle for existence.

Could our grandparents return they would find a very different state of things in daily life from that which they left behind them. The automobile, the radio, electricity in its many forms, have all changed the face of existence and released women from much former drudgery. Freedom and sanity, those are today's passwords.



MISS PRISCILLA HELENA ZAHN.
[De Haven Photo.]
Mr. and Mrs. Albert H. Zahn of the Sutherland hotel, 4659 Drexel boulevard, announce the engagement of their daughter, Priscilla Helena, to Burton Victor Baruszak, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Baruszak of 5421 Dorchester avenue.



MISS EVELYN WYNNE OLSON.
[Bloom Photo.]
Mr. and Mrs. Olof Olson of 532 Hinman avenue, Evanston, announce the engagement of their daughter; Evelyn Wynne, to E. Walter Erickson.



MRS. ROBERT SIM REINACH.
[Teloff Photo.]
Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Ginsburg of Muskogee, Okla., announce the marriage of their daughter, Eleanor, to Robert Sim Reinach. Mr. and Mrs. Reinach are to reside at 7657 Sheridan road.



MISS RUTH MARGUERITE KRAFTHEFER.
[Holbrook Photo.]
Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Krafthefer of Wilmette announce the engagement of their daughter, Ruth Marguerite, to Edward B. Casey of 1515 Pratt boulevard.



MISS HAZEL STROUBE ANDERSON.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Anderson of 3429 West 62d place announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Hazel Stroube, to Walter E. Marks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Marks of 1475 West 72d street, which will take place Jan. 7. Mr. Marks was 1926 captain of the University of Chicago football team, and is now football coach at Indiana State Normal college at Terre Haute, Ind., where he and his bride will reside.



MISS OLINE ELIZABETH TAYLOR.
[Roehlk Photo.]
Mr. and Mrs. Tracy J. Taylor of 5436 Harper avenue announce the engagement of their daughter, Oline Elizabeth, to Jacob Brandt Olwin, son of Mr. and Mrs. William G. Olwin of Peoria, Ill. Miss Taylor is a graduate of the National Kindergarten and Elementary college, and Mr. Olwin attended the University of Chicago, and is a member of Phi Kappa Sigma fraternity.

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WOMEN'S CLUB PAGE

Federation to Hold Midwinter Meeting

By Kate Webber.

HAPPY NEW YEAR!

Starting in with a whirl of activity — social, cultural, and civic—the women's clubs of the first ten districts, comprising Chicago and vicinity, are in a fair way to make the last half of the club season a red letter period.

The seventh congressional district of the Illinois Federation of Women's clubs is setting the pace for other districts by its midwinter meeting to be held on Thursday at the Albany Park Methodist church, Wilson and Albany avenues. A full program will take up both morning and afternoon sessions, with Mrs. Walter W. Seymour, state president, as guest and principal speaker after luncheon. Reports of district chairmen and plans of work for the remainder of the year will fill the morning.

The seventh district covers the northwest side of the city, embracing in addition the towns of Edison Park, Park Ridge, Norwood Park, Forest Glen, Mont Clare, Arlington Heights, Mount Prospect, Des Plaines, and Barrington. There are thirty-five clubs in the membership, with a total of 1,200 women, and the district is, of course, affiliated with the state federation and has been since 1898. The district has coöperated with the state in each of its sixteen departments of work, and has paid to the endowment in excess of $3,000.

Study Classes Featured.

During the last season the district has attempted a unique bit of work by organizing and financing study classes, which have become so popular that they promise to become regular features of the district activity. Since October Dr. Franklin Bliss Snyder has conducted literature classes each week and, beginning in late February, Miss Caroline McIlvaine will give a course of illustrated lectures on the history of the state.

Another group of women in the community have completed a ten hour course in parliamentary law under Mrs. Maurice H. Lieber, and this month will take up a course in public speaking.

All departments of the district are active. The philanthropic department concentrates its work on the four settlement houses in the district. One large affair is given each year to finance the department's activities. The affair this year is to be a card party on Feb. 29 at the Edgewater Beach hotel.

District Park Created.

The conservation department has been instrumental in having a strip of land in the Edgebrook forest preserve set aside as a district park. Bird baths, rustic seats, a monumental arch, and a flagpole will be placed there as testimonials to the district work.

Mrs. Ole Jensen is chairman of the friendly coöperation with ex-service men committee, which has just completed a splendid bit of Christmas cheer work for former soldiers. The week before Christmas members went to Elgin laden with 1,500 packages for the 430 world war veterans at the hospital there. This is typical of the work carried on constantly by this department. Similar parties have been given at the Municipal Tuberculosis sanitarium, Great Lakes hospital, and North Chicago hospital.

The district has had fourteen presidents, most of whom are still interested in, and many of them active in club work, one having died. Officers for the current year are Mrs. J. M. Laventhal, president; Mrs. W. E. Adams and Mrs. F. J. Fielding, vice presidents; Mrs. T. A. Jordan, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Charles Peters, recording secretary; Mrs. John E. Eipper, treasurer.



MRS. DUDLEY J. STEVISON. MRS. EDWIN O. GRIFFENHAGEN. [Bayhuff-Richter Photo.] MRS. J. M. LAVENTHAL. [Montfort Photo.]

THE Woodlawn Woman's club, with a membership of more than 300 women, is beginning the last half of one of the most interesting seasons in its career, under the leadership of the president, Mrs. Dudley J. Stevison. New departments recently added to the club are the junior members, the information bureau, and the committee which keeps account of members who are ill or incapacitated for active work.

The Chicago College club will keep open house tomorrow afternoon at its attractive quarters at 196 East Delaware place. Mrs. Edwin O. Griffenhagen, president, the officers and a large committee will receive the guests.

Mrs. J. M. Laventhal is president of the seventh congressional district, Illinois Federation of Women's Clubs, which will have its midwinter meeting on Thursday at the Albany Park Methodist church. An account of the district activities may be found in today's club news.



MRS. FRANK M. FULTON.

The Chicago Woman's Ideal club, of which Mrs. Frank M. Fulton is president, will give a program of music and theatricals next Saturday evening at the Blackstone for the husbands of members. Mrs. Seral Goldman is chairman of the program for the evening, which will have stars in theatrical productions now appearing as headliners. Sidney Smith of The Tribune also will speak.

DOWNTOWN CLUBS

The board of directors of the first district, I. F. W. C., will meet tomorrow morning at headquarters. There will be a meeting of the public welfare department at 2 o'clock. On Tuesday morning the literature department will meet, and the committee on coöperation with war veterans will meet on Wednesday morning, as will the legislative committee. There will be a meeting of the education department on Friday morning.

Two dramas, "Ropes" and the "The Flattering Word," will be presented at the Chicago Woman's club next Wednesday at 2 o'clock by the Chicago Art theater.

Tomorrow will be a holiday, the rooms to be closed all day. On Tuesday there will be a special meeting of the board of managers at 10 o'clock, and at the same hour the house committee will meet. At 11 o'clock the book review group will meet. The two classes in Italian will meet at the usual hours.

On Wednesday there will be an executive committee meeting of the education and philosophy department at 10 o'clock, followed by a business meeting of the department at 10:30 o'clock. At 10:30 the art class will meet to continue the study of monuments and mural decorations in Illinois. The three classes in French will meet at the usual hours.

On Thursday the English study class will meet at 10:30 to study character clothes. On Friday the class in current events will meet. On Saturday the American speech committee will meet at 11 o'clock, and at 12:30 o'clock the education and philosophy department will give a luncheon, when Hughes Mearns of New York university will speak on "The Conservation of Youth Power."

Events of the week at the Woman's City club include the meeting of the education of the adult foreigner committee on Wednesday at 11:45 o'clock, and at 2:30 George Utley of Newberry library will speak on "European Libraries," before the book review committee. On Thursday at noon the clean city committee will have a meeting. The recreation committee will have a self-service luncheon on Friday and at 1 o'clock the municipal citizenship committee will meet for luncheon when Shelby Singleton, secretary of the Citizens' association of Chicago, will speak on "What Is Chicago's Method of Filling the Office of Adult Probation Officer."

The midwinter business meeting of the Chicago Woman's Aid will be held on Tuesday at 2 o'clock, when reports of committees and delegates will be given by the various chairmen. On Thursday at 11 o'clock the first of a course of lectures of the civics and philanthropy department will be given by Irving St. John Tucker.

Mrs. May Wood Simons, president, and the directors of the Woman's University club have extended invitations for a housewarming on Thursday from 2 until 5 o'clock in the new club rooms, 5 North Wabash avenue.

Mrs. Allen Howes will speak on the origin and progress of French music to the 18th century on Tuesday at the meeting of Le Cercle Français. There also will be music.

Dr. Gilmore Scott of Franklin college, Franklin, Ind., will speak at the meeting of the Daughters of Indiana on Tuesday afternoon.

Dr. Frank Nugent Freeman, Dr. Herman Adler, and Dr. Julius Toren will speak at the meeting of the Central Council of Childhood Education on Saturday at 11 o'clock in the Central Eleanor club rooms.

Miss Anna Lynch will be the guest at a luncheon to be given on Saturday at 12:30 o'clock by the Chicago College club. A card party followed by tea also will be given on that day.

A luncheon will be given on Jan. 4 at Marshall Field's by the Colonial Coverlet Guild of America. G. M. Moritz will speak.

Henry Turner Bailey of the Cleveland public schools will speak at the meeting of the Catholic Woman's league on Saturday afternoon, after which there will be a social hour.

There will be a meeting of the Daughters of the Renaissance on Tuesday afternoon at the usual time and place.

The January meeting of the Osteopathic Woman's club will be held on Thursday at the Eleanor club rooms, with Dr. Fannie E. Carpenter as the speaker.

The monthly luncheon meeting of the P. E. O. sorority will be held on Wednesday at 12 o'clock at Marshall Field's.

"The Evolution of Dress" will be the subject of the meeting of the Chicago Woman's Ideal club on Thursday at the Blackstone. The club will give its annual dinner dance on Saturday evening at the Blackstone.

The executive committee of the Cook County W. C. T. U. will meet on Tuesday at 2 o'clock in room 811 Capitol building. County department directors will give reports, as will local union presidents.

Mrs. John E. Gilchrist will speak at the meeting of the Dames of the Loyal Legion tomorrow at the Morrison hotel.

NORTH SIDE CLUBS

Mrs. Arthur L. Farwell of 1301 Ritchie court is giving the use of her house for the first of a series of lectures on child study on Thursday at 3 o'clock. The lectures are being sponsored by the board of directors of the Lower North Child Guidance center, which is maintained at 1120 North Clark street under the supervision of the Institute for Juvenile Research of the University of Chicago. It serves the community by examining and treating children who manifest behavior difficulties in home, school or community. Mrs. George B. Foster is chairman of ticket sales.

Mrs. Charles W. Hubbard will speak on "The Arts and Crafts of China" at the meeting of the Rogers Park Woman's club on Tuesday afternoon.

The monthly meeting of the Uptown League of Women Voters will be held on Wednesday at the Algonquin hotel, when William F. Mulvihill will speak on "Our Waterways."

Legislation which affects the home will be the subject for discussion at the noon meeting of the Lake View Woman's club on Tuesday. Victor S. Yarros will speak at 2:30 o'clock.

The Irving Park Woman's club will give a dinner dance on Saturday evening at the Edgewater Beach hotel.

Correct table settings and decorations will be discussed at the meeting of the Sauganash Woman's club on Tuesday afternoon, and there also will be music.

Genevieve Forbes Herrick will speak at the meeting of the Temple Emanuel Sisterhood on Tuesday afternoon.

A mothers' and daughters' program will feature the meeting of the Mount Sinai Hospital Service club on Tuesday afternoon at the Edgewater Beach hotel.

There will be a business meeting of the Virginia Colony club on Wednesday at 12 o'clock at the Belden Stratford hotel, after which there will be luncheon and cards.

The Altar and Rosary society of St. Thomas of Canterbury church will give a card party tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock at 4827 Kenmore avenue.

A musical will be given at the meeting of the Joyce Kilmer league on Tuesday evening at the Rogers Park Woman's club.

SOUTH SIDE CLUBS

Prof. Davis Edwards will give an interpretation of Deems Taylor's "The King's Henchman" on Friday afternoon before the members of the Arché club. The art class will meet at 11 o'clock.

Mrs. Thomas M. Lineweaver will speak on "New Gateways to Education for Women Workers in Industry" on Tuesday afternoon at the meeting of the Windsor Park Woman's club.

Rufus W. Putnam and Prof. Jerome Kerwin will speak on "The Problems of Water Power" at a dinner to be given on Tuesday evening at 6:30 o'clock at 6207 University avenue under the auspices of the Sixth Ward League of Women Voters.

The Chrysolite club will hold its first meeting of the new year on Tuesday at the Windermere hotel. A business meeting of the executive board at 10 o'clock will be followed by a business and industrial meeting, luncheon, and a card party for members and guests.

ENGAGED



MISS ANNETTE EDITH HELLER. [Rochik Photo.]

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Heller of 4937 Woodlawn avenue have announced the engagement of their daughter, Annette Edith, to Alan J. Altheimer of 4858 Drexel boulevard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice L. Altheimer of Little Rock, Ark. Miss Heller is a student at the Sherwood School of Music, and Mr. Altheimer is a graduate of the Columbia University School of Law, '25.

CLUB ETHICS - - - *By Maude Swalm Evans*

"IT'S time for New Year's resolutions again. I suppose you have yours all down in black and white," said the secretary when she talked with the treasurer at a holiday gathering. "You're always on time with everything."

"I've been thinking about that resolution business," answered the treasurer, "and I've decided it would be lots more exciting to draw up resolutions for someone else rather than for oneself."

"I'm sure it would be, now I think of it," affirmed the secretary. "Take, for instance, the member of our club who always writes fault-finding, sarcastic letters to me when anything in the club goes contrary to her liking. I've had three from her so far this week."

"How would this do? 'Resolved, that hereafter when I write a letter that isn't happy and courteous I'll mail it to myself and find out now it sounds when it's cold.'"

"Fine!" commended the secretary. "And there's the member who is always right and is always admitting it—you know her?"

"Here's one for her," replied the treasurer. 'Resolved, that I'll admit I'm wrong once in a while, during the coming year, whether or not I think I am'."

"We're getting along famously," laughed the secretary. "How about the one who takes office and doesn't do the work. What have you for her?"

"She's probably discovered that the reward of work well done is more work. Let's see—how's this—'Resolved, that hereafter I'll do well what I promise to do, but I'll be exceedingly careful when it comes to promising'."

"So far I've provided all the material for your resolutions," declared the secretary. "It's your turn, now."

"It was meeting a woman who I thought should reform her ways that started me to thinking about an exchange of New Year's resolutions," returned the treasurer. "She's never belonged to a club, yet she blames everything that goes wrong at home and abroad on the club woman. Here's mine for her: 'Resolved, that before I believe anything more against the club woman I'll join a club and find out what it's all about'."

Question.

May we make by-laws for our club that conflict with our parliamentary authority?

Reply.

A club is a law unto itself as long as it does not conflict with the state law. Parliamentary authority governs only in matters not covered by constitution, by-laws, or standing rules.

It will be new members' day on Wednesday at the Beverly Hills Woman's club.

Mrs. John Borrowdale will be hostess for a meeting of the Martha Washington club on Friday afternoon, when Mrs. Walter W. Seymour will be a guest.

An all day program will feature the meeting of the Woodlawn Woman's club on Tuesday. A class in better speech and reports of departmental activities will take up the morning session. In the afternoon there will be a musical program and a talk by Leonard A. Barrett.

There will be a meeting of the board of the South Side Catholic Woman's club on Thursday morning, followed by a program in the afternoon in charge of the social service department. The Rev. Eugene McGuinness will speak.

Mrs. Minna Schmidt will be the speaker at the meeting of the Hamilton Park Woman's club on Tuesday afternoon. There will be a morning session in charge of the American citizenship and legislative department.

Election of officers for the woman's auxiliary of the Oakhaven Old People's home will be held on Thursday at 6401 Harvard avenue. Luncheon will be served.

Dr. Gerson B. Levi will give a book review at the meeting of the Temple Sisterhood on Wednesday afternoon.

WEST SIDE CLUBS

Open house for members and guests will be the feature of the West End Woman's club meeting on Friday afternoon. There will be a program of music.

A talk and exhibit of old china will constitute the program at the meeting of the Hull House Woman's club on Wednesday.

The music department of the Millard Avenue Woman's club will have charge of the program at the meeting on Friday afternoon at Shedd Park community house.

SUBURBAN CLUBS

A book review will be given at the meeting of the drama department of the Western Springs Woman's club on Friday afternoon.

A program of songs and music will feature the meeting of the La Grange Woman's club on Tuesday afternoon.

ISN'T IT ODD?

By William Atherton Du Puy

ISN'T it odd that man should have found it possible to make a strong, vigorous plant with roots in the ground that it has taken years to develop, adopt a spindling little seedling, and transfer all its vigor to its foster child!

Here is the way it is done. A vigorous peach tree may be growing in the orchard. It is four years old but produces very ordinary peaches. This man, however, was last year traveling in the west and, when his train stopped at some way station, he bought a basket of peaches. They were the best he had ever eaten and so he saved the seeds. He planted them and the next summer they were growing slowly as delicate little plants. This man knew it would take six or eight years before these plants would come into bearing.

So he decided to give them stepmothers to help them along. He took them up with balls of dirt about their roots. He went to the four-year-old peach tree and scraped out a bit of a trough in its bark; he also scaped the outer bark from the side of the tiny seedling. Then he bound the wounds in these two plants firmly together.

The older tree was getting abundant nourishment from its roots. The seedling was getting enough nourishment from its ball of dirt to keep it going for a while. But the trees grew together at the wound. Presently the seedling began to draw on the older tree for nourishment. In the end it got all its vitality from this source. It began to grow faster than if it had depended on its own roots. Finally the roots of the young tree and the top of the old one were cut off. This turned all the vigor of this four-year-old tree into the seedling. It grew as such a young plant had never grown before. In the second year, so full of vigor was it, that it bore fruit. The owner of the orchard got some of his choice peaches in two years, instead of six.

This use of the stepmother tree has proven a great help to scientists who have been experimenting with the development of new fruits. A scientist may cross one sort of plum with another. He is hoping that he may develop a better plum. Or he may cross an orange with a grapefruit, this being possible since these plants are closely related. He is most anxious to know what will result from the cross. At best he may have to wait through tedious years. Then, to develop a superior fruit, he may have to again select certain plants, cross them again, and wait for results.

By using the stepmother tree in such experiments the scientist can hurry nature. He can reduce the time he will have to wait between the different stages of the experiment from six years to two. Thus is the tedium of such experiments lessened. Thus is the likelihood increased that the experiment will be carried through to final results. Thus are the chances increased that 10 or 20 years from now the public will begin to get new and superior varieties of fruit. Since this method has been in use nearly two decades it is probable that the tables of the public are already beginning to benefit from it.

$5 Apiece for Bright Sayings

The Tribune will pay $5 for each childish saying printed. The story told must never have been printed in any magazine or paper. It is not possible to acknowledge or return unavailable contributions. Write on one side of the paper. Address bright sayings to Aunty Bee, The Tribune, Chicago.

Little Norman had been out playing for some time when an angry neighbor came to complain to his mother that he was annoying his dog. When Norman appeared with his new little play gun in hand his mother said, "Norman, were you misbehaving?"

"Why, no, mother," said he, "I was just trying to see if I could hit the dog's tail." N. G.

NEW YORK SOCIETY
James Speyer Weds Soon, Rumor States

By Nancy Randolph.

NEW YORK.—[Special Correspondence.]—Just at present there's a delightful rumor running along Park avenue to the effect that James Speyer, the noted banker, is considering matrimony a second time.

Of course, Mr. Speyer has long been noted in society for the depth of his affection for his wife, the late Ellin Prince Speyer, whose love for animals has been perpetuated not only in the Elde-a-Wee home but in the Ellin Prince Speyer Memorial Home for Animals, founded and maintained by Mr. Speyer in his wife's memory.

That the personable banker should be considering entering upon matrimony is not at all remarkable, since I know he is regarded in many quarters as a most eligible party, and many the matron and elderly maid who has angled fruitlessly to ensnare the affection of the middle aged banker. In fact, the angling has bordered on downright persecution.

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Society Approves.

In this case, however, the lady whom Mr. Speyer has been considering as his second helpmeet is herself of great social importance, none other, indeed, than the erstwhile Anita Stewart, daughter of William Rhinelander Stewart and widow of the late Duc de Braganza.

Mrs. Miguel de Braganza, since she has long since dropped the use of the royal Portuguese title, is quietly active in society. She spends most of her time in Newport and New York and seems more than happy to be with her son and her daughter, Nadedja, still a sub-deb.

While nothing at all has been said in the way of an announcement, the Park avenue tea gatherings have the matter all settled and, even more, have given the match their approval.

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In the Old Manner.

Society, naturally, is not the same as it was in days gone by. That sounds bromidic, but remembering entertaining in New York even ten years ago, one is startled to find how much it has changed.

There are still circles in New York whose exclusiveness never changes. They are the members of the old guard whose homes both on 5th avenue and further downtown were the scene of ceremonious receptions, dances, and dinners. The dinners still continue, notably those given by Mrs. H. McK. Twombly, and Mrs. Francis E. Saxham Drury, the former Mabel Gerry, who has an international reputation for entertaining.

However, seldom in the last few years has the real cream of New York society been brought together on a large scale, and therefore the dinner-dance and supper that Gen. and Mrs. Charles H. Sherrill gave at the Ritz on Tuesday night in honor of their son, Gibbs Wynkoop Sherrill, brought forth a veritable gasp of surprise.

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Gathering of Notables.

In numbers the guests did not approach those who have attended many of the dinner and supper dances given this winter, when five, six, and seven hundred guests have been nothing out of the ordinary, but the Sherrill guests were of such importance that every one of them might be eligible for the leadership of New York society.

The occasion, too, was most refreshing, in that it was in celebration of Young Sherrill's attaining his majority. An undergraduate at Yale, and home for the holidays, his parents took advantage of the occasion to fête him properly in the presence of their friends. And those friends, as I have said, were of breath-taking importance.

Gen. Sherrill, Yale '89, was formerly American minister to Argentina, and the diplomatic corps turned out in force to honor his son. The French Ambassador and Mme. Claudel were present, as were the Spanish Ambassador and Mme. de Padilla, the Chilean Ambassador and Mme. Davila, the ambassador from Argentina, and the minister from Czecho-Slovakia.

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Long List of Guests.

Among the notables of New York society present were Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt the elder, Gen. and Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, Mrs. H. McK. Twombly, Dr. and Mrs. Nicholas Murray Butler, Mr. and Mrs. William Starr Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Francis E. Saxham Drury, Mr. and Mrs. Edmund L. Baylies, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Belmont, Mr. and Mrs. C. Oliver Iselin, Mr. and Mrs. George B. Post, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Larocque, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Knox Bell, Judge and Mrs. Francis Key Pendleton, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gassaway Davis III., Mr. and Mrs. George Henry Warren Jr., Mr. and Mrs. John S. Rogers, Col. and Mrs. Francis L. V. Hoppin, Bishop and Mrs. Shipman, Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Henry Sloane Coffin, Mr. and Mrs. James Blanchard Clews, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Brown of Baltimore, Mr. and Mrs. William B. Bristow and Capt. and Mrs. Charles Astor Bristed.

Also Mr. and Mrs. J. Sargeant Cram, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. Giraud Foster, Col. and Mrs. Snowden A. Fahnestock, Col. and Mrs. Edward N. House, Judge and Mrs. George L. Ingraham, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gouverneur Morris, Col. and Mrs. Newbold Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Parish, Commodore and Mrs. Robert E. Tod, Mrs. Marshall Orme Wilson, Mrs. Reginald De Koven, Mrs. Andrew Carnegie, Mrs. John R. Drexel, Mrs. Whitney Warren, Mrs. August Belmont, Mrs. Shepherd Fabbri, Donna Eugenia Ruspoli, Mrs. Frederick Pearson, Julia A. Berwind, Mrs. Horace Gallatin, Mrs. William Bayard Van Rensselaer, Madame Boas de Jouvenal, Mrs. John Turner Atterbury, Mrs. J. Stewart Barney, Bell B. Gurnee, Mrs. Henry C. Redmond and Mrs. J. Lee Tailer.

Also present were Clarence H. Mackay, Albert Morris Bagby, Albert Eugene Gallatin, Rawlins L. Cottenot, Oliver Gould Jennings, Rutger Bleecker Jewitt, Shipley Jones, Frederic A. Juillard, E. Victor Loew, Vicomte Alain de Jouvenal, the Misses Claudel, Betty Tailer, Katherine Tod, Rita Dolan, Elisabeth Larocque, Emily Frelinghuysen, Alice Morris, and May Swords.

Which, as you can see, is a list without a peer, and worthy of noting simply because it is so seldom, these days, that one has a chance to see quite so many notables of society together at one and the same time.

The Strange Adventures of Young Robinson Grewso

By KEMBLE

His ma called him Robin; his dad called him son.
He grew like a weed and thought it great fun—
So he called himself Robinson Grewso.

ROY puzzled day and night to think of a way to get rid of the bands that the pirates had bound around his ankles. He couldn't run with them; he couldn't swim, and as long as he wore them he was a prisoner. And the work he had to do—washing the dishes, keeping the cave clean, and, worst of all, feeding the airplane chicks while the old hen waddled around and jabbed him with her big flat bill. How he did long to choke the chick that had carried him there, for every time he went near her the miserable creature opened her big mouth, threw back her head, and laughed at him.

"Never mind," Roy would hiss at her, "I'll get you yet, and don't forget it."

Whenever the pirate chief came near Sweet Marie he made eyes at her and acted so silly that Roy wanted to kick him. One day he tried it, forgetting that his legs were bound together, and he landed flat on his back.

But what interested him most were the pirates themselves. Every morning after breakfast they marched into the woods with picks and shovels and worked until dinner time. What were they digging? They were very secretive about it and wouldn't let Roy go near the place. He was getting more curious by the minute, so one day he decided that after dinner he would go and investigate for himself, or at least he would try to.



Roy Waits on the Pirates

But such a dinner it turned out to be! With a big white apron around his waist, Roy waited on the table, hopping around as best he could with a big tray loaded with plates of fish and game. He flipped a bit of food on each plate. Now and then he would miss his mark, and once he popped a fat fish right down the chief's neck. It was a hot fish, too, and how the pudgy little bandit flipflopped around, first on the table, upsetting everything, then bouncing off and, like a kernel of popcorn in a popper, popping around the table three times before one of his mates reached down his back and pulled the fish out.

Then how the whole crew pitched into poor Roy! They jabbed him with spoons and forks and knives and stuck their greasy fingers in his eyes and ears. Had it not been for Sweet Marie, who came upon the scene just then, Roy might have been seriously hurt. Jumping on the table, Sweet Marie commanded them to stop.

"If you want me to stay here, you've got to behave like gentlemen!" she screamed. "The idea of pitching on a prisoner just because he did what any one might do under the circumstances! Who ever heard of any one waiting on a table properly with his feet tied?"



Giving Roy the Laugh

The pirates looked foolish and marched away to talk it over.

As soon as they were alone Sweet Marie walked up to Roy and placed a shining piece of metal in his hand. "I got it from the hole they are digging in the woods. There is lots of it there, and, unless I am mistaken, it is gold. But, remember, you must say nothing about it."



A Hot Fish Down His Back.

Just then the pirates returned, and Sweet Marie stuck out her tongue at Roy and Roy scowled and shook his fist at her, and the pirates grinned because they thought they were bitter enemies.

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OUR LOLLIPOP LADS.

[Reports from Paris indicate that the latest flair is cosmetics for men.]

By W. M. Schwimmer.

They tell me that quite long ago
the men were all athletic,
The chaps were hardy, husky
hods with methods energetic;
They went in for pugnacity
And trained their brawn capacity,
They would not act effeminate
or feign to be aesthetic.

The papas, so I understand, used
measures harsh and drastic,
So boys would practice feats of
strength and learn to be gymnastic;
They emphasized virility
And physical agility;
And exercised to make their
muscles lusty and elastic.

But now it cuts me to the quick
when I am forced to mention
That styles have changed and
yielded to the dictates of convention;
And dandies think it dutiful
To make themselves look beautiful,
For elegance and vanity now
claim a man's attention.

No longer have we he-men from
the great wide open spaces,
Instead we're forced to watch
some dapper dudes go through their paces;
Quite openly and daringly,
They dab and daub unsparingly
Abundant rouge and lipstick on
their mollycoddle faces!

It seems to me the fashion that
this giddy gang expresses,
Will cause a transformation, if
this policy progresses;
These simps will mock formality
And show originality
By brazenly discarding pants
and wearing women's
dresses!

Chicagoans Gather in Mississippi

BILOXI, Miss., Dec. 31.—[Special.]—Chicagoans are beginning to gather in large numbers along the Mississippi coast. This section has become a mecca for prominent midwesterners. Ample accommodation is afforded at the hotels constructed during the last several years at an outlay of $5,000,000. Added to the attractions this winter are the six sporty golf courses within a radius of twenty-five miles, where professional instructors from Chicago preside. Various other entertainment is afforded the visitors each season, all of which is becoming more popular with the increasing number arriving.

Among Chicagoans in Biloxi are Mrs. T. E. Blake and daughter, Miss Blanche Blake, and Samuel Insull Jr.

ACTIVITIES OF WOMEN

Miss Fridl Kutzner, Germany's leading woman agriculturist, is now in the United States to study our farming methods.

Miss Agnes M. Royden, known as England's greatest woman preacher, celebrated her 51st birthday recently.



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The Last Word in Paris Fashions

The Four Piece Ensemble Provides a Labor Saving Chic for the Busy Woman.

By Bettina Bedwell.

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

PARIS.—(Special Correspondence.)—A good many women are traveling light this season, whether they go south or do their journeying on the home boulevards. Clothes, charming as they are, mean work. It isn't alone the original cost in time, worry and weariness; it's the upkeep of expenditure of these three vital qualities which is driving many ladies to some kind of labor saving chic.

The experienced traveler allows the amateur and the thoughtless to pound the pavements in a never ending job of getting something new. She knows well how devastating are the results of this continual assembling of dresses, coats, and the multitude of details to complete them. Fewer and smarter clothes are more satisfying and far less of a strain to the nervous system, in the long run. No single garment can be chic if it is not complementary to all the other garments that are worn with it.

This is why so many of the fashionable women in Paris are choosing four piece ensembles this winter for all-day wear. These ensembles may be worn all together, or in a group of three or two. Each item is in perfect accord with all the others, in line, in material, in detail and in character, because the ensemble is the work of one creator. Hats, shoes, hosiery and other accessories chosen for the outfit are entirely suitable to any part of it when worn alone. The first cost of careful and intelligent selection covers the entire outlay that provides several costumes appropriate to a good many occasions.

It is true, of course, that the four-in-one costume hasn't the novelty which so often dazzles the amateur chic hunter. It has instead a surer cachet, and it does end a lot of worry about details. And for the traveler the four piece ensemble means much less parking space, which is also an item worthy of consideration.

Usually the four piece ensemble is composed of coat, jacquette, waist and skirt. Many women expand it by having several blouses and perhaps a slipon sweater, so that the ensemble has more variety and greater usefulness without in any way losing its priceless quality of complete harmony. According to the character of these units is the ensemble made suitable for street, sports or afternoon wear.

A four piece ensemble that is a great favorite of the Parisienne is shown on our first figure at the left. This model is from Jeanne Lanvin, who creates an exquisite balance between the flared lines of the coat and the straight lines of skirt and jacquette by the use of gray and black diagonal kasha-bure as the material. The coat has the Lanvin dropped shoulder line, with a yoke in back made by inset sun-ray bands. The front closing of this coat is trimmed on the inside by bias bands of the diagonal fabric, and the top opens to form revers that are not attached to the black marten collar.

The skirt is a double wrap-around, giving the utmost freedom with the slenderest of lines. The straight jacquette buttons down the front from throat to hips with black bone buttons. The original ensemble has a simple jumper blouse of gray crêpe de chine, and the big scarf, which ties in a bow at the throat, is also of gray crêpe. The blouse has a yoke in back similar to that of the coat, achieved by a series of small tucks.

Our second model is a four piece ensemble from [illegible] fern, which may be worn for almost any daytime occasion in town. Our second figure shows the coat of this ensemble which is made of satin-finish broadcloth in that most beautiful of the smart winter colors, plum brown. This coat is of seven-eighths length and is very straight in line. The pockets are placed at the hipline in front. The collar is of beaver, and the full length revers, which meet at the back of the neck and replace a collar, are also of [illegible].

Under the coat is worn a cardigan jacquette which is banded with beaver colored crêpe, and which fastens with bone buttons. These buttons are placed only half way down the front, so that the beige crêpe de chine jabot on the waist may be draped over the jacquette.

A straight skirt of plum brown broadcloth is worn with the jacquette, and when the latter is removed or worn open, the blouse of beige crêpe de chine is visible. This effect is shown on our third figure, which represents the ensemble without the coat. The straight blouse has a square plastron effect, created by a band of tiny tucks. Another band of tucks is placed at the bottom of the blouse.

The jacquette is sleeveless, so that the straight sleeves of the blouse with their narrow flaring cuffs show when the coat is not worn. The blouse collar may be worn closed as it is shown on our second figure, or open as it is shown on the third.

Any chic that hopes to qualify in the labor saving category must be one that is extremely careful about lines, colors and fabrics used. Simple fabrics of fine quality and sober, or at least discreet, colors are best. An ideal color for winter, and one which will surely be smart in the early spring, is navy blue. Among the fabrics the safest daytime material is broadcloth because it is a favorite in Paris not only for elegant afternoon clothes, but for the simple sport costume, also.

Blue is the color and broadcloth the material of our final model in the sketch today. This Beer four piece ensemble is shown on the two figures at the right of the sketch. The skirt, blouse and jacquette of this ensemble are sketched on the fourth figure. Beer makes the skirt of navy blue broadcloth and gives it fullness by a series of stair-step plaits descending at the right and left sides of the front.

The sweater blouse is made of pastel blue jersey crossed by fine lines of white. The asymmetrical neck is edged with a band in navy and lighter blue, this band descending at the left side to a large monogram embroidered in navy blue on a lighter blue oval of jersey. The jacquette, which is of navy blue broadcloth, is banded also in two tones of blue and similar bands replace cuffs on the sleeves.

The coat shown in our final sketch is worn over the three piece suit to complete the ensemble out of doors in winter. It is of navy blue broadcloth, with a Norfolk cape and a belt of self material. Shaped pieces trim the sleeves. The collar, which is made of beaver, is very high in back and attached to the revers in front.



The four piece ensemble from Jeanne Lanvin shown at the extreme left is made of gray and black kasha-bure, with a long, loose coat collared and cuffed with marten, a jacket and skirt of straight line simplicity, and a blouse and scarf of gray crepe.

Next, the four-in-one afternoon ensemble is often made of broadcloth. Redfern makes this coat, jacket and skirt of plum brown broadcloth, the jacket being banded with beige and the coat with beaver fur.

Third, the two piece frock worn beneath the Redfern coat shown on the figure immediately on its left has a straight skirt of plum brown broadcloth and a blouse of crepe de chine trimmed with tucked bands and having a collar and jabot of beige crepe de chine.

Fourth, the first three-quarters of Beer's latest four piece ensemble are cardigan jacket of navy blue broadcloth banded in lighter blue, sweater blouse of blue and white jersey, also banded in two tones of blue, and navy broadcloth skirt plaited in front with a double series of stair-step plaits.

The last quarter of the Beer ensemble is this coat of navy blue broadcloth collared with beaver, sketched last.

HOW TO GET RID OF EXTRA POUNDS

by Antoinette Donnelly

Cut Down on the Extras and Drink Plenty of Water Between Meals



NEW YORK.—[Special Correspondence]—How about another reducing course?

I think it about time we concentrated on figures again for a while. One thing about them is this: If they are to get into the fashion show, private or public, they've got to be concentrated on every once in a while. And every woman's figure makes her own fashion show. Or unmakes it!

The promised curves of the late lamented nineties are no more on the eve of returning than the full sleeves they helped puff out. So, figures being what they are going to be in this season's dresses and the next season's and the season after that, we had better decide to whittle them down where whittling is needed and make a nice, neat, healthy job of the remodeling.

There aren't going to be any freak measures of ridding the body of its superfluous weight. If anybody wants to get thin quicker than is consistent with health, energy and beauty, they'll have to apply at some other reducing parlor than mine, because this course we're going to start on today is going to follow the lines of sane reducing, or there isn't going to be any reducing at all.

No Victims Wanted.

We don't want any victims of passion for excessive thinness in this class of ours. We only want those whose weight is above normal. Because this has to be a health promoting course of reduction first, the beauty automatically following with the sane diets containing proper food elements and the exercises which will be neither too strenuous nor too difficult for the overweight individual.

We don't want any anemic looking girls or women with reserve energy so dissipated that they become easy prey for all manner of chronic ailments. These are the exhibits of foolish measures adopted for the price of a boyish form—common sights of a year or so ago, when the reducing craze reached the point so near insanity that the medical profession was stirred to action and protest and extremely valuable propaganda against the get-thin-quick systems of reducing.

At no time during the campaign of the esteemed medical profession was overweight viewed as anything but what it is—a detriment to health and a detriment to looks. Bear in mind, their campaign was not against reducing, but against excessive reduction and the foolish methods adopted to achieve a boyish form.

Reviewing the Follies.

Perhaps a brief review of the "follies" resorted to (unhappily still being resorted to) and warred upon by the medical profession might not be out of place here.

Thyroid extract was used in many of the reducing drugs. When too much of the toxic substance that acts on the thyroid gland is taken it will reduce weight, but it will reduce at the price of health and, in instance after instance reported by physicians, reduces at the price of life itself.

A method practiced not uncommonly, yet not so widely advertised as other wrong systems, is that of inducing regurgitation after a meal, either by drugs or mechanical measures. This is a repulsive, harmful method, with the stomach an almost sure victim of disease. The high colonic irrigations come in the same class of health destroyers when indulged in with the frequency with which a reducer adopts them. And purgative drugs, another of the less advertised systems, may lead to disease of the intestines most difficult to remedy.

Starving, of course, leads in the sins against the body in the interests of the shadowline silhouette. So much of fat in the tissues is removed that there is no energy left upon which to feed. Exhaustion of this reserve tissue sent more women scuttling to the doctor or to hospitals than the records will ever be able to show. The fatalities resulting from starvation diets were covered up under the names of the diseases the loss of reserve tissue promoted.

No Standard Figure.

A sane reducing diet can neither be too monotonous nor deficient in the proper food elements.

Principally, before we begin our reducing course, I want you to realize that figures cannot be standardized. A fashion plate figure is not for every woman. By that I mean the illustrated fashion figure. But every woman may create a smart figure out of the normal weight for her own individual self. It profits her not a whit if, in excessive reduction, she achieves a wilting slenderness, and her health, her efficiency, and her beauty of face are affected, which invariably happens when less than the normal weight is coveted.

To determine your normal weight there is a simple rule used in many hospitals and generally conceded to be a satisfactory method of determining it. Allow 110 pounds for five feet of height. Measure the height without shoes. Multiply the number of inches over five feet by five and one-half. This is an approximate weight. There may be a variation of from five to ten per cent over or below and still you may be classed as normal.

A bit more human test of the proper weight for the individual is that at which you feel most fit yourself, most energetic, most capable, least crowded in your clothes, and best looking in the face. Lazy folk, however, I've noticed, accept this test and pretend it fits, though their frames may be considerably overweighted.

Two Pounds a Week.

Our ambition is to take off no more than two pounds a week, as that is the healthiest rate at which to eliminate flesh. This is quick enough reduction for the most eager when you figure what that will mean at the end of five or ten weeks. When you have gotten back to your normal weight, we want you to stop reducing and keep an eye on the bathroom scales and let that be your guide at table. Once you get back to normal, you will have learned about foods that can be missed for a meal or two without any damage to your system, but, with a great deal of benefit to your figure.

For the first week, the coming week, I'm not going to put you on a prescribed diet, nor am I going to give you any course of exercises.

All I ask is that you weigh yourself first thing and at breakfast, luncheon, and dinner you figure out how much bread you've been in the habit of consuming, butter, cream in your coffee, how many pieces of toast for breakfast, how many rolls at luncheon, how many helpings or spoonfuls of this thing and of that you've been eating. That done, I want you to shave every meal down exactly one-third. That leaves you more than enough to smile on, with two-thirds of your usual intake. But cut down that extra third.

If you've been having three pats of butter at a meal, make it two. Three lumps of sugar, make it two. Three pieces of toast, make it two. If two helpings of these food elements, or of any others is your usual habit, shave the third off.

And NO EATING BETWEEN MEALS. Drink water—but take no food. No afternoon nibble and no midnight bite. Absolutely, positively nothing between meals except water.

Cut Down on Liquids.

Another request I am going to make of you for this first week is to go without liquid at your meals. No alcohol, of course it is understood, is permitted in any course of reducing. By going without liquid at meals I mean coffee drinking, tea drinking, and water drinking.

The reason for this request is that the average person eats less when she takes no liquid with the meal. And another reason is that when you take water with your meals the fluid dilutes the gastric juice so that there is insufficient concentration in the secretion to digest the foods that are eaten. The result is that these foods are compelled to lie in the stomach longer than they should. Then they undergo fermentation and give off gases which cause bloating and distension of the stomach and give the appearance of overweight.

If it is humanly impossible for you to get through breakfast without a cup of coffee, let it be the only meal at which you have a liquid; but it is better if you can get along without it altogether.

You see, I don't intend to make it too easy for you, because reducing isn't one of the most amusing pastimes. Neither is it going to be hard. And this first week is going to get you in the frame of mind for what you will be asked to do next week and the week after.

Be sure to drink water between meals. Six glasses is the minimum amount.

Now, that isn't a very hard week to look forward to, is it?

K. P. N.: ENLARGED KNUCKLES may be improved by massaging the hands. Use cocoa butter or almond oil. A good cold cream will serve. Wash the hands in warm water before applying the cream, then massage from the finger tips backward toward the wrist. Use gentle forcible strokes, and with circular movement work the cream into the underlying tissues.

FRENCHIE: IF YOUR FRECKLES are of the light summer variety, lemon juice is beneficial. Rub a slice of lemon over the face, letting the juice dry on and remain for a time. For sunburn, apply equal parts of linseed oil and lime water. This may also be used as a preventive. Send a stamped addressed envelope for the neck bleach.

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YOU AND YOUR CHILDREN

by Mrs. Gladys Huntington Bevans

Adopted Children.

"OH, so this is the little fellow you took—isn't he fine!"

How often do foster parents, with their beloved adopted child standing at their side, have to listen to such thoughtless—criminally thoughtless — comments from people who have children of their own and who should, because of that, have too much sense and too much sensitiveness to say such things.

Parents who would make remarks like that would probably be equally tactless at home before their own children and discuss freely the fact that this or that child was adopted. With what result? That in a moment of quarreling among playmates, this fact is thrown up at the adopted ones—for children can be very cruel to each other.

Thoughtlessness.

Like many other things which hurt people deeply, thoughtlessness is at the bottom of this situation. If people would use their imaginations a little, much pain would be spared the world at large.

There is an increasingly large number of people who are adopting children, and I think one of the most serious aspects of doing so is this very thing—telling them about their parentage. It is one which should be given careful and courageous thought.

The most usual procedure, especially if they adopt the child when he is a baby, is for the foster parents to let him think they are his own parents, even though he may be surrounded by associates who know that he is not.

This has great perils, I think, though it is natural, since in all but the act of birth they are his father and mother. One peril lies in the fact that some one may plant in them, while they are little, the suspicion that they are adopted. The other peril lies in the moment when they are grown or nearly so, and are told the facts of their birth by their foster parents.

They Always Knew.

I have thought about this a great deal and it seems to me that it is something that might be handled in another way. At least, it has been done in a few cases I know of, and I don't see how any children could love parents who bore them any more dearly than these children loved their foster parents.

The way it was managed was that the children always knew they were adopted. In some cases they did not even call their foster parents father and mother—though it would be hard to deny one's self the music of these names, and not especially necessary, I think. These children grew up knowing that the parents they loved so dearly were their foster parents. It would be a hard thing for many people to do, but it is worth thinking about. And it has the great advantage that neither the child nor his parents can be hurt by the thoughtlessness or cruelty of grown people or children.

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MARRIAGE PROBLEMS

By Doris Blake

These Open Letters Reveal More Marital Snags Than Many Theoretical Lectures Could



IT is said that there is probably no greater test of the world's progress—or otherwise—than in a contemplation of how husbands treat their wives and how wives treat their husbands, for the relationship between them is the relationship from which all else springs.

A study in marital relationships would reveal among other specimens the husband who is afraid of his wife; the husband who despises his wife; the husband who tolerates his wife; the husband who does not know what to make of his wife; the husband who is disloyal and the husband who is true; the husband who is kind, and the husband who makes life miserable, and for every husband, good, bad and indifferent you will find a wife who is neither better nor worse. There are wives who are cheats, wives who are cold, wives who are mean, wives who are cruel, wives who are affectionate, loving, kind and fair in all things.

From my mail I present a few examples of the treatment of husbands and wives as I meet them, with the plea that if they need to serve as an awakener to some thoughtless mate they be permitted so to do.

Hard on Mother.

"I am the mother of three children. They are just blossoming into young manhood and womanhood. In the earlier years of my marriage my husband was away from home a great deal and consequently I had the control of my offspring much in my own hands.

"My husband is a good enough provider. His fault is that if I correct one of the children or try to make them see the wrong of certain actions, he pounces upon me before them and berates me in a manner I cannot understand, because I am not a nagger. But I do want the children to turn out creditably.

"More than this, he makes sarcastic remarks about me to the children. The consequence is they feel they have his backing and are becoming impudent and unmanageable. The oldest girl, whom the father defends against the slightest criticism from me, is really getting out of hand entirely. Heaven knows it is no pleasure to me to hear myself correcting the girl or any of the children, but I want them to turn out right.

"MRS. A. M."

That's a relationship from which all manner of trouble may spring and the father will be the one to blame. In matters of correction, where correction is justly due, no interference should be advanced from the other side of the house. And the father or mother who destroys the authority of the other parent or the confidence of the child by belittling remarks may well expect to live to see the day that his crime will come home to roost. With maturity the child understands which was the better guide and to that one will go the credit for having sown the seeds of helpfulness.

Not a Square Deal.

"I am a married woman of 32," writes another. "I have had four children in my fourteen years of married life. I am no picture gallery, but I am neat, clean, of lively disposition and do make a nice appearance. I keep the children in excellent condition and look after my husband in the same manner. I try to do my utmost, but it is discouraging to think I've been married these many years and the times my husband has offered to take me anywhere, even to a movie or for a walk, you could count on one hand. Christmas, birthday or wedding anniversaries are the same as every other day to him. Never a remembrance or a good wish. But he goes out when he feels like it.

"MRS. SQUARE DEAL."

Mrs. Square Deal is not getting one. Advising her to take herself off to a theater or movie isn't the answer to her problem. It is thoughtfulness, just an occasional sign of it from her husband, that would make her happy. And the number of Mrs. Square Deals that aren't getting it are simply legion, as are the wives whose pleasant relationships with their husbands are stifled with unfairness about money settlements. This class of wife and the neglected lead in numbers the army of disgruntled wives.

I'd be willing to make a wager that happy marital relationships would be increased by 50 per cent were men more fair with their wives on the financial end of their partnerships and did they remember them more often with remembrances at holiday and anniversary seasons and occasional invitations to amusement centers. Or, with words of appreciation spoken in terms of endearment. Many a bitterness would be smoothed out of a woman's soul with just one word of kindly appreciation.

The Other Side.

As a test of her own progress in such an intimate relationship as marriage a woman has but to note the responsiveness with which an agreeable nature is met. There are few men who will quarrel without encouragement. And the quarrelsome woman is one of the banes of the perfect matrimonial state. When you have that disposition coupled with a slatternly appearance you have a creature with whom agreeable relationship cannot be carried on.

Complaints from husbands involve her more often than any other type unless it be of the woman who refuses to take up the burdens of housework.

"She lies abed mornings and she feeds me out of a delicatessen shop" are complaints registered frequently. Which isn't even treating a husband as a meal ticket. And the relationships that spring out of delicatessen or restaurant fare are as thin as the cream that goes into the preparation of the foodstuffs.

Bright Sayings of Husbands and Wives

The snappy comeback of the better half when cornered has often been a source of wonder to husbands and wives! The husband or the wife has come across with a bright saying that will never be forgotten by the other half of the matrimonial sketch. What was that bright saying, Mr.? Mrs.? Send it to us, and we'll pay you $1 for it if we print it. Address Bright Sayings of Husbands and Wives, The Chicago Tribune, Chicago.

Foot, Not Face.

"Don't bring me any more bills, Alice, I can't face them."

"I don't want you to, John. I want you to foot them." C. B. T.

Necessary Money.

Mr. C. [after listening to his wife complain about never being able to see a show]—Why, I wanted to take you to a show last night, dear.

Mrs. C.—Well, that's news to me. When did you invite me?

Mr. C.—Just after dinner last night—don't you remember? I said I'd love to take you to a show if I had the money?

MRS. C. C.

The Finder.

Wife—You always were a faultfinder.

Husband—Yes, dear, I found you.

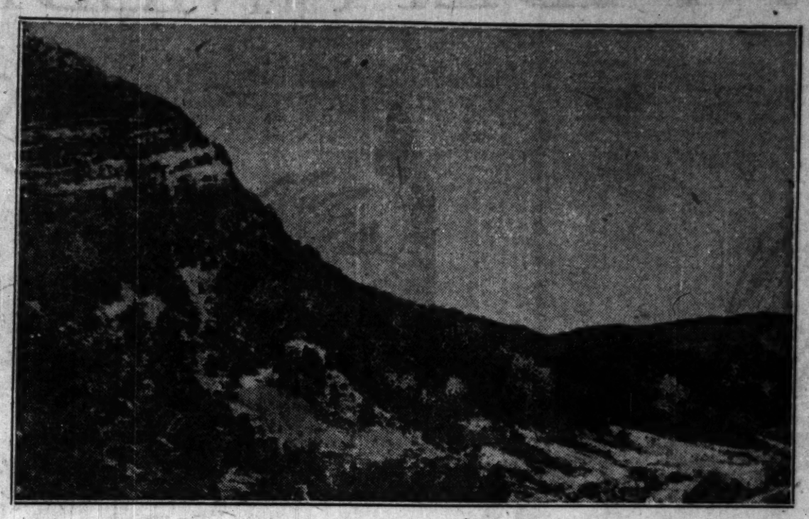
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HISTORICAL AMERICA by CLIFFORD RAYMOND

Watauga and Kentucky.



The Watauga river at Elizabethton, Tenn., Watauga Old Fields.



A mountain scene at Cumberland Gap.

WHEN the picture of the Watauga Old Fields marker shown in the illustrations was snapped it was a Monday morning in October. The term of court was opening, and the courthouse is just back of the marker in a square of green. The veniremen had come out of the Tenhessee hills and the valley of the Watauga river in their cars and were grouped about the green.

The Watauga is nearby. The town is Elizabethton, eastern Tennessee.

The Watauga is a part of a region or system of mountain valleys and rivers important in the frontier movement and history and in the lives and achievements of some of the great American pioneers. It includes the French Broad, the Nolichucky, the Holston, the Powell, the Clinch, mountain head waters of the Tennessee.

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To Cumberland Gap and Kentucky.

To the north and west is the Boone trail to Cumberland Gap and thence north to the Kentucky river and the blue grass of Kentucky. A few miles out of Elizabethton on the Watauga is Sycamore Shoals, where the state of Transylvania had its inception in the treaty Richard Henderson of Carolina negotiated with the Cherokee Indians for a quitclaim on Kentucky and Tennessee land which should thus be opened peaceably and honestly to settlement organized from the Carolinas.

Watauga was a frontier post before the revolution. It was a gathering place for adventurers, land seekers, home makers, hunters, fur traders, rebels, nonconformists, and pioneers who had gone so far from established government as to feel the injustice of both its oppressions and its neglects. Therefore having felt this, having rebelled and having been punished as at the battle of the Alamance, they had moved farther on and a distinguished colony of southern pioneers from the Carolina piedmont was in or near about Watauga in 1771.

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Call for Nathan Hale.

When the sheriff or his deputy or the bailiff of the Circuit court came out on the courthouse balcony overlooking the Watauga Old Fields the October Monday this picture of lounging Tennessee mountain and valley men was taken, he came to summon the veniremen for jury selection and the first name he was heard to call was:

"Nathan Hale. Nathan Hale."

It is an association with a far away Connecticut roll of hills and with British military gallows in New York, and yet it had its fitting consistency with the tradition of the Watauga valley and the background of the migration which had put these men in the lowlands and the hills of a country far away geographically, but intimate politically.

The most enthusiastic popular response to Lexington and Concord outside of New England was in North Carolina, where now the Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence of May 20, 1775, a document and action unauthenticated, to treat both most kindly, are still celebrated as valid and of enduring consequence.

Although it is a long way from Connecticut to Watauga in northeastern Tennessee, it did not seem so far a cry, considering the record of these valleys, hills and mountains to hear the call for Nathan Hale at the opening of court.

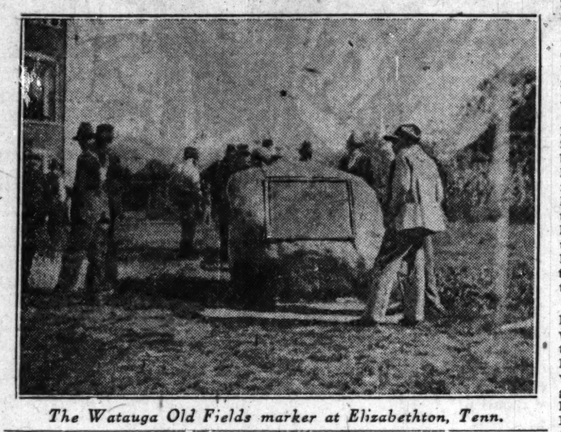
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Boone and John Finley.

The most celebrated explorer, trail blazer, and hunter who helped connect the Watauga, Nolichucky, Holston, Clinch, and Powell valley frontiers with Kentucky was not its first explorer, but popularly he has remained its best known. Daniel Boone had the advantage of an early and romantic historian to build his legend.

He was not the first to find Cumberland Gap and the trail through it is not his trail, although it bears his name, a tribute well enough deserved. He blazed the way for Henderson's Transylvania through it, even if he did not find it.

Boone, it is reliably related, first heard of Kentucky from John Finley. Both were teamsters recruited to get the exasperated Gen. Braddock's supplies across the Pennsylvania mountains for him over the way partly cut for Washington the year before. Finley had been in the blue grass. He had heard of its wonders from Indians on the Ohio, and with several companions had gone by canoes to the falls of the Ohio in 1752 and on his way back some roving Shawnees took him and carried him into the interior in central Kentucky. In the winter of not involved in the defeat and destruction of Braddock's front column, but it involved itself in the rout. It started and led it, the teamsters cutting their traces when they learned that the combat part of the expedition was being butchered in the ravines.



The Watauga Old Fields marker at Elizabethton, Tenn.

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War Checked Pioneers.

That was Boone's introduction to the frontier wealth of Kentucky. Both the Ohio company and the Loyal Land company had been investigating the rumored possibilities before this. Dr. Thomas Walker for the Ohio company, a London and Virginia enterprise, had gone through Cumberland Gap in 1750, but his luck was poor. When he was through the gap the blue grass was on to the north, but he did not go far enough and when his party returned to Virginia it was with discouraging reports. They had been in the least promising section of the state.

Christopher Gist for the Ohio company came down the Ohio river and in March, 1751, his exploring had brought him to Big Bone Lick, where he saw the mastodon bones. He carried a five pound tooth back with him when he returned. He went through the blue grass and from heights of land saw the plain of central Kentucky. The Ohio company had a different report. Gist had seen the plains. Walker had seen the mountains and hills.

But the activities of land companies had the check of the French war. It was to require seven years of fighting to determine whether French or English should have possession of the Ohio valley and the Mississippi and the regions which they opened. When war had determined that they should be English, the crown reserved them for the Indians and the fur trade, or endeavored to do so temporarily by the proclamation of '63 restraining colonists from going into them and occupying them to the disturbance of the natives and of the production of furs.

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The Watauga Marker.

A proclamation could not have held back the tide of wishful land seekers, pushing pioneers and rough aggressors in the way of whose excursions the Indians were, but the break of the colonies with the home government came, and again the energies of the country were occupied in a struggle as the revolution was taking form in New England. He intended to extinguish Indian titles by purchase, and in the spring of 1775, just as the Massachusetts farmers were shooting at the British troops, the wagons carrying £10,000 value of goods desired by the Indians reached the Watauga river to seal the bargain with the Cherokees.

The purchase was made at Sycamore Shoals, and the Indians deeded lands in central Kentucky and Tennessee to the Henderson Land company. Boone was commissioned to blaze a trail for the settlers. The adventure established itself on and about the Kentucky river, not far from Lexington. For several reasons it was a failure, and one of these reasons involved an interesting conflict of idea as to Indian possession, the rights of a mother colony and the validity of a transfer of land by native possessors or claimants to private individuals.

One difficulty was that Kentucky, of all the regions available for purchase and settlement, had the most shadowy Indian titles. The Shawnees on the north claimed it. The Cherokees claimed it. The Iroquois claimed it because they had defeated the Shawnees and professed to hold them as vassals, and their lands as their feudal overlords. The English had claimed it by virtue of a treaty made with the Iroquois at Fort Stanwix in 1768, and Virginia claimed it by charter rights as a sea to sea colony and state.

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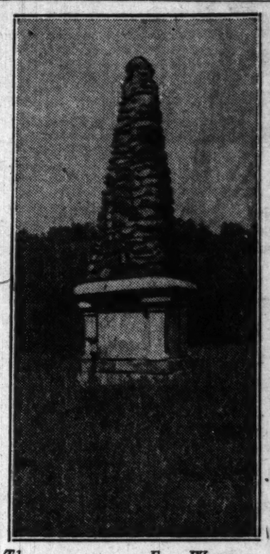
Laws on Title Grants.

There had been an earlier English decision with respect to East Indian land holdings that a title granted by natives to individuals was valid, that the natives had the right to transfer possession to private persons without the intervention of the state. Virginia held that only a state could make treaties with Indians and acquire possession of new territory, and that consequently no citizen could obtain title to lands in which there was a transfer of sovereignty. Indian titles could be acquired only by government act.

Henderson found sympathizers in the east, but the revolution was on, and states which did not object to Virginia losing its pretensions to so much territory and did not object to Henderson creating a new state nevertheless could not afford to add more discord to the union and confederation for the war.

The price Henderson paid for the land was huge for its day, and it was honest in the quality of goods which represented the sale price, but the region transferred was a real empire. The promoter who mixed determination with honest dealing was compensated eventually in a fashion by grants of land, but the animosities which the state of Transylvania aroused have not even now completely vanished. There are historians who slander George Rogers Clark because as a Virginian he opposed Henderson, and there are historians who still blister Henderson because he had the audacity to undertake such a venture.

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The monument to Fort Watauga at Sycamore Shoals.

Alleghenies where men joined together in a written compact for civil government and the preservation of their ideals of government."

The pioneers had come beyond the reach of government. None of its functions extended to their new homes. Its claims of sovereignty reached them, but none of its machinery. For some of them it was deliberate escape from a North Carolina government which had oppressed them, against which they had rebelled, which had defeated them at the battle of the Alamance, which had executed some of their leaders, and from which they had withdrawn into the mountains.

In establishing a mode of living which would protect order and maintain their principles, they reverted to the plan of the Pilgrims in Provincetown harbor and agreed by compact to an order of conduct. The marker carries the names of the thirteen commissioners elected under this agreement: Charles Robertson, James Robertson, Zachary Tobell, John Sevier, John Carter, James Smith, Jacob Brown, William Bean, John Jones, George Russell, James Womack, Robert Lucas, and William Tatham.

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Henderson and the Indians.

These were the representatives of the men by whom or among whom were begun the aborted states of Transylvania and Franklin, and by whom Kentucky and Tennessee were settled and brought to statehood. They also guarded the left flank of the revolution, and they and other men like them stopped the western advance of Cornwallis in North Carolina by coming out of the mountains to defeat Ferguson at King's mountain on the South Carolina line.

Richardson Henderson brought his Transylvania plans to Watauga just to determine possession before new lands could be developed.

The Watauga marker is a memorial to the formation of the Watauga Association at Watauga Old Fields, "where," as the inscription reads, "the Watauga association was formed in 1772, being the first place west of the

HOW TO USE THE PATTERNS

THIS unusual model for the larger woman, pattern No. 3159, is a semi-sports design. The back is straight and in one piece, and is crossed at a normal waistline by three narrow belts that fasten on either side of the front panel, giving a snug fit through the hipline. The deep V in the front is completed with a vestee and helps give length to the figure. The pressed plaits at either side of the front panel flare gracefully when walking, and give the needed width to the hemline.

Crêpe satin, flat silk crêpe, velvet, crêpe Roma, angora jersey and silk twill are suitable fabric from which to choose for this attractive design.

The vest, collar and sleeve bands will look well cut from a contrasting material. Two pieces are required for each of the parts. After the vest is cut out, lay the two pieces together, with the right sides together. Run a basting thread down the exact center, and mark the small perforation that shows on the pattern.

Then stitch from the neck down to the perforation each side of this center basting, starting at the neck with a ¼ inch seam away from the basting and run the seam off to nearly nothing at the perforation. Then cut through the basting as far as you have stitched and turn to the right side. Set the vestee in place on the front panel, turning in the panel edges. Stitch close to the turned-in edges, first overcasting the raw edges.

Don't make the sleeve bands too close a measure, for they are not comfortable so, and you must remember that the sleeve fullness that is set into the band takes up a little from the size of the cuffs. After the three belts have been stitched together slip a tape needle into one end of a belt, sew through the eye of the needle to one thickness of the cloth and push the needle quickly through the belt. This is an easy way to turn each one right side out. It is an excellent idea in these belts to turn the ends in carefully, basting them down before seaming the belt.

After the belt is turned to the right side it will be an easy matter to slip or blind stitch the ends together. Use your needle to bring the stitched seam to the edge, and baste carefully before pressing into shape.



3198.—Woman's and misses' dress. Sizes 16 and 18 years and 36, 38, 40 and 42 inches bust measure. Size 36 and 4¼ yards of 1 inch wide ribbon.

3159.—Woman's dress. Sizes 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46 and 48 inches bust measure. Size 36 requires 3¾ yards of 40 inch material with ⅝ yard of 40 inch contrasting.

871.—Girl's dress. Sizes 6, 8, 10, 12 and 14 years. Size 8 requires 1¾ yards of 40 inch material with ⅝ yard of 36 inch contrasting.

Pattern No. 871 is for a cunning one piece dress that is decidedly new and different. The lower part of the front has plaited insets, with trimming straps just above the plaits, through which the belt is slipped. The dress is so attractive yet so simple and easily made that mothers will not hesitate to attempt it.

The back is cut in one piece, and the front also. A line of perforations each side of the lower center front shows where the front is cut to allow the plaited sections to be set in, and the directions with the pattern tell exactly how to go to work.

Plaid woolen in red, green, and black, with a red silk crêpe collar, belt, cuffs, and jabot, is shown in the sketch and is very pretty. Jersey flannel and velveteen in becoming colors will also be smart. Of course the belt straps are lined, and if buttons are used they should be sewed on before setting the lining in place.

Pattern No. 3198 is one of the new, smart designs that will assure the wearer individual chic. The diagonal neckline and the low placed circular flare in the front give graceful movement when in motion. The sleeves are full length, close fitting, and quite unadorned. The neck of the dress will look well bound or faced, but if binding is used to finish the bottom of the skirt, the neck should be finished to match. The ribbon bow at the neck, and the matching ribbon sash ending in a bow, worn at a low waistline, are all the trimming this pretty frock needs.

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The Lost Recovered.

I dream often therefore pay little attention to dreams, but a year ago I spent several weeks in the south. My last evening there I wore on my blouse three little diamond pins held together by tiny gold chains. They had been my mother's and I valued them highly.

The maid, who was in the room while I was changing my dress, admired them and asked me to give them to her. That night I packed hurriedly and left early the next morning. After reaching home I missed the pins. I was certain the maid had taken them. I wrote the hotel, but they had not been found.

Last spring, on my mother's birthday, I went to bed thinking of her and of the lost pins. Suddenly my mother walked through the wall at the foot of my bed and smiling said, "child, why are you troubled about those pins? They are still on your blouse."

I sat up in bed wide awake. I could not believe that it was a dream or that I had been asleep. I was so impressed that I did not wait for morning to look in the trunk of summer things that had not been disturbed since my return, but opened it at once and there were the pins still on my blouse! H. C.

Shown the Way.

A wealthy English manufacturer from London sent to the engraving company I was employed by an original drawing of his family's coat of arms, and from this drawing we were to make an engraved die for stationery stamping.

In the process of the work the original drawing was lost. We moved heaven and earth to find it, but no trace of it could be found. The Englishman was angry over the loss. He refused compensation and finally stopped at our offices and threatened suit.

Just at this time I was leaving to get married and went south on my honeymoon. While in Pensacola I came face to face with the Englishman in a hotel lobby, and for an instant thought of the coat of arms.

That night in my sleep I dreamed that the drawing was filed away under my own name at the blue print company. I was excited. I couldn't get back fast enough. I gained permission to go through the blue print company's file room and I actually recognized the old filing cabinet I had dreamed about, and, sure enough, under my name, the drawing was filed, yet no writing appeared on it.

Everybody wondered and had to believe that dreams do come true. K. C.

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By Jane Eddington

WHEN the fathers of New England went into the woods to do their winter chopping down of trees for the year's fuel supply, one of the luncheon items they took with them, or that some of them took with them, was frozen pea soup. The soup had been frozen to a string and all that was necessary was to put it into a tin dipper and melt it to get a hearty luncheon dish. It had been well seasoned with fat in the making, was rich and palatable, and easily made boiling hot. It goes without saying that this soup was far more nourishing than a cup of coffee or tea with some flapjacks. The modern sandwich was more or less unknown in those days.

The staples, like dried peas and beans, have been an enormous resource to people living in climates where real winter weather binds the earth. They are meaty foods, for a dried bean may contain twenty-two per cent of protein, which is the main constituent of lean meat. Just as meat may be dried up and toughened by too much fire, so may beans. Beans boiled are half spoiled, because the protein in them is turned to a stick or a product that one may as well not eat, as far as nourishment is concerned. Besides that, it is a liability when eaten.

But twenty-two per cent is not all of the food in a bean. It has sixty per cent of true energy food or fuel—namely, starch, so, you see, it is bread and meat in one small package. Besides that, fat is usually added in the cooking to make it further complete, and then a yet more complete dish may be compounded by adding vegetable seasonings, which furnish the protective elements. A large number of people in cooking beans treat them as though they were all starch.

Some methods of cooking beans enough all but ruin the protein in them. Slow cooking is right for the protein, and is really best for the starch.

Water with Beans.

A newly dried bean contains about twelve per cent of water. A fresh bean contains about sixty to eighty per cent of water. A finely cooked dried bean contains about seventy per cent of water. This shows us another thing, or part of the business necessary in protecting the protein. If the protein is hardened by boiling [simmering is the thing], the bean cannot swell to the fullest and take up as much water as it might, and, because it cannot, it will take much longer to cook even the starchy part so that it will be soft. If even soaked beans are scalded at the start of cooking, one may have to allow two or three times as long to cook them as when this is not done. To scald parboiled beans as a preparatory process is to harden the outer protein, and, besides this, it leaches out some of the valuable solubles in the beans, and leaves them not only less pleasant of flavor, but less valuable as food.

By hardening the protein and dissolving the mineral elements, the beans as an edible are reduced nearly to one thing, starch. They may be further deprived of nourishing elements by adding baking soda to them. Here is the way of it: Some people boil beans, which hardens them and makes them strong of flavor. Then they add baking soda to do something that they ought not need to do, and cases have been known of people who went on bleaching the beans to dissolve even part of the starch by parboiling them in seven waters, each and all thrown away.

Soaking Beans.

Eight hours of soaking with water to cover, or with two cups of water per cup of beans in the more accurate formula, has been a universal direction for the little white or navy bean. Because of the germ in the bean they need to be kept in a cold place, or in an overnight soaking, or they will ferment. They may take up all the water in which they are soaked, but if they should not any extra should not be thrown away. It is as absurd to do so as to attempt the impossible task of throwing away what they have absorbed already.

If they have been soaked in two cups of water per one cup of beans, two cups more of water will be sufficient for the right type of cooking, which is cooking with a cover to prevent the escape of steam after they come slowly to a point where steam will be given off. But large beans, especially, can be cooked without any soaking at all if they are brought slowly enough to near a boil.

Bean Recipes.

It is difficult to give dependable recipes for cooking beans, because people will not cook them with the minimum fire. It is harder to give the necessary attention to keeping it so, and besides this there has been a lot of dead sureness and setness on how to do the work without any knowledge of the chemical composition of a bean.

Stewing Beans and Peas.

Kidney beans, Lima beans, and green split peas, sieved, make an excellent dish of themselves and a good base for other dishes, such as soups, etc. The kidney bean, not soaked, can, by the method described below, usually be cooked as soft and mellow in three hours as almost any food needs to be. The Lima bean rarely requires a longer time than that and the green split pea cooks in about the same time.

But if a kidney bean is boiled hard at the start the protein in it will become so hard that after a whole day of cooking it will not be truly soft nor truly good food. The starch in these legumes can be reduced almost to a jelly. It is easy to get that starchy effect with the right cooking with the green split peas. Cook slowly and without soaking.

Recipe for Stewing Legumes.

Pick over and wash the kidney beans, Lima beans, or green split peas. Add four cups of cold water for each cup of dried legumes. Start them to cooking over a fire so small that the water will not reach the boiling point for an hour. This is really a quick soaking process, but for large beans and perhaps for small ones it is not too quick, because the skin of the bean will not be broken by it.

As soon as the water has reached the boiling point let it simmer for three hours, the utensil closely covered. Then the beans should be tender and the liquid around them like a thickened sauce—thickened with starch—but should these be cooked too rapidly the water will evaporate. Any water added toward the last as a necessary protection of the beans or peas will not have the same savory quality as that has which has been gradually thickened with some of the starch of the product cooked. Under a close cover—we repeat this for emphasis—and with a gentle fire, very little steam escapes. It remains in the utensil as a real cooking force to swell and soften the beans.

To emphasize further, let us say that beans will swell more in an hermetically covered kettle and one of the right size than in one with a loose cover. The beans or peas may be variously seasoned to either the kidney beans or Lima beans or peas. One onion per cup and one carrot cut in slices will make an excellent seasoning. This, with the addition of salt, will be enough to flavor green split peas without the slightest addition, as will show when the whole is sieved and heated up for a vegetable. But a great many people like to add butter to make them more savory and beans are universally more palatable when buttered after they are cooked or seasoned with salt, or whatever else is used. It is always possible and sometimes advisable to cook a piece of salt pork or bacon with the beans.

With peas cooked English fashion, some dried mint is usually added, especially if they are to be used for a soup. Cooked kidney beans need no special heralding because they are delicious and almost universally acceptable.

Kidney Bean Salad.

Well cooked stewed kidney beans are rather handsome and generous seeming and even beautiful in color. In many cases it seems rather a pity to mash them to make them into purées, although this can be done, and when blended with mayonnaise one may get something that looks like a chocolate sauce in a salad. When served plain on a lettuce leaf with a dressing of mayonnaise well mixed with them, they are appetizing and a pretty side dish for any luncheon, or for the salad course. They are even more appetizing if, in addition, they are mixed about half and half with leaf lettuce cut slaw fashion.

Some people might like chopped green peppers with them, but the lettuce seems most palatable and its crispness is desirable and encourages mastication. The stems of leaf lettuce, washed and sometimes peeled and then cut out into disks, are as good as the lettuce tops with the beans and they can be used with the mayonnaise. Next to lettuce, perhaps, chopped parsley lends the most of piquancy to a mixture of beans and mayonnaise dressing.

Lima Bean Soup.

Sieving peas and beans is perhaps not so good a thing to do as to mash them when one can. By the latter method we get a smooth purée, but green split peas can be sieved by merely stirring them through a strainer, and Lima beans, cooked sufficiently soft, may be sieved in the same way.

Then, if they are thinned with celery water, with perhaps a tablespoon of cream per person, one can get a delicious soup, and its ingredients will not easily be recognized—that is, the beans will more or less lose their identity.

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MAIDEN MEDITATIONS

by Sara Moore



THAT QUESTION OF TIME.

If it were not for dour rent collectors
Father Time, himself,
Would get confused.
He finds
A message sent across the seas
In seconds.
He learns
That symphonies as played in Gotham sound
In Maine and far Alaska.
And when he meets Mamma, my dears,
Fresh from a swim,
Doing her daily ten mile sprint
To waiting beauty parlors
Or wearing out two orchestras at a night club,
Does he feel that, after all,
His Days and Months and Years
Have gotten mixed?
If it were not for the rent collectors
Father Time, himself, might
Muff his dates.

THAT NEW LEAD.

I have wasted twelve months,
Folly made me a butt.
Opportunities snubbed,
I have lived in a rut,
But tonight I reform.
Here dull lethargy halts—
I shall strive, from now on,
For at least some new faults.

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MAMIE STANDS HER GROUND.

[Mamie Hickey is invited to New Year's dinner by the rich angel who backed the Broadway show in which Mamie made a brief appearance as a chorus girl. Sam, the friendly press agent, and Mrs. Sam, a vaudeville dancer, interfere and chaperone the date to death.]

We're dining, now, on mustard,
On Weinerwurst and kraut,
For Sam and Mrs. Sammie
Have scared my prospect out.
And as I light the gas plate,
I know that, after all—
No girls with brains are "betrayed"
If they slip down—they fall.

THE HOME HARMONIOUS

Glazed Chintz Is Both Practical and Charming and Has a Wide Variety of Uses.

By Phyllis Marsh

ONE of the most attractive and modish fabrics of the season is glazed chintz in all its crisp smartness. When one considers the numerous purposes to which it may be put, its possibilities as a decorative fabric in the home seem without limit.

Glazed chintz has an interesting history, for it is an echo, so to speak, of the past. Coming from India originally, it was introduced into England in the early part of the 17th century. It met with instant favor; in fact, so much so that the British government enacted a law (later repealed) forbidding the use of any printed chintzes which were imported from India, Persia or China, fearing that its popularity would be detrimental to the woolen industry in England.

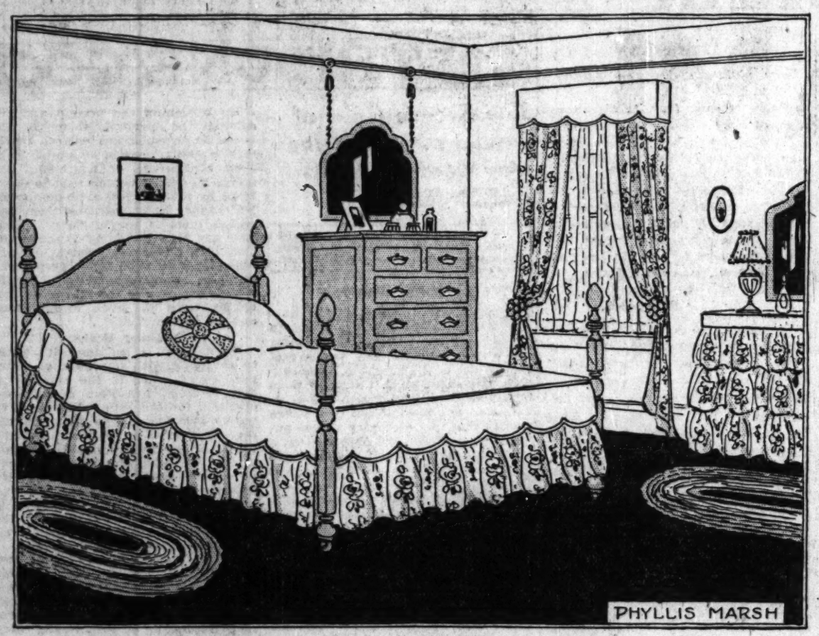
Modern science and industry are producing various kinds and qualities of glazed chintz, not the least of which is the washable variety. Though the surface of practically any glazed chintz has the excellent and redeeming feature of being impervious to dust and dirt, it is preferable to select that which is washable rather than that which is not. In washing glazed chintz, it is advisable to lay the material on an absolutely flat surface. Then take a soft cloth or sponge and dip it into a bowl of lukewarm water and wring it out almost dry. Then the next step is to apply a little neutral soap to the cloth or sponge and begin cleaning the material in the usual manner, working from the top down, taking care to remove all the soap with each application.

For the convenience of the home decorator who is interested in glazed chintz and its many uses we will discuss how and where to apply it in the various rooms of the home.

For the small, dark apartment dinette we find a perfect panacea in glazed chintz. With its brilliant transparency of color and the reflective quality of its surface, it is an ideal drapery fabric, capable of transforming the most gloomy of rooms into brightness and cheer. For instance, in a room of Georgian colonial character, a colorful, large patterned semi-glazed chintz is most attractive when trimmed with a band of plain colored glazed chintz and hung from behind a painted wooden cornice. Painted wooden poles are equally attractive for the less formal window treatments.

It is usually unnecessary to line a glazed or semi-glazed chintz, for the filtration of light through the fabric enhances its brilliancy of color, while its particular kind of surface treatment gives it body, helping to keep perfect the folds in the drapery, thus eliminating any possible "stringiness" in appearance. Whether hanging glazed chintz from a plain brass rod or a painted wooden pole, the heading should always be plaited, never shirred.

Then, we have the smart type of little bedroom that may contain a cheerfully colored enameled suite or one of early American inspiration in its mellow tones of maple or cherry wood. Here is where glazed chintz may serve its purpose in several interesting ways. First, there are the draperies to be selected in a quaint pattern and in gay and appropriate colorings. This same pattern may cover the little unfinished kidney-shaped dressing table in a three tiered scalloped and ruffled skirt. The scallops of both the dressing table skirt and the draperies can be edged with a ready made glazed chintz corded piping in a plain and contrasting color.



This quaint bedroom is decorated in glazed chintz.

If semi-glazed chintz is being used, it is also possible to make it up into unusually attractive looking bedspreads by combining it with plain colored glazed chintz to match the trimming on the draperies and dressing table. For upholstering purposes glazed chintz is an excellent fabric and will be found to stand up admirably under hard usage. So for the "easy" bedroom chair select a different patterned glazed chintz to the draperies in either a colored or neutral background. Then, for the bedroom screen, there is no material as economical or as sanitary as washable glazed chintz.

Again, it finds a place in living rooms of quaint simplicity and in those of elegant and dignified character. A simple design, not too large in pattern and suitable in its various hues, as well as in color value, should be selected for the living room of quaint simplicity. However, a living room of the latter type may boast a larger patterned fabric of more detailed design but of colors equally as fitting to the type, size and exposure of the room. It must be borne in mind that if the room is in rather low color value, one should not make the mistake of selecting a glazed chintz of extremely high color value. The contrast will prove too great for the fabric to harmonize pleasingly with the rest of the room.

Scarcely anything more dainty and practical can be imagined for draperies in the model kitchen of today than a waterproof glazed chintz. In its many suitable patterns for this purpose and the numerous ways in which it may be made up, no kitchen window need look unattractive or colorless. If there is a little breakfast room just off the kitchen, it, too, may be adorned with glazed chintz at the windows and on the breakfast table in place of a regular cloth. Various ready made glazed chintz trimmings are to be had in plain colors and figured effects and are practically necessary in adding a touch of interest and color contrast to draperies, table covers, cushions, screens, etc.

In the bathroom, glazed chintz may hang at the sides of the window in straight style or may be draped back with loops of self-material. A still more practical window treatment is the glazed chintz roller shade, scalloped and fringed or piped at the bottom with contrastingly colored chintz and a colored glass shade pull. Dainty ruffled glass curtains in white with colored figures or dots to harmonize should be used with this type of roller shade. It is quite essential that the glazed chintz which is selected for the bathroom should be of waterproof quality.

A similar window treatment is equally as effective if used in the average rear sleeping porch, always proving practical, ecopomical, simple and decorative.

It is also possible to carry out this same effect in a sunroom, especially if the home is of the simple bungalow type and the furniture is of wicker or reed, either enameled or in natural finish. Glazed chintz in its bright colorings lends itself admirably to the making of pillows and chair cushions for use in a sunroom or on the summer porch.

As a fabric, impervious to dust, it is ideal for making up into clothes protecting bags. They can be easily made at home and will be found superior to the usual type of cretonne bag used for the same purpose. It is also quite the fashion now to edge clothes closet shelves with plain and small patterned glazed chintzes as well as covering the inside of open cupboards with them.

Three and four paneled screens for the bedroom, the dining room and a simple type of colonial living room may be covered with both plain and figured glazed chintz in combination, covering the upper one-fourth portion of the screen with the figured chintz while the lower three-fourth portion is covered in the plain material. The same may be reversed, if desired, using the plain fabric at the top and the figured at the bottom.

Today's illustration displays the use of glazed chintz in an attractively planned bedroom of early American inspiration. A medium sized design in a glazed chintz was used for the draperies, draped dressing table, and the flounce of the bedstead, the background of which is a soft toned light green. The flounce of the bed is attached to an underslip or foundation of sateen over which is a scalloped rose-hued rayon taffeta spread, piped in a gold colored rayon.

The smart looking dressing table is of the same chintz made in three tier ruffled effect, and the draperies of the same fabric are banded with plain rose colored glazed chintz to match the spread, and valance of rayon. The walls are in a delicate tint of rose with woodwork in the ivory tone.

Activities of Women

Mrs. Frank B. Freyer, wife of a United States navy captain, has been decorated with the order of "El Sol del Peru" by the Peruvian government. She is the only American holder of the decoration.

Mrs. W. Maben of Pachena bay, near Victoria, B. C., has an eight mile trap line each winter, running from Marion lake, at the mouth of the Pachen river. Last year she trapped eighty-six fur bearing animals, most of them raccoons, minks, otter, and marten.

FRIEND IN NEED

By Sally Joy Brown.

I want to be the medium through which the friends in deed and the friends in need may be brought together. It may be you have some discarded article which has not outgrown its usefulness that will make some less fortunate one happy and you would gladly give it if you knew how to go about it. Write to me and I shall be happy to be of service to you. Please write on one side of the paper.

When information is wanted by mail, a stamped, addressed envelope should accompany the request. Please do not send article to The Tribune but write for the address of the applicant and send direct.

THE NEW YEAR OFFERS OPPORTUNITY TO SERVE

NEW YEAR'S day with all its hopes and plans for the year to come is a time of particular happiness to this department —happiness born of what has been done, and of prospects for good deeds to come.

The close of each year brings to an end a long record of wants, troubles and hardships endured by the unfortunate of our community. But alongside this record, and the brighter in contrast with it, it is a record of helpful sympathy, of swift response to need, of human kindness as broad and as far reaching as human need, and for that kindness and this unfailing response to every request for help, this department wishes to thank all the friends in deeds who during 1927 have made its work possible.

Because of you, of what you have done and what I know you will do in the year to come, I am looking forward happily to another year of helpfulness. I know that in 1928 we shall continue to make life happier and better for thousands who have encountered it in its harsher aspects. I extend heartfelt thanks and best wishes for a happy new year.

Widow's Request.

"Last year my husband was killed. I am left with one small daughter, 13 years old. It is hard for me to earn enough to get along and this winter I have been sick in bed for three weeks and I am just able to go out to work again. I am back in my rent and my daughter needs dresses for school. I can't take care of either of these and I wonder if you could help me.

"Mrs. C. A. R."

With worries such as she is having this woman will have a difficult time regaining her health. Won't you relieve her by coming to her assistance with some of the things she and her daughter need?

Old Couple Ask for Aid.

"We are an old couple, and my husband is blind. We lost our son and because we couldn't meet the payments we had to give up the little home we were trying to buy. Now we would like to furnish two rooms and start a home again, but we can't buy the furniture. Would you ask your readers to help us with a bed, rug, chairs, stove and dresser? Mrs. K. S."

What is more pitiful than old age accompanied by poverty? This poor old couple losing the earnings of a lifetime has been left almost helpless. Most of you have an article or two of furniture not being used, I know, and here's a splendid opportunity to put them to use.

A Simple Request.

"I am writing this request for an old woman who is 75 years of age and crippled with rheumatism. She is trying to support herself by making fancy pillows and cushions but it is hard for her to get the pieces she needs. If your readers have any scraps of velvet, silk or wool, she would appreciate having them. Mrs. M. M."

Those of you who indulge in a bit of sewing now and then are sure to have bits of materials you'll not mind parting with. This old lady could make splendid use of them in the work she does.

Carrying a Heavy Burden.

"Will you kindly make an appeal for much needed furniture for a shut-in and his sister and mother? The boy has been paralyzed for 16 years and has not been out of the house for 3 years. His sister, who is 34, is not well enough to work, but is obliged to take care of her brother and 73 year old mother. They are moving and will need a three-quarter size bed, a single bed, and a comforter, blanket and heater. B. L."

These articles would add a great deal to the comfort of this family and if you have even one of them we'll be glad to hear from you.

Practical and Fancy Needlework - - - By Clotilde



These Head Bands for Evening Wear Will Be a Joy to the Woman Who Is Letting Her Hair Grow

THE smart little head band shown at the right is made of small pink gardenias, and is worn by the debutante who is letting her hair grow, as so many of the smart younger set are doing. Two bunches of gardenias are used in making this band. There should be about fifteen small flowers and six or seven buds. The latter are also used placed here and there through the band. The flowers are bunched a little closer together on the right side, making it a bit more solid there and then tapering off at the left side.

Wire the flowers down the full length of the stem, with a fine uncovered wire that is used by florists. This wire comes on large spools and can be bought at any florist's supply store.

Make two loops at each end of the band of silver frame or shirring wire. Wire these loops down firmly to the flowers that are already arranged in position. Hairpins are slipped through these loops and used for fastening to the head. Wind dark green sida-floss about the uncovered wire flower stems so that the finished effect is that of solid green stems.

Have the band long enough just to fit the back of the ears, and wear it low down on the nape of the neck. Any kind of a small flower can be used in the band. Moss roses and forget-me-nots work up well together.

The other band shown is for the matron or older woman and is worn across the front of the head just in the ears. The foundation is of silver wire covered with one thickness of white maline. Small rhinestones are sewed to all the wires, and a small design is made with the rhinestones on each side of the front.

The front wire measures 2½ inches from top to bottom; the side wires 2 inches, tapering down to 1 inch in the back. The inside of the band is finished off with a bias piece of white China silk, slip stitched all the way around. Small loops can be made on each end of this band, as in the first one described, for the hairpins.

Pearls can be used in place of rhinestones, or both can be used, and the result is attractive.

Leap Year Proposals

The year 1928 spells hope for the aggressive maiden who wants to change her name. Do you know of any girl who invited a man to leap into matrimony with her? Was her proposal met with eager acceptance or graceful refusal? What was the aftermath? If you'll send us a brief account of the affair we'll be glad to pay $1 if we print it. Address Leap Year Proposals, Chicago Tribune.

Wish Came True.

While walking with my lover along a path through our orchard, I found a four leaf clover, wished and put it in my shoe. In a tone of curiosity he said, "Prithee, maid, what did you wish?"

Having kissed the Blarney stone some years ago, it did not take me long to find an answer and I said: "I wished for a new diamond ring." He was quiet and thoughtful after that, but the next day my wish came true, as a new diamond ring adorned my left hand.

A garden wedding near the spot where the four leaf clover grew was the climax of my proposal. This happened nearly thirty years ago, but we still admire the picture of Cupid and that diamond ring and the other plain gold band have never lost their luster. M. M. R.

Seized the Opportunity.

My girl friend, Ellen, aged 12, thought she was going to be an old maid. She met a fellow she served in the restaurant where she was a waitress.

She went with him only five times. He said he would like to have a girl like her for his wife, so she said, "All right, I'll be your wife."

They have been married since August and are living happily together. E. H.



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Double rooms . . . . $4.00 to $6.00 day

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One in room . . . . $8 to $10 day
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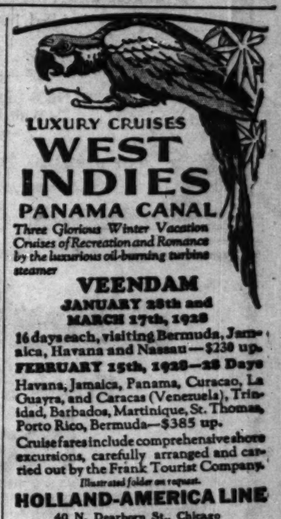


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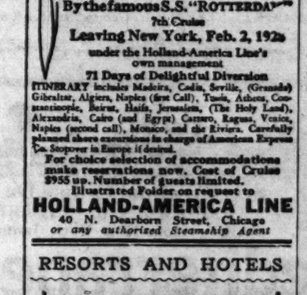
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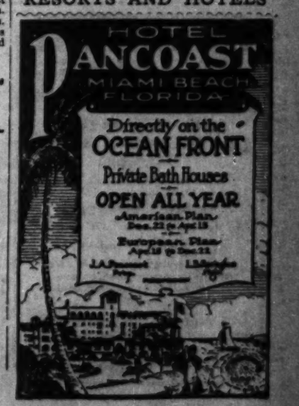
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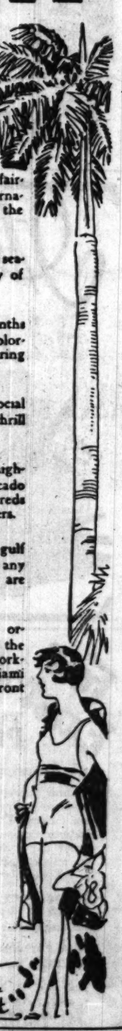
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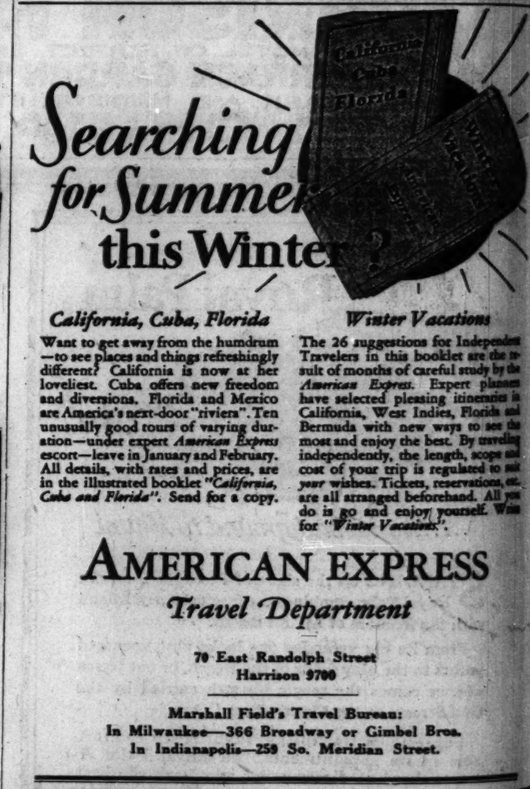
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NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTIONS OF CELEBRATED CHICAGOANS

"We Resolve" — Say a Score of Our City's Famous — and Here's What They Resolve

It Looks Like A Bigger and Better Year for Chicago

By Genevieve Forbes Herrick.

IN the "Mirror of the Months" it is written:

"Every first of January that we arrive at is an imaginary milestone on the turnpike track of human life; at once a resting place for thought and meditation, and a starting point for fresh exertion in the performance of our journey. The man who does not at least 'propose to himself' to be better this year than he was last, must be either very good or very bad indeed."

That was written, of course, in the old-fashioned days when the first of the year was considered a clearing house for the errors of the past 365 days and for the high endeavors of the next 364 days. But this custom went out of style, along with the passing of New Year's calls and the coming of the new psychology which makes of every day a starting point for new accomplishments.

BROAD AND DEEP

This new New Year, then, is much more than simply a peg on which to hang a dozen stereotyped resolutions. It is, rather, a plateau on which to pause for reflection on life and living; for a recapitulation of one's philosophy; for a new and vigorous statement of one's theories of life and living.

And that is the broad and deep way in which some of our most celebrated Chicagoans look upon this, the New Year's day of 1928.

A score or so of the city's most famous citizens, distinguished in various activities, were asked several weeks ago to let us have a glimpse of their New Year's reflections. Although it was then only mid-December, and Father Time was not yet running away at the stroke of midnight, most of these Chicagoans consented to tell us what we wanted to know. The results are of wide dimensions, and significant.

Each such New Year's reflection, as it came in, had some special merit, of wit, or philosophy, or peculiar appropriateness, which recommended it for the head of the column. Presently there was a high pile of papers, each checked for the top of the column. So the alphabet, that traditional apostle of equity among equals, was called in.

HERE'S WHAT THEY SAY

And we present these resolutions in alphabetical order.

Miss Jane Addams, internationally famous head of Hull House, says this: "As one grows older one is more impatient with subterfuges and shams generally, and increasingly desirous that the 'last run' at least should be free from them. The world is apparently so confused that the least one can do for it is to keep one's mental integrity and to hold honestly to such poor wisdom as one has been able to garner on the way."

The public is asked to share in the resolution of Judge Mary M. Bartelme, only woman Juvenile court judge in the United States.

"My resolution for the New Year is that I shall not fail to take advantage of every opportunity to arouse public interest and a realization of responsibility on the part of the public in the kind of care, training, food and discipline given dependent, delinquent and feeble minded children committed to institutions and associations by the Juvenile court, and with particular emphasis on the deplorable lack of accommodations for such children."

And this pithy sentence, so freighted with meaning, comes from the pen of George E. Brennan, the Democratic leader:

"Resolved—Never to run for the United States senate again from Illinois. That office seems to be a total loss in this state."

FROM BUNDESEN

Dr. Herman N. Bundesen, president of the American Public Health association, resolves to make us resolve to keep well. Here's the way he puts it:

"To guard my health and the health of my fellows, that we may have the clarity of mind and the vigor of body to do our tasks and help bring cheer in the world. To seek out illness and misery in the dark places, teach the lessons of health and the virtues of kindliness and square dealing."

State's Attorney Robert E. Crowe compresses his reply into these twenty-five words:

"The only resolution I will make January first is to try to be a little bit better next year than I have been this year."

DARROW'S VIEW

And Clarence Darrow compacts his seventy years of reflections into the following paragraphs:

"When I was young I went to Sunday school and learned what was good and what was bad. I likewise learned about the will and how one could do or not do any act if only one's will was strong. As near as I can recall my crude teaching, I learned that everything I want to do was bad, and everything I didn't want to do was good. This idea was logical because it was based on the thoroughly scientific doctrine of original sin.

"In those days I made resolutions, as they were called, on every New Year. Some of them lasted for a day. I have known a few to last a week. Of course, I was miserable during the time, for I was restraining from doing the things I wished to do, and in their place was doing the things I did not want to do.

"For many years since then my will, or emotion, has been the same on New Year's as on every other day. Like all living things, I have sought more life. I have tried to find it by avoiding pain and seeking pleasure. This is my constant resolution both for Jan. 1, and all other days. I have no trouble in carrying it out."



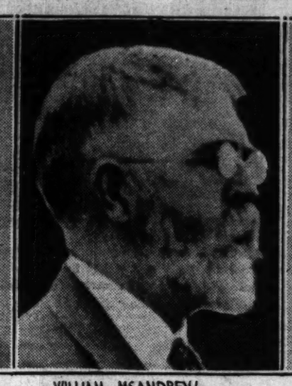
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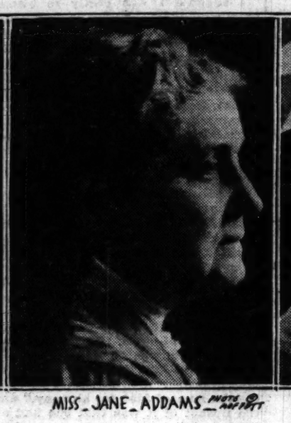
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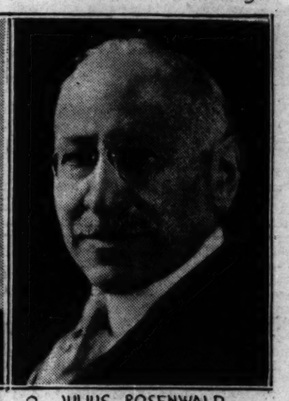
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MARY GARDEN



JULIUS ROSENWALD

MARY WOULD BREAK 'EM

Maj. Gen. Milton Foreman joins satire to philosophy in a set of resolutions which are both personal and national.

"I hereby highly and sternly resolve:

"That I will no longer try to discover why a country remains constitutionally dry which insists upon being habitually wet;

"That I will try to be tolerant and charitable and refrain from doing bodily harm to those who are so busy reforming and remaking the balance of the world that they have no time to mend their own manners and morals;

"That I will try to appreciate and be grateful for the superior physical safety we dwellers in American cities enjoy compared to our Mexican, Chinese and Abyssinian brethren;

"That I will continue to try to understand the mental processes of Americans who believe that by denuding itself of the power and means of defense the United States is helping to put an end to war and that the virtue of its cause and rectitude of its motives are all it needs for national defense and protection."

Mary Garden, born in Aberdeen, Scotland, came early to Chicago and first sang out in Rosalie hall in Kenwood. She calls herself, and is called by the city, a Chicagoan. She was very busy the day this question of a New Year's resolution was put to her.

"Surely, I'll make some resolutions. But in the mood I'm in just now, I'm positive that any I made I'd break."

CIVIC RESOLUTIONS

Edward J. Kelly, president of the south park board, has a three ply project before him.

"First, I am resolved to maintain the standards of the park service, expanding it with equal regard to central and outlying parts of our district.

"Then, there is the great museum project, Mr. Rosenwald's gift, to be housed in the restored Fine Arts building. I am determined to push the reconstruction work at once, to make available as soon as possible the inspiration of these exhibits for our workers, and for the youth of the city.

"Finally, to place Chicago first among cities, in freedom of transit, I want to see the chain of bridges finished, the new highways opened, the link of the north side under construction, and an opportunity extended our citizens to express their wishes respecting the next steps in the lake shore reclamation project, the proposed airport development, and the extension to the southward of the system of lake shore parkways to the city's southern edge."

Says James Hamilton Lewis:

"The New Year should signal the new resolution of our people to be new citizens, with new purposes of private honor and public integrity in this new era that is now being threatened with conflict and corruption. This can only be arrested by those who will resolve upon a new life—justice to his neighbor, honor to his citizenship, and patriotism to his country."

Life is an everlasting New Year's day to President Max Mason of the University of Chicago.

"I don't remember ever making a New Year's resolution—at least 'as such'—as the philosophers say. Since almost the whole of life consists in making resolutions and trying to carry them out, I do not quite see the need of concentrating on one day."

Brief, significant, alliterative are these four lines from William McAndrew:

"More hoping than hating;
More helping than hindering;
More compliment than complaint;
More work than words."

A WORTHY AMBITION

Exceedingly forthright is the pair of resolutions which Mrs. Ruth Hanna McCormick offers:

1. "Resolved—That I will be nominated for congressman-at-large on the Republican ticket in the April primary and elected in November.

2. "Resolved—That I will give up time to teach men politicians how to get the woman vote."

Mrs. Rockefeller McCormick, like President Mason, believes in making of every day a new day. Mrs. McCormick's philosophy is this:

"I do not make new resolutions for the new year for the reason that I take account of myself every day. If a tree grows on a bend for a whole year, it is much harder to correct this direction at the end of the year than it would be to perceive the tendency of the tree at the end of a day and to straighten it at once.

"If we let a whole year go by without taking note of our direction, things may have happened which it is too late to correct, and this leaves regret. Make each day your New Year and then when the sun's New Year comes around you will not find any bent trees or any broken boughs which Julius Rosenwald, in the following cause pain and sorrow and which are so much harder to correct."

MABEL'S DILEMMA

Mrs. Mabel Reinecke, United States collector of internal revenue, is in something of a dilemma as she, as a person, considers what would happen to her, as an official, if she made some of the resolutions which she does not make. Read what she has to say:

"Of course I don't smoke, but if I did and resolved to stop, the cigaret manufacturers might stop buying cigaret stamps.

"Of course I don't use alcohol, but if my resolution took that direction, the bootleggers might refuse to confess in their income tax returns.

"I might resolve that the next time my hostess serves more than three courses to arise and squeal like a pig, and then again the butcher and the baker and the grocer might take it out on Uncle Sam.

"We need Henry Ford's and John D's money, so certainly I can't resolve in that direction.

"Really, I guess the only thing left for me is to resolve to save my money which I know will please the banks."

fragment, reveals a clear cut theory of his philosophy:

"If I made a New Year's resolution it would be—To live my life and conduct my affairs that my every obligation as a citizen of the most blessed nation on earth be fulfilled to the best of my ability that I may deserve the respect of my fellow-men."

FOR A BETTER CHICAGO

President Walter Dill Scott of Northwestern university makes resolutions which affect the city of Chicago.

"To increase the size of the McKinlock campus.

"To do something towards making Chicago the center of higher learning in America.

"To coöperate in making Chicago a city of which we are justly proud."

Silas H. Strawn, president of the American Bar association, says:

"To strive to do one's best every day and in everything one undertakes; to live simply and temperately; to cultivate a capacity to amuse and to entertain one's self by adding a little to one's knowledge each day, and to respect and obey the constitution and laws of the land, is about the best New Year's resolution one can make."

From Lorado Taft, the widely known sculptor, comes this adroit combination of whimsy and serious reflection:

"To give up lecturing and try to be a sculptor.

"To be at my studio at 8 o'clock every morning when I am in town.

"To stay in town.

"Not to spend more than half my time answering letters about infant prodigies.

"To do all in my power to equip our high school art galleries.

"To think all of the time about the great Museum of Architecture and Sculpture which Chicago needs so much, and to talk about it to all who will listen.

"To swear off from lecturing."

BY BILL THE BOOSTER

Mayor William Hale Thompson epitomizes his zeal for the welfare of Chicago in the following poem:

BOOST.

Boost your city, boost your friend;
Boost the lodge that you attend;
Boost the street on which you're dwelling;
Boost the goods that you are selling.
Boost the people round about you;
They can get along without you,
But success will quicker find them
If they know that you're behind them.

Boost for every forward movement,
Boost for every new improvement;
Boost the man for whom you labor,
Boost the stranger and the neighbor.
Cease to be a chronic knocker,
Cease to be a progress blocker;
If you'd make your city better,
Boost it to the final letter.

Sincerely yours,
WILLIAM HALE THOMPSON,
Mayor.

BABIES ARE LIKE AUTOS, IT'S THE UPKEEP THAT COUNTS

Nancy Is Only Ten Weeks Old and Papa Talks of the Money She's Cost

But Ignorance Is Bliss, Just Wait Till She Grows Up

By William C. Shinnick.

A BABY, in the economic aspect, is a good deal like an automobile—while the first cost is important, it's really the upkeep that counts. I think I can prove it; I am speaking as the father of a daughter who has reached the ripe age of ten weeks.

With the help of her mother I have compiled figures showing that to date the total cost, including maintenance, of little Nancy has been $769.50. And most of it has been maintenance.

Here's a table showing where the money went:

Physicians' services	$210.00
Hospital bill	108.00
Clothing	133.50
Bed and bedding	94.00
Baby carriage and extras	76.50
Bath equipment	32.50
Traveling basket	10.00
Medicines, soap, powders, etc.	35.00
Extra help for mother	70.00
Total	$769.50

There it is. The first cost, the physicians and the hospital, set the bank account back only $318. The upkeep so far has been $451.50. The upkeep, I may add, is still keeping up.

SLIDING SCALES

It is not to be assumed that this is an average cost. It isn't necessary to spend nearly $800 to bring a baby to the age of ten weeks. Nor does that approach the amount that thousands of Chicago babies individually have expended on them as they get their start. It's largely a matter of personal preference and the ability of the parents' bank accounts to stand the strain governs.

There is, for instance, a great variation in the amount of the physician's fee. He may charge $75, or $500, or anywhere in between. There are fashionable doctors whose bills will go—they tell it without blushing—to $1,000 under certain circumstances.

Hospitals, too, have sliding scales to fit slim and fat pocketbooks. Generally speaking, their charges are reasonable for the service given. Private rooms cost from $7 a day up to whatever the traffic will bear, and there are extras that in the case of a single baby who sticks around for two weeks will easily tear a $50 bill into small shreds.



NURSES ARE EXTRA

And if nurses are specially engaged for the event, that will mount up to a respectable total in a short time. Seven dollars a day for one nurse and $2 a day for her board makes $63 a week. If there are day and night nurses that's twice as much. So it wouldn't be difficult for a wealthy parent to get rid of $1,500 in the first cost—represented by our $318.

On the other hand, there is available machinery in Chicago, for parents who haven't any money at all, to avoid any part of this expenditure. Dr. Charles D. Parker of the county hospital staff tells me that taxicabs and flivvers arrive at the institution daily with women whose children are born within a few hours and cared for by the public funds. There are even free dispensaries in various parts of the city where mothers get pre-natal care, examinations and advice. If the parents are so inclined, a baby may be brought into the world for practically nothing.

All this is explained to show that my own figures are not averages and probably won't fit any other individual case. With that we'll get back to the personal relationship of little Nancy with her father's billfold.

PRE-NATAL CARE

The first physician we went to, some months before the birth of the youngster, had handsomely appointed offices near the loop. He wouldn't even talk about money.

"You'll have to see the girl at her desk about those details," he said.

The girl at the desk said the doctor's fee was $500 if there was no trouble. It happened that Nancy's mother didn't like him at any price. She never went back to him, but I received and paid a bill of $15 for finding out what his charges were.

Another physician, a pleasant and competent gentleman with offices in Evanston, charged me $40 for pre-natal care extending over several months, including two home visits. Fair enough. Then Nancy's mother decided she would rather go to her old home town in the south for the scheduled event. A third physician, likewise a courteous and efficient specialist, charged me a total of $155.

That couldn't be considered exorbitant, nor the hospital bill of $108. The latter item, I am informed, would have been about 50 per cent higher in a big city hospital for similar accomodations. No nurse was specially engaged, as the third physician advised against it.



WHITE SQUARES!

The baby's wardrobe is far from elaborate. There isn't much in it that could be dispensed with, and the single items don't seem to look impressive. It would be very easy to double or triple the total cost here.

To begin with, there are six dozen of those white squares that all babies use—and how. The cost was $13.50. Here's the remainder of the list:

6 pair stockings	$5.10	4 gertrudes [petticoats]	6.00
4 binders	3.40	6 flannel petticoats	12.00
4 shirts	6.00	9 dresses [inexpensive]	25.00
6 pair bootees	7.00	4 nightgowns	4.00
1 baby bunting	6.50	2 kimonos	7.00
2 caps [plain and fancy]	5.00	2 sweaters	6.00
1 bathrobe	4.50	2 wrapping blankets	6.00
1 pair kid shoes	2.00	6 wrapping squares	2.00
2 pair mittens	2.00		

RELATIVES KICK IN

The baby's sleeping equipment is relatively of finer quality than her clothing. This is explained by the fact that practically all of it was given her by her maternal grandfather and a couple of close friends of the family. The list:

1 bed	$29.00
1 mattress	8.00
1 rubber sheet	2.00
1 asbestos sheet	2.00
8 linen sheets	16.00
1 counterpane	2.00
1 blanket	8.00
4 pillow cases	6.00
1 comforter	8.00
2 pillows	3.00
1 quilt [hand made]	10.00

As for the baby carriage, that was a gift from her grandmother on the other side of the house. It is a nice one and cost $65. One that would have been acceptable could have been had for half that. The robe, also a gift, represents $8 and the pad and pillows $3.50 more.

Giving the baby a bath doesn't look like it would be an expensive procedure. But her towels cost $6, her wash cloths 50 cents, her tub $4 and her bath table, $10. Besides that, the scales were $12, and not of an expensive type.

The traveling basket was used when the infant was brought home when she was seven weeks old. It is hardly necessary to detail the accounts from drug stores or the hiring of domestic help.



JUST YOU WAIT

This $769.50, or to be more exact, that part of it that came out of our own income, is something of a dent.

But some co-workers with older children tell me with a superior air that I should wait until the baby is a little older before I feel that I am hurt.

One gentleman who has five youngsters in school informs me that he purchases thirty pairs of shoes a year for them. All I can say about that is "Gosh!" Another relates that each child eats more than a parent.

There was once a father who, it was currently reported, had the only known system to keep down his grocery bills. In the evening he would offer his children two-bits apiece not to eat any supper. They would accept. During the night he would steal the quarters and in the morning refuse to give them any breakfast as a punishment for losing their money. I hope I'll never have to adopt that system. Probably the story wasn't true, anyhow.

$3.65 AN OUNCE

So far the cost of Nancy's food has not been appreciable. Other parents tell me that their bottle fed youngsters require special protein compounds that cost around $1 a day. There's that much to be thankful for.

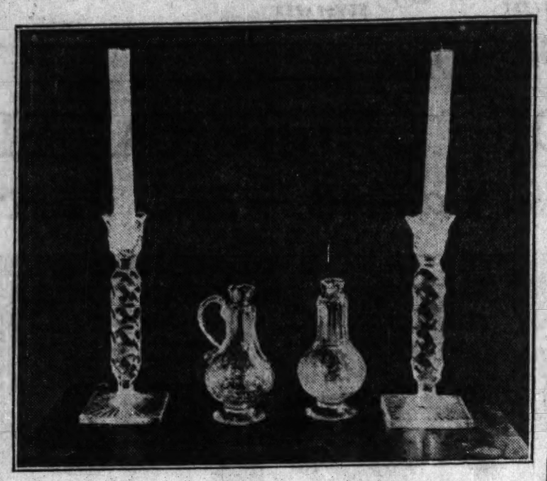
But the baby at ten weeks has reached a weight of thirteen and a half pounds. She has outgrown quite a few of her clothes and I heard today that I'll have to buy some of a new size. That's just another ouch in this adventure in parenthood.

At the weight and the cost it appears that little Nancy represents so far $3.56 an ounce. It looks high. But if you know of anything else that will sell at the same price and be half as satisfactory here's my bid for the Illinois agency.

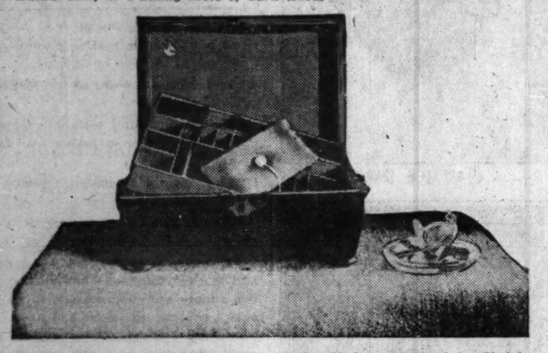
THE OLD AND THE NEW FOR 1928



Modernistic and charming, this group of pottery. It is oyster white and is filled with amusing glass balls in celestial blue. It would be beautiful on a mantel shelf or a dining table of dark wood.



Two Waterford cruets and a pair of crystal candlesticks. The latter came from England, and might have been made in the eighteenth century, but were created in the twentieth, after an old pattern. Crystal is the last word.



A lovely jewel box for that costume jewelry Madame received for Christmas. The compartments are made with extreme ingenuity; red damask is used for padding.



Beautiful old Sheffield is more and more valuable every day. Here are two pieces of which any hostess would be proud, and which would be a good investment financially, as well as pictorially, for that Christmas money of Uncle Bob's.

RECOVERING THE $500,000 GEM LOOT

Scotland Yard Enacts a Highly Melodramatic Little Comedy

Waiters Suddenly Turn Detectives in Parisian Cafe

(When a half million dollars' worth of jewels was stolen from the Marquess of Anglesea the detectives arrested Gault, his valet. Confessing, he told how a woman had led him into it and then had left him while she disposed of the loot. Concluded from last Sunday.)

By George Dilnot.

HER calculations proved right. For days the young man waited, uncertain whether she had proved false or whether her attempt to dispose of the gems had miscarried and she had fallen into the hands of the police. At last he had made his desperate and futile attempt to escape.

Drew satisfied himself that Gault's story was true, and it did not take him long to make a guess at the identity of the woman and her companion. Gault, poor dupe, was sent to five years' penal servitude—almost as long a price for $40 as Goudie the forger paid for the box of cigars which was his share of the $500,000 embezzled from the Bank of Liverpool.

Now began the most difficult and prolonged part of the investigation. The sentence on Gault was poor satisfaction to the marquess, who wanted his jewels back. Drew was no less anxious to lay his hands on the real thieves. He knew who they were, but they had dropped out of sight.

A LADY AND HER LOVER

The months passed. Inquiries were pursued tenaciously in every quarter of the world. Drew located the lady in the case and her lover in the wilds of Brazil, but he was satisfied they had disposed of their booty before they had fled to that part of the world. More than that, he was confident he could put his finger on the receivers in Paris.

Now, at that time—the law has been altered since—it was not a crime for any one abroad to have goods stolen from persons in Great Britain in his possession, unless it could be proved that he had been concerned in the actual theft. This fact, it will be appreciated, was of great value to all sorts of gentry engaged in nefarious occupations. It really meant that receivers had a free market in Europe.

So when Drew found that the Anglesea jewels were in the hands of certain men in Paris the information looked more irritating than helpful. No one knew better that the Scotland Yard man that it would be practically a matter of impossibility to show they had had any concern with the theft.

But Tricky Drew had not achieved his nickname without reason. He slipped over to Paris and had a talk with some of the men of the Service de Surete. He had a skeleton of a scheme in his mind, and the quick-witted French officers laughed as they elaborated details of the bluff.

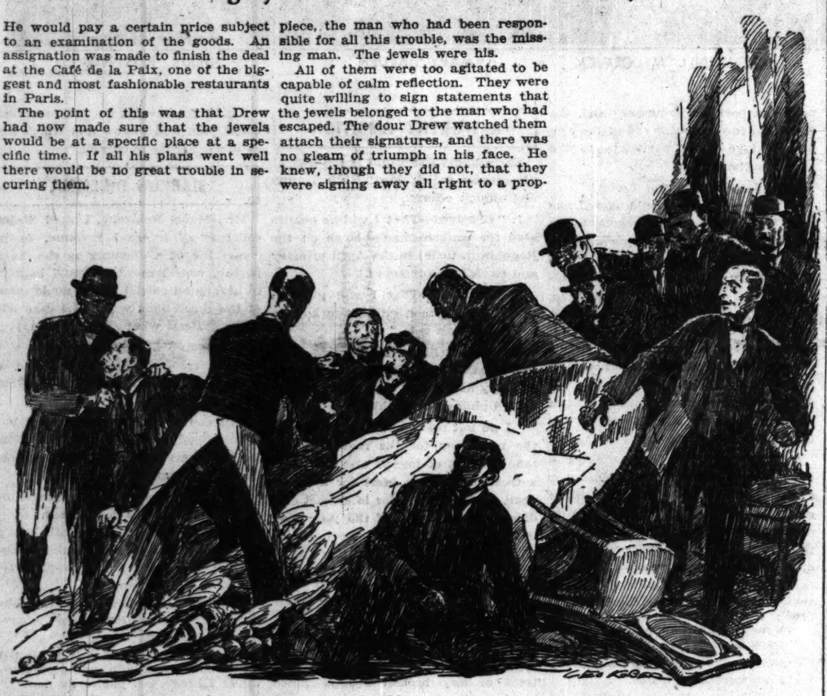
WHEN THIEVES FALL OUT

There were four men known to be mixed up in the affair of the stolen gems. The detectives considered the temperament of each of these carefully, finally selecting one as most suitable for the purpose they had in mind. This man they got hold of quietly. The French police had their own methods of persuasion, and the individual in their clutches felt it would be wise to see reason. He was given precise instructions and promised a considerable reward if he carried them out faithfully. Also he was assured that his own part in certain matters would not be too closely scrutinized if they approved of his behavior.

Meanwhile Drew had engaged another emissary to play a different part. This gentleman, plentifully supplied with money, got into touch with the suspected four as a dealer in precious stones who was not averse from a deal under the rose. He established confidence by paying generous prices for a few stones, and an arrangement was come to in regard to the remainder. He would pay a certain price subject to an examination of the goods. An assignation was made to finish the deal at the Café de la Paix, one of the biggest and most fashionable restaurants in Paris.

The point of this was that Drew had now made sure that the jewels would be at a specific place at a specific time. If all his plans went well there would be no great trouble in securing them.

All of them were too agitated to be capable of calm reflection. They were quite willing to sign statements that the jewels belonged to the man who had escaped. The dour Drew watched them attach their signatures, and there was no gleam of triumph in his face. He knew, though they did not, that they were signing away all right to a property which they could have legally defied him to take from them. For the fourth man already had signed away any right he might have had. That was why he had been allowed to escape with every circumstance of verisimilitude.



Tables were overturned; women screamed. None but the detectives knew what was taking place.

WELL OILED

The scene was staged with all the elaboration of a theatrical drama. The five sat down to dinner, all unaware that the adroit waiter at the table was a French detective, and the discussion on the bargain was oiled by the most expensive wines.

A little distance away a jovial party of which the center was a tall, scrupulously dressed Englishman, with a flower in his buttonhole, was engaged on a more modest meal.

The dinner of the first party came to its conclusion. The deft waiter handed round coffee and cigars, and one of the diners thrust a hand into his breast pocket and half drew a roll of notes.

"One moment," interrupted the man on his left. "You can go, waiter. We shall want nothing else."

The waiter bowed obsequiously, "Bien, m'sieu." He moved nonchalantly a few paces away and stood for a while collecting some empty plates.

A NICE LITTLE PARTY

Another man stretched a packet across the table toward the man with the notes. The plates crashed to the ground. The waiter, the tall Englishman, and half a dozen other men sprang to surround the receivers. Tables were overturned, women screamed, men stood on chairs. Some one yelled for the police. None but the detectives quite knew what was taking place.

Rarely does a British detective make an arrest in this melodramatic fashion. But there was method in Drew's madness. Notes and jewels were promptly seized and three of the conspirators arrested and carried off to the police station. The fourth man made an entirely plausible escape during the confusion. None of the other three dreamed they were being made the victims of a well carried through comedy.

MORE DUPES

At the police station the bewildered prisoners did exactly what the astute Drew had expected. They strenuously protested that the jewels did not belong to them. With unanimity and volubility they upheld each other. They were all perfectly honest and misunderstood men. If there had been any violation of the law they were dupes. They had been drawn into the affair quite innocently. The villain of the piece, the man who had been responsible for all this trouble, was the missing man. The jewels were his.

MERRY DETECTIVES

That there was something wrong must have dawned on them when the smiling French police told them they were free. There was no charge against them that could be sustained. It was at this time that Inspector Drew first permitted himself the luxury of a smile.

A little reflection and a few inquiries soon made them aware of the reason for their merriment. Their faces must have been worth watching when they at last fully understood how they had been outwitted by the calm detective with the air of a duke. They were stung to an attempt to fight. With consummate impudence they began an action in the French courts for the return of the gems.

That was a great mistake, for the cautious Drew still had something up his sleeve. All these men some years before had been expelled from France with loss of civil rights. That meant that they had no standing before a court. So they lost their case, and all that their audacity achieved was an order that they should again be sent out of the country.

AMATEUR TURNS PRO

The marquess, glad enough to get his gems back, was not disposed to go to the trouble and expense that would be involved in bringing the woman and her lover back from Brazil. So they went free, for the time at least, and Drew was spared a tedious trip. Their further career has no connection with this story.

The hapless Gault served his sentence and on his release returned to France. He was an amateur in crime, but nothing else offered itself as a means of making a livelihood. At his first robbery he was captured and sentenced to a long term of imprisonment. On becoming free once more he was disturbed while going through the flat of a titled woman. Reckless of all but escape, he killed her with a dagger. He was run down and expiated his crime on the guillotine.

If in these days you should see a tall, erect, well groomed man with silver hair and mustache strolling on the front at Brighton, take some note of the jeweled pin he wears in his necktie. That jewel was stolen from the marquess of Anglesea and when returned was presented by him to Chief Detective Inspector Drew.

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[Another of these gripping true stories will appear in an early issue.]

Lady Ghost Plays Role at Auction Sale

KETTERING, England.—(AP)—A "lady" ghost of ancient times figured prominently in an auction sale of land at Kettering.

The shade coming under the hammer was that of "the White Lady of the Falls of Harrington" when part of the Harrington estate was sold.

The White Lady whose name was associated with the auction sale was a member of the family of Sir John Stanhope, who was created Lord Stanhope by James I., and her name has clung to the property all these years—in fact, has become a very part of the district itself.

The story is that the White Lady, a spirited, hot tempered individual, in a rage killed one of the estate gardeners with a spade because he did not plant certain flowers to her liking.

The ghost of the victim never appeared, old timers say, but instead the ghost of the White Lady herself has haunted the scene for centuries and brought ill luck to all who looked upon her.

City Employes Spend Time Riding on Trucks

PARIS.—(AP)—Several city employés of Paris spend their time riding back and forth across the city on truck loads of food or other dutiable goods.

They are officials of the city "octroi" or customs house taking trucks "in bond" from one city gate to another. This enables trucks of dutiable goods to take a short cut through Paris on main highways instead of circling the town and losing much time.

About 8,000 such escorted trucks each year pay eight francs for this service, so that it provides an easy life for a few tired octroi men and some revenue for the city.

HOLLERAN YELL'S YULETIDE TRAGEDY

He Strongly Advocates Useless Presents, and Tells Why

Vicious System of Practical Gifts Is Deplored

By Westbrook Pegler.

I MUST state that this Yuletide season has been a very unpleasant one for me and my helpmeet and I attribute all the unhappiness in our little love nest to the vicious custom of giving practical Yuletide presents.

Ever since the Yule when she purchased a snowshovel for me and snow fell on Christmas day I have been opposed to the principle of giving practical gifts, but unless you are very firm about such principles you are likely to forget about it when the Christmas Yule season comes along. So the first thing you know you may discover that you have bought your loving life pal some little gewgaw to help with the washing and she is likely to bob up giving something to beat the rugs with.

Well, as I state, I have been very unhappy this Christmas season and when I realize that all this unhappiness could have been obliviated by a little common sense in purchasing our love tokens I cannot help having very strong feelings on the subject of giving practical gifts even in the privacy of the home.

PROBLEMS PREOCCUPY ME

I suppose I was partly to blame, as a man in the pugilistic profession has to spend a great deal of their time thinking up schemes so that your professional rivals will not take advantage of you and I was very busy indeed just before Christmas thinking up some scheme to get hold of a good heavyweight galloper to represent my escutcheon in the squared circle, because I had the misfortune to lose my great galloper, Rollo Rollova, only a few weeks ago.

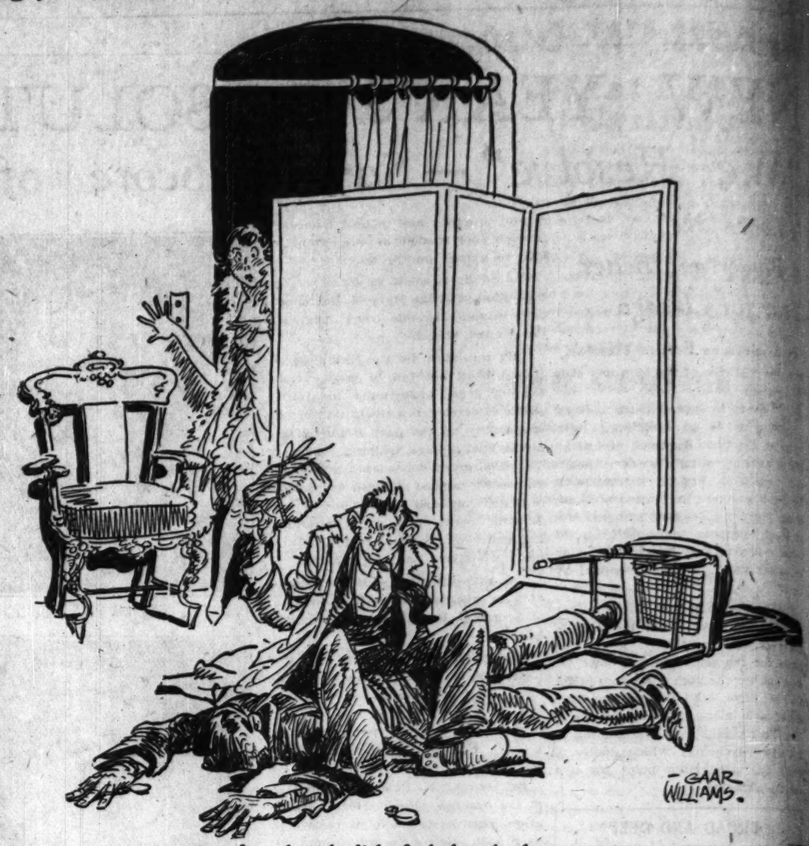
It seems that a professional rival by the name of Rob Theeve had a genuine imported European Spanish galloper by the name of Hilario Squattag, but it seems that a lady by the name of Mrs. Hicks showed up a short time ago and stated that she was Hilario Squattag's loving mate. She asserted that Hilario Squattag's real name was Herbert Hicks of Sandusky, O., instead of being Hilario Squattag of Spain, Europe.

"This big bum is my spouse," the lady asserted, "and moreover he owes me the sum of $250 for alimony," and the upshot of it was that she had an officer of the law arrest the professional galloper and house him up in the bastille for not paying the alimony.

DISHONESTY ROBBED

This left Mr. Theeve without any bum to support him, and of course I immediately tried to get up some scheme to obtain this bum for myself. But while I was trying to think up a scheme, Mr. Theeve unscrupulously lured Rollo Rollova away from my escutcheon by dishonest flattery and when Christmas came on I was unable to make any resources as I did not have any bum to uphold my fighting traditions in the resined square.

Naturally I did not do much thinking about what kind of a Yule gift to get my life pal until the night before Christmas and then I forgot all about my principle against useful gifts and I only thought that I would have to get her something or stand before society as the kind of a no good cur that does not get their wife any Yule present at all.



Just then the light flashed on in the room.

I FORGET MY PRINCIPLE

So as I was going home on Christmas eve, feeling full of the merry festive spirit, it suddenly occurred to me that I was very fond of waffles and I said to myself: "Well, why not get your helpmeet a waffle iron as this would be a great surprise to her and it would certainly be a wonderful help in her work?"

Therefore, I stopped at a prominent hardware establishment and purchased a very elaborate waffle iron to gladden her heart on Christmas morning and then I started home again, only stopping here and there to extend Yule greetings to friends of mine on the way.

I may have taken a little more time than I expected to, because it was after midnight when I arrived at our love nest and removed my shoes so I could steal into the flat softly and lay the waffle iron on the table as if I was Santa Claus.

FOUND: AN INTRUDER

Well, my dear sir, as I stepped into the parlor I stumbled over a man lying prostrate on the floor, so I exclaimed, "Ah ha! a burglar in the privacy of my love bower on Christmas evening," and made a grab for the intruder, clutching him by his neck with the grip of a vice ring. As I did so the intruder let out a yelp that sounded like he was trying to say, "Leave me explain," but I am a dangerous man when aroused and, instead of letting him explain, I hauled off with my helpmeet's waffle iron and tagged him over the head with it in a very vigorous manner.

Just then the light flashed on in the room and my helpmeet came in wearing a kimono and blinking her eyes. "For land's sakes," she stated, "what is the matter with you two boys fighting in the privacy of the home on Yule evening?" And when she saw the intruder in a state of unconsciousness, she started to cry.

I stated, "Don't cry, baby, as I am not hurt and I think I have deceased this intruder permanently."

But she only cried the harder and grabbed the intruder's head in her arms, saying, "O, to think of all my sacrifice, saving $250 and have you do this to him."

THERE IS CONFUSION

This made me feel indignant, as I did not think she should be so anxious about any intruder, but just then the intruder rolled his head my way and came to life and I discovered that it was Hilario Squattag.

"Leave me get out of here," he stated, "as I think this is a frame to kill me," and with that he grabbed his hat and ran down the stairs in great haste. Then my helpmeet sat down and explained how she had been saving resources for almost a year to purchase a Yule watch for me, but when I lost Rollo Rollova she figured that I had my heart set on getting Hilario Squattag, so she went around to the courthouse and paid off his bail alimony to get him out of jail and present me with a good, big, reliable bum for a Christmas surprise.

Of course, there was no use crying over spilled beans, so I grabbed her in my arms and gave her a big Yule kiss.

"Well, Baby," I asserted, "it is too bad this accident happened, but I guess that poor bum will not be able to gallop in the roped arena for several months after the way I tagged him on the head with this little Yule gift that I got for you."

So I handed her the present and when she opened it, my dear sir, you may believe me or not, but I had Hilario Squattag so hard over the head that I not only had ruined her present to me but I had also fractured the waffle iron in three places, so neither one of us had any present from each other this Christmas, all because of this vicious custom of giving useless presents to each other.

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LEAP YEAR—AS IS—AS WAS—AS MAY BE

Still Further Proposal Boon Proposed for Girls

So They Won't Be Forced to Pay and Pay and Pay

It is statut and ordaint that during the rein of hir maist blissit Megeste, for ilk years knowne as lepe yeare, ilk mayden ladye of bothe highe and lowe estait shall hae liberte to bespeke ye man she likes, albeit he refuses to talk hir to be his lawful wyfe, he shall be mulcted in ye sum ane pundis or less, as his estait may be; except and awis gif he can make it appeare that he is betrothit ane ither woman he then shall be free.

—Scottish Statute, A. D. 1288.

By William Wisner.

MARGARET, maid of Norway, was Queen of Scotland when this earliest of all feminist bills became law in the land of the lochs, the bens, the haggis, and the heather. A few years later France enacted a similar statute and in the fifteenth century Genoa and Florence legalized the quadrennial open season on bachelors.

The Encyclopedia Britannica sheds no further light upon the subject except this:

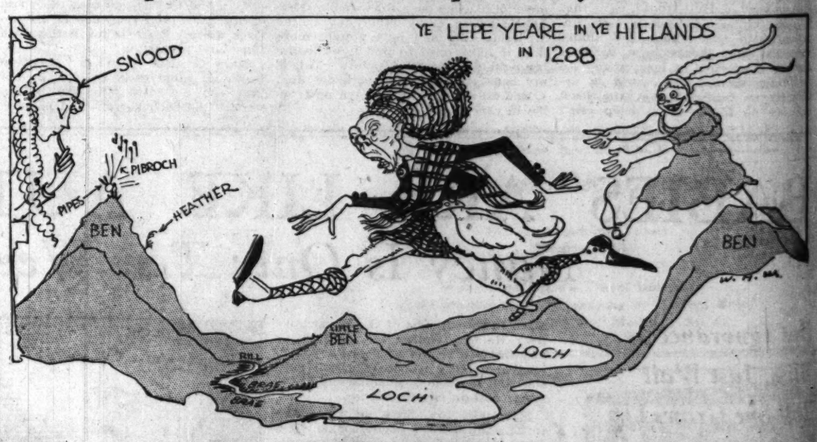
"Of the origin of the custom for women to woo, not be wooed, during leap year, no satisfactory explanation has ever been offered."

THERE'S NO ESCAPING 'EM

It will be noticed that the joker in the law quoted above is that the quarry need not be "betrothit ane ither woman," but that "he make it appeare" that such is the case.

What a boon for bonnie Jean, her wee heart yearning and longing for sleekit, cowrin, tim-rous, bashfu' Sandy. If Sandy—after much deliberation, you may be sure—preferred being "mulcted in ye sum ane pundis or less" to accepting bonnie Jean's hand, she need but cause it to be noised about that her complaisant chum, pop-eyed Peggy, was seen trailing Sandy with a "bespekeing" gleam in her ee; whereupon Sandy, casting caution to the winds, would espouse bonnie Jean and save, temporarily at least, his "ane pundis or less."

It is popularly believed that this custom of women's leap year rights has been followed through the ages and down to the present writing. Indeed, some authorities go so far as to claim that the fair sex, taking unfair advantage of man's notoriously lax memory in the matter of dates, has extended the leap year privileges on both ends, so that now those privileges overlap and leap year itself has become merely the peak load period—the height, you might say, of the hunting season.



EQUAL RIGHTS?

There are those, of course, who express views diametrically opposed to that just cited, and it may have no basis whatever in fact. But the opinion is held by such a ponderable body of our more serious, male, married opinion-holders that, in the absence of available statistics, it must be coped with as an actuality.

If the proposing of marriage has ceased to be woman's special prerogative during this one year in each four, then some other right must be vouchsafed her for that period to take its place.

To disclose this new leap year privilege is the purpose of this article.

The task of finding a suitable gift for Woman in general is as much more difficult than selecting a present for one particular woman as the total number of women is to one. You know, something neat but not gaudy; a token that means a great deal and—not to put too fine a point upon it—permits the donor to eat regularly whilst smilingly feeding the installment collector for the next few eons.

IN NO WOMAN'S LAND

The problem is made still more brain-racking by woman's constantly increasing activities in the world outside the nursery and the kitchen.

Not only does she officiate, professionally as well as personally, at our entrance into the world, but also, stethoscope in hand, superintends our leaving it, and in the final scene, in yet another rôle, directs the obsequies.

She pulls our teeth, educates us, repairs our balky motors, runs our elevators, writes our books, sells us bonds and real estate, makes our laws, governs our states, ministers to our spiritual needs, hunts the Snark and the Behemoth of Holy Writ, and explores our darkest continents; she plays male parts in "Peter Pan" and "L'Aiglon" better, far, than we could do—and even, it is said, smuggles in the sinful juice of the succulent juniper berry.

Can we confer upon her any sartorial right she has not already taken? Are her golf knickers one whit different from man's plus-fours? She wears his shirts, his collars, his ties, his breeches. Even certain items of her lingerie, we are informed, are merely abridged editions of man's union suits.

Nor is the end in sight. The comic magazines assure us that she monopolizes our barbers and dictates the style of our cigaret holders and cigar lighters.

In a word, there seems to be almost nothing we can give her that she has not already appropriated, or that she will fail to annex when, as, and if the spirit moves her.

BE IT ENACTED

Hence, there is but one thing left to do and we men must face the task without flinching. Let us make a virtue of necessity and grant her, during leap years, at least, the special privileges enunciated in the subjoined bill to be acted upon in congress, to wit:

"It is statut and ordaint that during lepe yeare Woman be permitted freely and heartily to indulge in hilarious, immoderate, uproarious, and unseemly laughter at each and every weather-beaten jest with which her husband entertains company, regardless of how many times she has heard said quip before and from the same source:

"That she be granted free and full right, without let or hindrance and without prejudice to her present household occupations, to the furnace-shaking, milk bottle and newspaper retrieving, cat-banishing, clock-winding, and burglar-hunting concessions within the confines of her domicile;

"That the various and sundry statutes be repealed which compel her to disembark from street cars and other common carriers whilst facing in a retrogressive direction;

"And be it further enacted, that she be given free access to, and full use of, all sleeve-garters, bicycle-clips, mustache-cups, croquet mallets, bamboo canes, family albums, stereoscopes, horse blocks, boot-jacks, painted sea-shells, souvenirs of Niagara Falls, buggy whips, false shirt-fronts, chain-mail watch fobs, detachable cuffs, congress gaiters, and snap-headed, carved-bone umbrella handles which several articles may be in the possession of her male next of kin or boy friends at the time of the passage of this measure."

Gentlemen, we might as well show the works.

So here you are, Ladies: hop to it.

HANDING IT BACK.

It is related that a certain man, who apparently didn't like Buddha, went up to him and called him a lot of ugly names. Buddha listened quietly until his reviler had quite run out of epithets, and then said to him:

"If you offer something to a man and he refuses it, to whom then does it belong?"

The man replied, "It belongs, I suppose, to the one who offered."

Buddha said, "The abuse and the names you offer me, I refuse to accept."—The Outlook.



Caricatures of the poets whose work appears below are included in this strip. Can you identify them? If you can't, turn to answers in another column on this page. No prizes offered; just a chance to try your memory.

Try These POETIC POSERS

NO. 1.

The boast of heraldry, the pomp of power,
And all that beauty, all that wealth e'er gave,
Await alike th' inevitable hour.
The paths of glory lead but to the grave——

Poem .....

Author .....



NO. 2.

In vain, through every changeful year,
Did Nature lead him as before;
A primrose by a river's brim
A yellow primrose was to him,
And it was nothing more——

Poem .....

Author .....



NO. 3.

Should auld acquaintance be forgot,
And never brought to min'?
Should auld acquaintance be forgot,
And days o' auld lang syne?

Poem .....

Author .....

By Norman Lustig and William J. Fadiman.

Now is the time to brush up a little on the old poems you knew so well. See if you can guess the authors of these excerpts and the titles of the poems from which they are taken.

Give yourself five for each author named correctly and another five for the name of the poem. Sixty per cent is a passing mark and anything above that flatters your memory. Try your wits on them, and don't give up too easily.

Here are a few suggestions that might be of some aid. A Scotchman who always wrote in native dialect is the author of the third, and the Englishman who wrote "The Daffodils" also penned the second excerpt. Though not from the same poem, the words, "Why don't you speak for yourself, John?" may recall the author of the eighth. The fifth author lives in England and has written "Kim," among his other works. The initials of the ninth author are W. C. A churchyard was the scene of the first, and the fourth was originally written by the author for his own children's amusement. "In Memoriam" is another work by the author of the seventh. Originally written as a poem, the tenth is even more famous as a song. No. 6 was the work of a playwright, killed in 1593, who also wrote "Tamburline."

After you have finished, turn to the answers in another column on this page.

NO. 4.

'Twas the night before Christmas,
when all through the house
Not a creature was stirring, not
even a mouse;
The stockings were hung by the
chimney with care,
In hopes that St. Nicholas soon
would be there——

Poem .....

Author .....

NO. 5.

If you can keep your head when
all about you
Are losing theirs and blaming
it on you;
If you can trust yourself when all
men doubt you,
But make allowance for their
doubting, too——

Poem .....

Author .....

NO. 6.

Was this the face that launched a
thousand ships,
And burnt the topless towers of
Ilium!
Sweet Helen, make me immortal
with a kiss.
Her lips suck forth my soul! See
where it flies;
Come, Helen, come, give me my
soul again.

Poem .....

Author .....

NO. 7.

Break, break, break,
On thy cold gray stones, O sea!
And I would that my tongue could
utter
The thoughts that arise in
me——

Poem .....

Author .....



NO. 8.

Between the dark and the daylight,
When the night is beginning to lower,
Comes a pause in the day's occupations
That is known as the Children's Hour——

Poem .....

Author .....



NO. 9.

I am monarch of all I survey;
My right there is none to dispute;
From the center all 'round to the sea
I am lord of the fowl and the brute——

Poem .....

Author .....



NO. 10.

Drink to me only with thine eyes,
And I will pledge with mine;
Or leave a kiss but in the cup
And I'll not look for wine——

Poem .....

Author .....

AL DISCOURSES ON BILL SHAKESPEARE

Thinks Othello Was the Funniest Thing He Wrote

By Snowshoe Al.



BILL SHAKESPEARE, the demon fountain pen demonstrator of a couple centuries ago, certainly crashed out some high class comedy, but [at least in my estimation] the funniest thing he ever wrote was a drama entitled:

OTHELLO & DESDEMONA.

Brabantio was the richest politician what ever disregarded traffic signals on the canals of Venice. Venice was a town where streets were built to accommodate eels instead of voters. This Brabantio person had more titles and jobs than the prince of Wales and Mussolini combined. Besides being a senator he was also custodian of the graft, president of the Bomb Throwers' union, high hat of the Rotary club, low heel of the Kiwanis club, stiff neck of the local den of Lions, and the et cetera. He was in poor health, and could usually be found lying in a corner swallowing pink pills for punk men.

A SWELL MAMMA

This egg had a daughter named Desdemona, who was one ritzy looking mamma; in fact, she was always grabbing first prize at the beauty contests, horse fairs, dog shows and aquarium exhibits. She was very proud of her face, and she used to always carry it with her because she discovered that it had several uses. For instance, if somebody gave her a shove when she was leaving a cabaret with a bottle of beer in each hand, she needn't drop the beer—she could slide out the door on her face. She was graceful, dignified and well educated, and felt perfectly at home whether she was riding in a limousine or a patrol wagon. This squaw always had a mess of boy friends hanging around her papa's dugout, and people began to suspect that maybe there was a couple stills working overtime in the basement. Every morning the hired girl would sweep about six sleeping dukes and a half dozen snoring princes [assorted sizes] off the front door step.

But did Desdemona fall for any of these royal suitors? Naw! She crushed for a Moor named Othello. Othello was darker than most Moors, in fact he looked like a cross between a crow and 2 o'clock in the morning. He was a general in the Venetian army, and was so brave he would even disagree with a head waiter. Courage? Sa-a-y, that guy would trot into the Waldorf-Astoria's dining room and order hash!

THE NEW WIGWAM

Well, him and Desdemona got married secretly and grabbed off a four room apartment of their own. It had musical radiators, galloping cockroaches, beds what disappeared into the wall, mice what disappeared into the pantry, and all other modern conveniences. In order to help defray expenses around the new wigwam, they took in a couple boarders.

Brabantio now learns of his daughter's marriage, and it made him so mad that his brain boiled over and ran down his neck. He drags his new son-in-law in before the Venetian senate and makes a 'hot speech to the effect that this guy don't belong in the picture and should be punished. He talked for two hours and fifteen minutes, and never called Othello the same name twice; in fact, he even accepted suggestions from the gallery. As soon as papa was through broadcasting, Othello rose to make a speech in his own defense, and he raved loud and long about his love for the gal, thereby causing the senators [all of whom was married] to become sick and tired, so they made him a proposition. They offered to acquit him if he would change the subject, which he did.

After a couple weeks of married life, Othello figured that he needed a little quiet, so he decided to go back to war. He took his two star boarders with him. One of them was named Iago, an old bozo with a brain which had begun to ferment. Iago's idea of something funny was an earthquake—providing the casualty list was real fat. This baby would have sooner went to a funeral than to a musical comedy, providing it wasn't his funeral. His favorite outdoor sport was pallbearing. If he was alive today he would certainly be in the booze racket.

A LITTLE DIRT

The other star boarder was a drug store grenadier named Cassio. Cassio was Othello's lieutenant and had often pulled the John Alden stuff for the Moor while he was rushing Desdemona, so he was sitting pretty. He was a handsome hound and he certainly knew his Bermudas when it came to handling the Minnehahas.

Iago was jealous of the fact that Cassio was his superior officer, and he decided that the only way to hook him was to inject a little slapstick comedy into Othello's home life, so one day he trots over to the Moor and remarks:

"Listen, Midnight, this other bozo may be your lieutenant and all that sort of stuff, but around your house you would think he was the iceman. Har, har, har! Of course, it's none of my business, but——"

"Har, har, yourself!" grins Othello; "we have an electric refrigerator in our domicile, so that old wheeze ain't so good."

"Neither is your wife," laughs Iago, "or Cassio wouldn't be wearing one of her stockings for a necktie. Har, har! Of course it's no affair of mine, but——"

KICKED IN THE RIBS

Now this was a dirty trick on Iago's part, because Cassio was really a nice, innocent boy who always played square, and who was above suspicion, and therefore it was wrong to toss shadows across the boy's character. Anyhow, the stocking didn't belong to Othello's wife at all—it belonged to the wife of a traveling salesman.

However, the Moor was dumb enough to skid for this line of chatter and he became so disturbed that when he sat down to dinner he ate four napkins and wiped his face with a sandwich. Then, crawling into his raccoon coat, he says to Iago:

"I am going home and settle matters with a certain lady acquaintance of mine. In the meantime I shall expect you to get ahold of a certain lieutenant an' stab him severely!"

"Leave it to me, Ebony," says the villain, "I'll take that guy for a ride."

So Othello tears back to his wigwam and rushes up to his wife's boudoir (whatever that is), where he found her sleeping. He kicked her in the ribs gently and woke her up.

"What's the idea, Large Boy?" says her; "I wasn't expecting you home for at least two weeks yet."

JEALOUSY IS TERRIBLE

"Pardon me, Dearie, for waking you," says her husband, "but I thought you would be interested to know that I am now going to smother you to death."

"Aw, damn the luck!" cries Desdemona, weeping wildly, "an' here I just went an' bought four new dresses!"

"Come on, hold still—I can't smother you if you're going to squirm around like that!" howls her Dark Daddy, so she complied with his request and died gracefully.

Just then the door flops open, and in busts Cassio and Iago, surrounded by three wagonloads of cops. Iago had failed to bump off the kid. The latter now had the dirt on the villain and he spilled the grief to Othello.

"Such a swell time to tell me, just after I rang down the curtain on the mamma!" snorts the Moor, so he grabbed a knife and stabbed himself in the boudoir. He croaked promptly.

All of which is supposed, to prove that jealously is a terrible thing. So is the story. Happy New Year!

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SHOPPERS' SERVICE TALES

Attention, shoppers! Have you ever received such exceptional service in a store that you then and there decided to become a steady customer? Have you any recollections of a kindly floorwalker? Or a diplomatic clerk? Write us a brief note telling what kindly deed won your patronage. The Tribune will pay $1 for every story published. Address Shoppers' Service Contest, Chicago Tribune.

Unusually Kind.

Last summer, in an endeavor to purchase a book of golf rules, I visited the book department of every store in the loop. None of them had exactly what I wanted, but a clerk in one of the stores suggested that I go to a men's furnishing store, where they were giving away the very book I wanted.

Upon entering the store, I explained to the floorman that I had not come to purchase, but told him about the book of rules. He did not show me the place where I could procure this book, but escorted me there, selected two books for me, took a number of small packages I carried, and had them wrapped for me. I was amazed at such courtesy and frankly told him so, and his answer was that I should feel at liberty to call at the store for any service they could render and it would be cheerfully given.

Although I have no men in the family for whom I could make purchases at their store, I have been instrumental in turning a considerable amount of business to them.

Incidentally, I never return to a store where the clerk is indifferent to what I ask for, or treats me as though she were conferring a favor by waiting on me.

E. S.

More Than Fair.

I buy all my hats in the same store, and this is the reason: The first hat I bought there was an inexpensive milan. The first time I wore it I was caught in a terrific rainstorm, which completely ruined the straw before I could reach shelter.

I realized, of course, that I could not possibly blame the store for the condition of the hat, but, feeling that they could give me the most expert advice on what to do to renovate it, I told my story to the buyer, and asked him what to do.

To my surprise and delight, although I emphasized that I did not hold him responsible, he insisted on sending the hat back to the manufacturer, and, when it was found that nothing could be done to it, he allowed me almost the full price on another hat, giving me the pick of the store, and sending me home not only well satisfied with a new hat, but determined that such an admirable policy should have my permanent support, and that of my friends as well.

L. R. S.

Courtesy Appreciated.

One day while window gazing I saw a gown I immediately fell in love with. I went to the dress department, but was told it was a sample and that it was contrary to the rules to remove anything from the windows during the day.

The floorman was called and when I explained that I was leaving town for a visit and wanted the gown very much he telephoned the store's superintendent, who said it was a matter for the window trimming department.

After much more telephoning the proper person was reached. He was reluctant but finally, after much urging by the floorman, consented to replace the wanted gown with another.

Luckily the gown was a good fit and I was enabled to go happily on my way because of the patience and courtesy of the floorman.

E. W. K.

Replaced a Purchase.

I was delighted with a beautiful pair of shoes I bought in a store downtown for which I paid $5, but after I wore them two months the patent leather cracked. I took them back, thinking they might at least repair them free of charge.

But what a pleasant surprise! They not only repaired my shoes, but gave me a perfectly new pair of the $5 ones.

I have done all my shopping there since.

A. N.

THE RUSH HOUR



HERE'S A SCENE from "The Rush Hour," showing at the State-Lake theater. Nobody looks particularly rushed, though, and if you ask us, there is something in the Marie Prevost eye that declares one lady doesn't intend to be.

UNEXPECTED.

A little girl at the dinner table was given a dish of noodles. The mother noticed that she was eating nothing but soup, leaving the noodles. She asked her why she did not eat the noodles, too.

Unconcernedly she answered, "Can't catch 'em."

ANSWERS TO POETIC POSERS

CARICATURES OF POETS.

[Left to right]: 1, Burns; 2, Kipling; 3, Longfellow; 4, Gray; 5, Ben Jonson; 6, Marlowe; 7, Tennyson; 8, Clement Moore; 9, Wordsworth; 10, Cowper.

1. *Elegy Written in a Country Churchyard,* by Thomas Gray.
2. *Peter Bell,* by William Wordsworth.
3. *Auld Lang Syne,* by Robert Burns.
4. *The Night Before Christmas,* by Clement Moore.
5. *If,* by Rudyard Kipling.
6. *Doctor Faustus,* by Christopher Marlowe.
7. *Break, Break, Break,* by Alfred Lord Tennyson.
8. *The Children's Hour,* by Henry Wadsworth Longfellow.
9. *The Solitude of Alexander Selkirk,* by William Cowper.
10. *To Celia, from the Forest,* by Ben Jonson.

FOR IDENTIFICATION.

"Why the hat with the tall feather, Georgette?" asked the girl chum, Tricotine. "That feather must be at least two feet high."

"Our class of 67 girls is going to have a group photograph taken."

"I still don't understand that trick feather."

"Well, if I chip in, I want to be able to pick myself out."—Atlantic Journal.

THE DUKE TURNS OVER A FEW LEAVES

He Drinks Out the Old Year; Drinks in the New

By Duke Bakrak.



You cood have knocked Mrs. F. over with a feather.

CHRISTMAS at our house this year was tha berries. Tha tree looked swell. Tha eats were a knockout. Everyone of tha offsprings got tired early from too much play and when 8 o'clock came 'round they were willing to go to bed without tha usual "Ma, kin I stay up longer?"

I was remarking along about nine o'clock as to how everything came off so grand and that we certainly have a lot to oe thankful for. Every once in a while things reverse themselves; for instance, I had a talking jag and tha Mama wasn't saying a word. Most times I'm afraid she's ailing if she aint talking. When I asks if anything's wrong she advises that she was just thinking. This natcherally calls for a little humor on my part and I pull a boner by askin' "What with?"

GIVE AND TAKE

What she then tells me about my brains and gray matter and smartness aint fit to be printed. Anyway, I square myself a little later and then get tha low down about what's on her mind. The next 3 hour discussion runs along somethin' like this:

"Whadda we gonna do New Year's Eve, sit home again?"

"Not necessarily."

"Well, what plans have ya made?"

"None yet."

"Ya gonna make 'em in January or February?"

"No."

"If tha Schmidts can afford a cabaret why can't we?"

"Where we gonna get tha bucks?"

"If you had any brains you'd earn more."

"Why don't you call up tha Martins and fix a house party?"

"Shure, always ME, I gotta do tha fixing."

"Can't we go to a movie?"

"Ha ha! Know any more funny ones? Movie on New Year's eve!"

"Cood be worse."

"Shure, if we took in two."

"Why can't we have tha gang at our house?"

"I wanna play, not work."

"Feel playful, huh!"

"O, shut up!"

"Mine too."

END OF A PERFECT DAY

Aint that a swell way to end up a perfectly good Xmas night? Anyway, I promised to call up some of tha gang in tha morning and see what cood be fixed and it seems a lots of them are in tha same boat as us. No place to go and no bucks to go on. Bud Johnson has got a plan that we all chip in, get a lot of eats, some gin, a mess of brew and rent a cheap hall that's got a phonograph for about ten bucks a cupple. This sounds logical, so I phone home and tha Mama says, "Nix, that's out." Seems she went to one of those affairs once and out of two hundred emptys only four missed her.

My next cue is to call up Billy Maxwell. He says their party is all arranged. It's gonna be pulled at their house and if we want to come he'll tell Minnie so's she can set two extra chairs. I thanked him and figured at last this damn thing is offen my chest.

When I call up home I get tha damndest rakin' over the coals you ever heard. Tha first thing she wants to know is, where is my pride and if I think she's gonna accept a 2nd hand invitation to a party what was framed with our name not among those present, I gotta another thought coming. When I pull a crack to her about "pride comes before a fall," she tells me it also comes before a winter and spring and bang goes tha receiver.

CONSPIRACY

The only uther gang I can think of is tha Wilsons, but I happen to know that tha Fredericks wood be there also. Mrs. Fredericks and tha Mama aint on speaking terms since Mrs. F. accidentally on purpose forgot to invite tha Mama to a bridge party three years ago last April. Now, if I cood frame some kind of a deal to get them together I know she'd be willing to check in tha Wilson' party, 'cause when they do things there done up brown and everybody always has a helova swell time.

When I call up Eddie Wilson he says everything is okay and he was just thinking about us and was gonna invite us over. Of course, I gotta tell him about tha Mama's not speakin' to tha F.'s and he says between us we cood frame a phony deal and get them together again. He tells me to lay off phoning home, as he will do it and that he'll let on that he aint talked to me.

He puts it over beautifully by telling tha Mama that Mrs. F. feels terrible about tha rumpus they had and wood tha Mama accept a apology from Mrs. F. when they met. He even puts it a little strdnger by saying that Mrs. F. called him up four different times and asked him to act as arbiter. This, I know, is a helova lie, but I'm leaving it all in Eddie's hands.

MAMA THE FIXER

His next step was to call up Mrs. F. and tell her a story about how Mrs. Bakrak had phoned him four times and asked him to find out whether Mrs. F. wood accept a apology and ferget tha past. She's perfectly willing, so now all we gotta do is wait fer results.

When I get home Tuesday night I'm hip to what's comin' and I shut up like a clam. She starts off by bragging that again she had to be the fixer and that we are going to spend New Year's eve with tha Wilsons. I agree and even tell her that I woodn' know what to do without her.

Don't think for a minute that I'm tha kind of a guy who wood do any sponging. Last night I packed two quarts of gin, a dozen of brew and some home-made elderberry wine, which didn' taste right to me when we got it, and starts off for Eddie's. Tha minute we get in the B. and C. starts looking around for Mrs. F. and walks right up to where she's sitting. I guess you cood of knocked Mrs. F. over with a feather, she was so dumbfounded, but they put their arms around each other and gave each other a kiss. Eddie sees that tha thing was pulled off to tha Queen's taste, so he and I repairs to tha kitchen and pour ourselves a cupple of shots.

THE RECONCILIATION

We had one of tha best times I ever had. By two o'clock all tha men folks is ¾ snozzled. Billy McAndrews gets himself a crying jag, so we put him to bed. Alex Griffith, who woodn' give a dime to see tha King of England ride a giraffe, gets so pickled he puts a quarter in Eddie's kid's bank. Tha women folks also gather themselves a little edge and six o'clock in tha morning we get treated to a mess of ham and eggs.

Tha party was voted a huge success and the Mama insisted that we drive tha Fredericks home. They only live about 8 miles out, and in my condition every lamp post I hit was just a cue for us to sing a verse of "Tha gang's all here."

This morning some of the Mama's girl fr'en's call up and tell tha Mama how nice it was fer her to come forward first and some of the others call up Mrs. F. and tell her tha same thing. Finally both of 'em get hip that it was frameup.

So now their mad again.

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SLIGHTLY MISTAKEN.

A new story of Sir Harry Lauder's concerns a Scottish lassie newly married to the parish minister, who was being interviewed by the reporter of the local paper following the ceremony.

"And after the honeymoon where do you intend to settle down?" was the final question.

"At the old manse," said the bride as she hurried away.

The reporter thought it sounded a bit odd, but he decided to use the information, so, when it appeared in print the report finished up: "After the honeymoon the happy couple intend to live at the old man's.

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MY FRIEND FROM INDIA



INTRODUCING "My Friend from India." That's the name of the film showing at the Majestic this week, and this scene portrays one of its "big moments."

STORIES of GIRLS

Her Cottage In the Dunes.

By Margaret Orr.

THE girl or the house—which shall it be first? Both were mysteries.

The house was solitary, hidden in sand dunes. Around it stretched nothing but rocks, bayberry bushes, sand, and eel grass. But it looked out on the sea.

Alicia's mother had discovered the place when the girl was little. They lived alone. On the grass grown village lanes folks avoided Alicia's mother. They said she was "peculiar."

Alicia went to school in the village. She bought things at the stores. But, aside from those contacts, her mother kept her strictly at home.

Then one night Alicia ran all the way to the doctor's house. Between gasps she asked him to come. Before they reached the house, the mother had died.

A philanthropic woman, who had a summer home in the village, offered to educate Alicia at a school where she might learn the beauties and intricacies of household things. The woman deplored Alicia's lack of social contacts and her sentiment. Alicia should go places, do things, and become a "noble woman."

She left the mysterious cottage just as it was—as though somebody were still living there. With tear-blurred eyes, she even set the table. She slammed the door behind her for the last time. And she went away to school.

The school was a splendid institution. It glorified the simple and sincere things of life. It dignified the humblest tasks. And, above all, it insisted that the noblest thing a girl could do was to make a home a real abiding place of hospitality, beauty, peace, and honest sentiment. And who was Alicia to doubt it?

One day a letter came saying that an artist who wished to be quiet had made an offer for the place. It was an unusual opportunity. Poor Alicia knew that offers would never be many for that desolate place.

That night, with several other girls, she went to the movies.

There was a brief travel picture on "Unfamiliar Glimpses Along Our Coast." And under the caption: "A Deserted Cottage," behold the little house. It looked so pathetic, so poor, so lonely!

Alicia felt her throat tighten. One hot tear after another trickled down the corners of her mouth.

That night she packed up and ran away.

Windswept and silvered the cottage welcomed her. Inside, the old things were sweet familiar ghosts. She opened wide the windows toward the sea. And she performed many a formerly detested rite of home.

There were plenty of tins of food. In the old canister there was still a bit of China tea. She lighted the lamp and started a little supper.

Then late, very late, she was startled by a knock at the door. The doctor was on his way home and noticed the light. Alicia told him what had happened. He was kind and sensible.

He knew she was out of adjustment with the social system. He knew she was impulsive and intensely sentimental. He merely asked her if she didn't consider herself ungrateful to run away like this.

"They sent me away to learn to be a noble woman," she answered. At school they told me the noblest thing a woman could do was to keep a house. All right then. I'll stay right here. 'Cause I'm going to keep this house.

For, after all, sentiment lies behind the details of a home. And when sentiment is there, the training doesn't so much matter.

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It's a Way Youth Has

THEY were leaving the next morning for the hills of Ao Safai—across the world, somewhere.

Jean and Kendrick were parting forever from the village with its green on which their large, white house faced. Their trunks and cases of books were stacked in the front hall, ready for the expressman. But the living room tonight was peaceful.

Oriental rugs, Rex on the hearth rug, the fireplace sending out showers of sparks, flames intermittently lighting oil paintings in heavy gold frames—all these were beautiful things to remember.

Here were gathered the family—a father, known and loved throughout the countryside; an English mother; a grandmother fashioning lace; a forgotten musician, who across the sea in many a whirling metropolis had been known as "our beloved baritone," and, of course, there were Jean and Kendrick.

This brother and sister were inseparable. Since baby days they had been devoted comrades. It was natural they should leave home together.

Jean and Kendrick were gay and bubbling over with enthusiasm. They were going to Ao Safai to learn about turquoise and strange vegetation, and perhaps to find the bones of prehistoric beasts. Romantic science! Scientific romance! No wonder they were happy!

But grandma's threads of lace were limp with tears. Her voice broke foolishly when she asked if they all remembered the day Kendrick brought the snake into the kitchen and nursed it into a state of revolt on crushed strawberries and coffee.

Dad recalled Jean's experiments with worms and suddenly switched to a doubtful joke about a bell buoy in the ocean.

Their mother looked at them proudly. Yet her heart was aching for these two—her brilliant children. Her hopes, ambitions, years of work and worry had all been for them to be exactly what they were—smart, unusual.

Now they were going away to the other side of the world without a touch of emotion. O, if either one would only give one little sign of caring, or of sorrow at leaving their mother! But neither would. They were sturdy. The hills of Ao Safai call only sturdy folk.

The old musician, to break the tenseness of the situation, asked Jean to sing them one of the songs he had taught her—just any little thing she could remember.

Jean sat down at the grand piano and rippled out various nothings. Then she laughed merrily.

"I'm so excited tonight," she said. "I can't remember anything much. That is, nothing but this:

"I often think of home,
Dee-oo-lee-aye,
When I am all alone and far away."

But that was enough. It caused one great dramatic moment. Then Jean and Kendrick were gay again.

For parting brutally, remembering tenderly, "when all alone and far away"—it's a way youth has.

STRATEGIC RETREAT.

A country reader reports that a small boy crept through a gap in the orchard hedge, intent upon purloining fruit. The farmer spotted him.

"Where you going, you little imp?" he cried.

"B-back again," gasped the terrific youngster as he vanished.

BARGAINS!

Ever since Eve's momentous conversation with the serpent bargain hunting has been the favorite indoor sport of the fair sex. Send us a short and snappy letter telling the how, why and wherefore of the best bargain you ever struck. The Tribune will pay $2 for every letter published. Address Bargains, Chicago Tribune.

A Coat for $2.50.

It was the day before Christmas four years ago. I was to meet my husband at a busy corner as we were going out of town for the holidays. He got there half an hour ahead of time, which in itself was something extraordinary, so he went into a store to get a tie for one of the smaller boys.

When he met me he said, "Let's go into the boys' section; I want to show you something." On a pile of overcoats, or rather underneath it as he had tucked it there so one one would take it while he was gone, was a boy's overcoat, dark brown plaid, fully lined in wool plaid, size 3 years, marked $2.50.

I couldn't believe it, so we took it to the floor man, who in turn called the head of the department. He said it was correct and that there were only three like it. It just fitted my two year old son, so needless to say we took it, and have been sorry ever since that we did not take the other two and give them to some one. My youngster wore the coat two years and it is still doing duty for another little boy out in Seattle, Wash. E. L.

A Great Reduction.

I was anxious for an electric sewing machine, but after getting prices at various stores decided I would have to dismiss it from my mind. Finally, at the last shop I visited, I told the saleswoman the very top price I could afford to spend and asked her if she would not be on the lookout for a machine which would be within that price.

She obligingly took my name and address and in a few weeks I received a telephone call from her asking me to stop in when downtown, as she felt sure she had a machine which would meet my requirements. On investigation I found they had one which had been used as a floor sample at one of their branch stores which they offered me at $75 reduction in price; also a small allowance for my old machine and for cash.

'Tis needless to say I was quick to take advantage of this bargain, which all goes to show what a few suggestions and an accommodating sales person can accomplish. A. R.

Finding Money.

I was obliged to get a certain book for school and had little cash, so I went to a second hand book store and, after rummaging around among the dusty old books, finally found one for the amazingly low price of 50 cents.

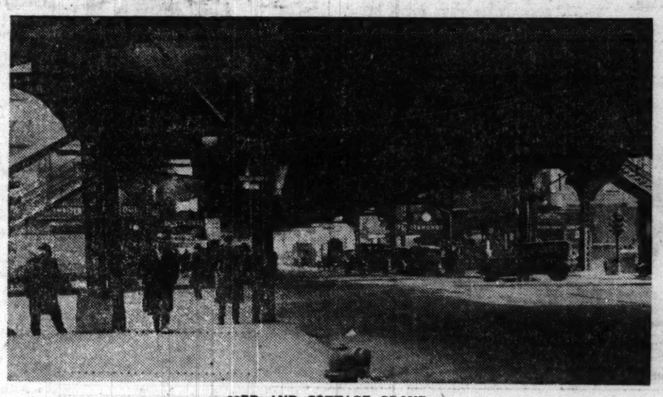
Delighted with my wonderful bargain, I arrived home, started to read, and, to my utter surprise and delight, found an old $2 bill among its folds This proved to be the best bargain I ever got in my life. S. S.



WOODLAWN wins success in "Battle of the Neighborhoods"

ALONG both sides of 63rd Street in the shadow of the long steel finger of the "L" are the busy stores of Woodlawn. From Stony Island to South Park Avenue they stretch block upon block. From the north and the south they draw the business of a prosperous neighborhood containing over 80,000 people.

And crossing 63rd are other busy thoroughfares—Stony Island, Woodlawn and, most important of all, Cottage Grove Avenue. Each of these intersections is a shopping center in itself. Each contributes its activity to make 63rd Street one of the chief trading centers of the city.



63RD AND COTTAGE GROVE

In Six Years

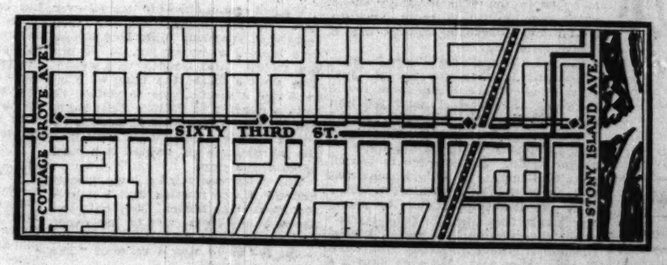
63rd Street has always been busy. Woodlawn is an old established neighborhood and from the beginning its inhabitants have gone to 63rd to shop. But as late as six years ago it was a street of small shops doing business with a comparatively small number of regular customers.

Then the strategic advantage of the district began to be recognized. Automobile showrooms began to appear along Cottage Grove Avenue. More came—and more. Dealers were quick to capitalize on the opportunities for volume sales the neighborhood offered. Today Cottage Grove from 60th to 67th Streets is one of Chicago's major "automobile rows".

Another development took place about this time that was to enlarge the scope of Woodlawn's trade. A huge moving picture palace was built. It prospered. Another one came. Numerous places to dine and dance were opened. In ever increasing numbers, people came to Woodlawn seeking relaxation and entertainment. Now the district is a social as well as a business center.

Today—and the Future

These changes have meant increased prosperity for Woodlawn merchants. Stores have been enlarged and improved, show windows have been made more effective for display purposes. The rental on business property has advanced to an average of $500 a foot. The four large banks of the neighborhood have total resources of almost thirty millions of dollars.



Woodlawn has been successful in "the battle of the neighborhoods." But it has not yet achieved its commercial destiny. Further expansion must come. Stores must grow—in number and in size. The fight must go on. Every aggressive weapon that present day salesmanship can provide must be used to keep the neighborhood's business from going to other localities.

It Can Be Done

Woodlawn can do it—must do it. And so must every other shopping center in the city. As time goes on "the battle of the neighborhoods" will be waged with even greater intensity. Every store owner must join in the fight. To wait patiently for business to come and keep coming can mean but one thing—commercial defeat. Ultimate victory will rest with the merchants who go out after customers.

How

There is available for outlying merchants a sales-weapon that has the power of a battery of siege guns. This is The Tribune Metropolitan Section. This section splits The Tribune's vast, responsive circulation into three parts, one for each side of the city. Each advertisement in the Metropolitan Section reaches a quarter of a million families or more, all living within a trading area convenient to local dealers.

For example, in the Woodlawn district there are 21,598 families. In this territory The Sunday Tribune has a circulation of 22,666! That means that the Woodlawn merchant using the Metropolitan Section can reach every family in his immediate neighborhood and more than 200,000 additional south side families who live within a comparatively short distance. And the cost of Metropolitan Section advertising is about one-third of The Tribune's regular Sunday rate!

NOW Is the Time

Begin at once to protect the life and profits of your business. The Metropolitan Section will help you just as it has helped scores of other neighborhood merchants. Ask a Tribune man to call and explain how. Phone Superior 0100.

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METROPOLITAN SECTION

The Chicago Tribune publishes as a part of its regular Sunday issue a Metropolitan Section, the circulation of which is divided so that local neighborhood merchants may advertise in any one or more of the three sides of Chicago and suburbs as follows:

North and Uptown Section—West and Northwest Section—South and Southwest Section

PART 6 DRAMA

Chicago Sunday Tribune

THE WORLD'S GREATEST NEWSPAPER

Movies Music
H. L. Mencken
Art Radio Churches

JANUARY 1, 1928.

Music to Be Wafted on Ethereal Waves?

By Edward Moore.

NEW music making devices, new music, and new methods of distributing music makers to the communities around and about would seem to be some of the matters to be taken up by the new year.

The newest music making device is so new that so far it has not acquired a defining or descriptive name for itself. It had two or three demonstrations in Paris about four weeks ago, and as a result of billboard, newspaper, and prospectus publicity a riot squad of police had to be called out to club off the several thousand persons who tried to get in to hear it and were unable to do so. It is said the inventor now plans to come to America, his chief idea being to confer with Edison on matters of financial and otherwise unmusical import.



CLAUDIA MUZIO
as Tosca in the like named opera today at the Auditorium.

Two accounts of the Paris demonstration have reached this desk, one decidedly sympathetic in tone, the other in a more Missourian vein. The inventor is a certain Prof. Theremin, a Russian, who is principally electrician and almost as a side line musician.

Combining the accounts, a task almost comparable to that of Dickens' editorial writer in his article on Chinese metaphysics, it is learned that Prof. Theremin produces what he calls "music of the ethereal waves." The stage is crowded with electrical devices of various sorts and shapes, centering around a vertical metal wand which stands in a field of electro-magnetic waves. The inventor passes his hand to and fro near the wand, and the interruption of the magnetic field by this means is translated by further mechanisms into sounds of varying pitch, strength, and timbre. By altering these further mechanisms it would seem that the count of overtones also can be changed; hence the inventor evolves tones resembling those of stringed instruments, flute, clarinet, bassoon, and the like.

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When the Doctors Disagree.

Up to this point the two accounts are in a fair degree of accord. From here they take separate paths. Henry Prunieres, writing to the New York Times, says that in the treble the sounds resembled those of a violin and in the lower scale those of a cello, "but like a violin or cello which could produce the most delicate pianissimo or give the equivalent of thirty instruments playing together. The quality of tone is most beautiful."

James Whittaker, at one time a Chicago music critic, wrote to Musical America: "Into my ear it emptied some very pure tones, varied in force and sometimes in quality, welded together in a sirupy legato, unearthly and dispassionate, and for that reason insupportable for more than five minutes at a stretch."

Apparently its musical values are still in the experimental stage. Apparently, also, it is a solo instrument, producing a single line of melody. The one man orchestra has not yet arrived.

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Contemporary Music to Be Heard.

New music, at least music so far unheard, is to be presented by the Chicago chapter of the International Society for Contemporary Music. It has selected the evening of Feb. 5 as the date and the Cliff Dwellers' club as the place, and it promises an informal concert of new music.

Frederick Stock, chairman of the music committee, in arranging the program, says the works to be presented are from the pens of contemporary composers, and that one Chicagoan probably will be included. They will be in the larger forms for piano, violin, and string quartet.

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Talent for the Provinces.

On the matter of distributing music to other communities, there is an appeal from Joseph Danziger of 2417 Erskine boulevard, South Bend, Ind. He says: "Since the passage of the immigration law there are few Swiss bellringers left in this country, and we therefore get to hear very little music out here in the sticks." He continues:

> Seriously, though, I believe there is an uncultivated field, or rather source, of musical talent that would be appreciated in the provinces—to use a European definition—and which at present is going begging for audiences. There is a greater appreciation of real good music in the small towns of the middle west than possibly you in your metropolitan arrogance appreciate. On the other hand, there are in Chicago, and, of course, in New York, Berlin, Paris, and possibly Milan, thousands of talented musicians with real ability who never get a hearing. I knew lots of them personally when I lived in Chicago, on the near north side, in the old days when Rudolph Ganz had a job with Mr. Ziegfeld Sr., and I know there were a lot of fellows then who had real talent and have never been heard from since.
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> About the only music we get here is a program of four or five concerts sponsored by the Civic Music Association, Incorporated, a booking agency in Chicago, which organizes local civic associations in cities of this neighborhood and, in return for a membership fee of $10 per annum, provides the talent for the concerts. While the talent itself is amply good for the price asked, I believe that for the same price we could possibly have eight or ten concerts, with a baritone unknown to fame, who could probably suit the audiences better than Werrenrath, whose price is $1,000 for an appearance. This brings me to the point of value received. Werrenrath had an accompanist whom I never heard of, but who played a Chopin and Schumann piece and some other things which were worth more than all of the vocal numbers rendered.
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> It is possible that the Friends of Music, or some similar organization, would be willing to sponsor this youthful and struggling talent and cooperate with us, and perhaps some other cities of about the same size here and in Michigan, with a view to getting up a concert season which would work a double good—in providing the provinces with good music, educational in value and low enough in cost to attract the masses, and at the same time furnish the talent with the encouragement it receives in the European provinces, if we are to cultivate the genuine musical talent and appreciation for music that is latent, but manifestly exists in this country quite as much as it does in Germany and Italy. We can only do so by encouraging an appreciation for music in the provinces, where the majority of the nation lives.
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> If you will give this matter your consideration and pass the letter on to those of your acquaintances who would be willing to cooperate along the lines suggested, I will take it up in detail with the music department of the leading woman's club here, enjoying a membership of nearly a thousand women, and we may be able to arrange something for next year. I am totally, completely, and blissfully ignorant of the cost of a season such as I have in mind, but the subject of costs in general is not a new one to me, and I do realize this—that where we here pay Werrenrath a thousand dollars and his booking agency in New York gets a rakeoff and the booking agency in Chicago gets a rakeoff, there is not much left for "Werry," and the Indiana peasantry is paying for booking agents a lot of money which it might save. That saving alone would represent quite an amount if the talent suggested above could be routed through six or eight of the small cities in this vicinity. Then, too, in a city like this, or, say, Lansing and Grand Rapids, which contain large foreign born populations or people of European descent who have a native love for music and who would no doubt come to the concerts in great numbers if the cost were low enough, just as they used to sit up in the "cock loft" in the Auditorium and nand to sit up in the "cock loft" in the Auditorium and nand to sit up in the "cock loft" in the Auditorium and nand

Music to Be Wafted on Ethereal Waves?

By Edward Moore.

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pany undertakes to present in the course of less than three months. In response, indirectly but eloquently, the company announces some new times for performances, adding a Wednesday matinée for this week.

It will be "Hänsel und Gretel," the Humperdinck opus of children and witch enchantments, strawberries and gingerbread. Lucille Meusel will be a new Gretel, Irene Pavloska the Hänsel, Augusta Lenska and Desire Defrere the parents, Maria Claessens the witch, Anna Hamlin and Lorna Doone Jackson the Dewman and Sandman. Henry G. Weber will conduct and there will be a program of divertissements by the ballet after the opera.

Otherwise the company is resting on its oars, going through what is operatically a period of profound calm, for only one other opera will be brought out during the week and the rest are repetitions. This one is "Romeo and Juliet," wherein Charles Hackett and Edith Mason will sing the name parts. Other characters will be taken by Miss Pavloska, Cesare Formichi, Mr. Defrere, and Edouard Cotreuil. Giorgio Polacco will conduct.

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In Memory of Theodore Thomas.

The present week marks the twenty-third anniversary of the passing of Theodore Thomas, the distinguished founder of the Chicago Symphony orchestra.

It has been the custom during all these years for Director Frederick Stock and the orchestra under his command to pay tribute to the memory of his great predecessor by playing a memorial program on the first Friday afternoon and Saturday evening of the new year. This year will be no exception. Mr. Stock has arranged a program of music with the performances of which Theodore Thomas' name always will be associated in any history of music in Chicago—music which in its day was looked upon as modern (and received, perhaps, the same welcome as modern music does today), but which now classifies more or less as standard or popular.

The list Mr. Stock has prepared for the concerts to be given in Orchestra hall next Friday afternoon and Saturday evening includes Wagner's "A Faust Overture," Bruckner's Symphony No. 9, in D minor (unfinished), and the Richard Strauss Tone Poem, "Ein Heldenleben."

On Thursday afternoon at 3:45 o'clock the orchestra will be heard in the series A offering of the children's concerts, the performance to be given, as usual, in Orchestra hall (the series B repetition will take place two weeks later). The program includes the appearance of Pellegrino Lecce, the first horn of the orchestra, as soloist. He will play the Romanza from Mozart's Concerto for horn in E flat major. Other numbers on the program to be played by the orchestra and explained by Director Stock are the "Mignon" Overture of Thomas, the Allegro Con Grazia from Tschaikowsky's "Pathetic" Symphony, the Dukas Scherzo, "The Sorcerer's Apprentice," and Halvorsen's March of the Boyards. The song is "America, the Beautiful."

Other concerts to be given by the orchestra this week are in Milwaukee tomorrow evening and at the University of Chicago Tuesday afternoon.

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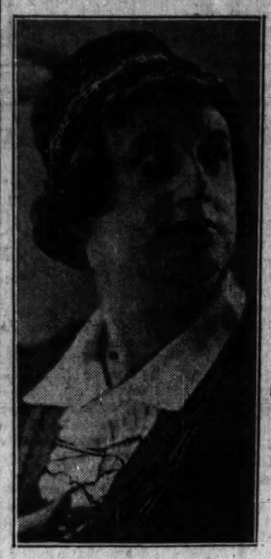
Outside of the opera and the orchestra, the sum of musical events for the week totals four. The Little Symphony ensemble, conducted by George Dasch, will give its customary pair of programs at the Art institute at 3 and 4:15 o'clock this afternoon. The Smith-Spring-Holmes quintet will appear at the Hotel Windermere West tonight.

Zerline Muhlman Metzger will beat the Chicago Opera by two days through presenting "Hansel and Gretel" in English at the Goodman tomorrow afternoon. The participants, so far unknown to professional fame, will be Edith Kampel and Ciel Berkson as the children, Fritz Metzger and Leah Wagner as the parents, and Fay Reisberg, Lillian Mangles, and Genevieve Deuerling as the nonhuman characters. There will be a ballet presentation by the Edna McRae dancers.

Claire Dux, the soprano, and Albert Spalding, the violinist, will make a joint appearance at the Auditorium Friday night, the proceeds of which will go to extend the work of the Infant Welfare society.

Maurice Ravel is due to land in New York on Friday of this week, ready for his country-wide tour under the auspices of the Pro-Musica society. He is announced here as pianist and guest conductor of the Chicago Symphony orchestra Jan. 20 and 21. Before that he will appear with the Boston Symphony orchestra and he will also give a program of his chamber works at the Gallo theater, New York, Jan. 15. Lisa Roma, American soprano, is to be his assisting artist in his recitals.

ROMEO



CHARLES HACKETT.
[De Gueldre Photo.]

He as Romeo and Edith Mason as Juliet will take the principal parts in the opera that was made out of Shakespeare's play and Gounod's music. Mr. Hackett and Miss Mason are both Americans, so it is logical to expect that the opera will be sung in French, as it will be.

The Opera

This afternoon—"Tosca," with Claudia Muzio, Fernand Ansseau, Vanni-Marcoux, Vittorio Trevisan; conductor, Giorgio Polacco; followed by Maria Yurieva, Vechslav Swoboda, and ballet.

Monday—"Tanhäuser," with Leone Kruse, Augusta Lenska, Forrest Lamont, Richard Bonelli, Alexander Kipnis; conductor, Henry G. Weber.

Tuesday—"Lucia di Lammermoor," with Toti dal Monte, Antonio Cortis, Luigi Montesanto; conductor, Polacco.

Wednesday afternoon—"Hansel and Gretel," with Lucille Meusel, Irene Pavloska, Augusta Lenska, Mari Claessens, Lorna Doone Jackson, Anna Hamlin, Desire Defreré; followed by ballet; conductor, Henry G. Weber.

Wednesday night—"Monna Vanna," with Mary Garden, Ansseau, Vanni-Marcoux, Edouard Cotreuil; conductor, Roberto Moranzoni.

Thursday—"Il Trovatore," with Muzio, Cyrena Van Gordon, Charles Marshall, Bonelli, Chase Baromeo; conductor, Weber.

Friday—No performance.

Saturday afternoon—"Romeo and Juliet," with Edith Mason, Pavloska, Charles Hackett, Cesare Formichi, Defreré, Cotreuil; conductor, Polacco.

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Now and to Come in Chicago Theaters

THIS is the calendar for the Chicago theaters as indicated by the resident-managers down to midnight of Friday last. Change of plans since last Sunday's issue has been made with respect to some of the houses:

"The Mask and the Face" in the Goodman Memorial: a comedy from the Italian of Luigi Chiarelli about which a great deal was printed in praise by the newspapers of London on the occasion of its being performed there. The play is new in Chicago; but it was acted in 1924 in New York, where William Faversham had the principal rôle. That it was not successful there is believed by some to have been due to the fact that the performance was hurriedly and incompletely prepared, owing to the management's desire to hurry it to the public before another version could be made ready by a rival claimant of the American rights. William Hallman, an English player unknown here, will have the part acted in New York by Mr. Faversham. . . . Opens tomorrow night.

"Two Girls Wanted" in the Cort: a comedy by Gladys Unger and Winchell Smith, with Miss Nydia Westman, Miss Mary Philips, and Donald Foster. This piece had a run of more than nine months in New York. . . . Second week.

"The Squall" in the Adelphi: a play by Jean Bart, with Miss Blanche Yurka. This one rounded out a year in New York. . . . Second week.

"The Good Bad-Woman" in the Central: a play by William J. McNally. And this one was shut down in New York by request of the police. . . . Second week.

Miss Ethel Barrymore in "The Constant Wife" in the Harris: a brilliant comedy by W. Somerset Maugham wherein this actress has her most popular conveyance since "Déclassée." C. Aubrey Smith has the principal man's rôle. . . . Second week.

Mrs. Fiske, Otis Skinner, and Miss Henrietta Crosman in "The Merry Wives of Windsor" in the Illinois: the veteran stars in a revival of Shakspeare's farce about Falstaff that is well worth seeing. Mrs. Fiske is cast as Mrs. Page, and Miss Crosman as Mrs. Ford. . . . Second week.

Fred and Miss Dorothy Stone in "Criss Cross" in the Erlanger: the long-popular clown and his lovely daughter in a show fashioned with the talents of both in view. . . . Second week.

Glenn Hunter in "Behold This Dreamer!" in the Blackstone: a comedy based by Fulton Oursler and Aubrey Kennedy on the former's likenamed story. Miss Elinor Patterson, making her first appearance here since the run of "The Miracle," and Thomas A. Wise are of the cast. . . . Second week.

"Mr. Pim Passes By" in the Studebaker: A. A. Milne's comedy in revival by Mrs. Insull. . . . Fourth and final week.

"Murray Hill," with Miss Genevieve Tobin, in the Princess: a merry and light farce by Leslie Howard. . . . Sixth and final week.

"A Night in Spain" in the Four Cohans: a funny show from the New York Winter Garden, with Miss Marion Harris, Ted Healy, and Phil Baker heading the long roster of performers. . . . Sixth week.

"Countess Maritza" in the Olympic: an operetta by Kalman, who has provided a lovely score. Walter Woolf, Miss Gladys Baxter, Miss Odette Myrtil, Harry K. Morton, and George Dobbs are of the cast. . . . Ninth and final week.

"Hit the Deck!" in the Woods: a song-and-dance comedy with tunes by Vincent Youmans, composer of "No! No, Nanette!" Miss Queenie Smith, Charles Purcell, and Miss Trixie Friganza are in the principal rôles. . . . Ninth week.

"Broadway" in the Selwyn: a wow of a piece about bootleggers, joint-owners, ham hoofers, chorus-girls, murders, double-crossings, revenges, and other things. . . . Sixteenth week.

"The Desert-Song" in the Great Northern. . . . Eighteenth week.

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Impending.

Joseph Santley, Raymond Hitchcock, Miss Ivy Sawyer, Mrs. Whiffin, Eric Blore, H. Reeves-Smith, et al, in "Just Fancy!" in the Olympic. . . . Opens January 2.

"It Makes a Difference" in the Princess: a play by Hugh Ford and Edward Stanley, with Kenneth Mackenna, Miss Mayo Methot, and Miss Thais Lawton. . . . Opens January 15.

Earl Carroll's Vanities in the Illinois: fourth show under this name to be seen in Chicago. Moran and Mack, Julius Tannen, and Johnny Dooley are in it. . . . Opens January 22.

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In Hollywood

Hollywood, Cal.

For the filming of a South Sea picture plenty of quinine and canned goods looms as more important than the selection of a "right type" lead. At least that was the situation with Robert Flaherty, W. S. VanDyke and a company of cameramen and technicians who sailed for Papeete. Two kegs of quinine, enough trade goods to stock a grocery, 300,000 feet of unexposed film, and five cameras were items chosen by Flaherty before the crew sailed. They expected to shoot some of their picture, "Southern Skies," in interior Samoa. Flaherty is to keep in touch with his parent studio, Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, by wireless and do a lot of exploring for locations in the southern archipelago before his second expedition, containing male and female leads and other as yet uncast actors, leaves the Los Angeles docks.

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ONE'S SEASONED, AND ONE'S NEW



MISS DOROTHY RAYMOND — MISS MARY JANE HERRING

MISS RAYMOND was the actress of the cantor's wife in last season's performances in the Harris of "The Jazz-Singer"; and it may be recalled that at the time her acting was the theme of high and warm laudation by Mr. Donaghey. Inquiry as to her brought the information that she is Russian by nativity. . . . She comes to the Goodman Memorial to take part in "The Mask and the Face." It may be remembered that she was announced to take part there last season in "Ghosts," and that the play wasn't given.

Miss Herring is from Hinsdale, nearby, and is in "Behold This Dreamer!" appearing briefly in Act I. This is her first "professional" engagement; but she is said to be in high favor with those who have heard her as a reader and elocutionist.

10 YEARS AGO in Chicago's THEATERS

(From The Sunday Tribune of Jan. 6, 1918.)

DAVID WARFIELD'S engagement in "The Music Master" will begin Jan. 21 at Powers' with Miss Marie Bates, William Boag, Miss Eleanor Barry, Miss Hazel Lowry, and others in the cast. On the same evening Mrs. Fiske will reach the Blackstone in "Madame Sand" which, though onerously praised by the newspapers in New York, did not last very long.

The playbill of Raymond Hitchcock's new revue, "Words and Music," ascribed the libretto to Shakespeare and the score to Beethoven. So many persons believed the stated authorship to be true that attendance was threatened, and Glen Macdonough and Jean Schwartz were forced to abandon their imposing pseudonyms.

In Atlantic City the other night Sydney Rosenfield, author of "Under Pressure," announced that his plans were to make Chicago a center of theatrical production, with an organization similar to that of Augustin Daly. He said it in what the dispatches described as a witty address.

Mrs. Janis indites an exasperated and geneological protest against the inuendoes that she and Miss Elsie are German, just because Bierbower happens to be their patronymic. Sir Charles B. Oldham of Oldham, England, was Mrs. Janis' granddad, says she, and the late Senator Cockrell of Missouri was her first cousin, once removed. As for the Bierbowers, they came to America before the revolution and number among themselves such celebrities as a lieutenant governor of Idaho and a professor in the hospitable University of Chicago.

Klaw and Erlanger will cause another effort to be made to establish Miss Phyllis Nielson-Terry as a star in America. "Maggie" is the play's name, Edward Peple is its author, and a handsome Irish laundress is its leading character.

Mr. Mantel writes that "in imitation drama of the 'Happiness' type Miss Laurette Taylor's art is wasted. More's the pity." Miss Taylor's rôle is that of errand girl to a fashionable sempstress, delivering modes at $6 the week and retaining her purity. The time is the present and the place New York.

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20 YEARS AGO

(From The Sunday Tribune of Dec. 30, 1907.)

In Powers' theater tomorrow evening Guy Standing, Theodore Roberts, and a supporting company said to be of even excellence, will give the first local performance of "The Right of Way," a dramatization of Sir Gilbert Parker's book made by Eugene Presbrey and originally produced in New York with considerable success.

Starting with the matinee today, the Great Northern offers as a New Year's week attraction Sam Chip and Mary Marble in Joe Weber's production of "Dream City," seen last season at the Garrick.

"Convict 909" begins a week's engagement at the Academy with the Sunday matinee. The melodrama is said to have been originally written as a protest against circumstantial evidence. Its plot deals with the arrest and conviction of a soldier accused of a crime without tangible proof against him.

Mabel Morrison believes she is able to play Rachel Neve, the wronged girl in "The Hypocrites," with great delicacy of feeling, because in private life she is the wife of Richard Bennett, the curate hero, and the mother of two charming little girls. Miss Morrison thoroughly agrees with the statement credited to the late Adelaide Neilsen, "that in order to portray any part understandingly one must have lived and suffered."

Constance Crawley, a gifted English actress who came to Chicago as a member of the Ben Greet company, and has since become a star, is to return next month, and plans to give a performance of Maeterlinck's "Pelleas and Melisande," which she has been playing successfully on the Pacific coast and through the southwest. She also has Ibsen's "Hedda Gabler," D'Annunzio's "Gioconda," and Bjornson's "Beyond Human Power" in her repertoire.

MOVING UP



MILTON WATSON

He's in "The Desert-Song," although he wasn't in it when, early in September, the run started in the Great Northern. Mr. Watson was, it seems, what is known in the trade as "one of Paul Ash's lads"; and it was his singing in Mr. Ash's digs that made him seem a good man for the operetta.

New York Holidays Crowded with Plays

By Burns Mantle.

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tators are seated tier on tier on three sides of the stage, facing the prisoner's pen in the foreground center. Other actors are scattered through the audience, in the gallery boxes, back of the balcony, in an improvised orchestra loft. During the scene these actors also take part in the dialogue, responding on cue, and drawing the audience itself into the action more successfully than I have ever seen it done before.

It is this scene that is the high point of the production. Paul Hartmann, a favorite Reinhardt actor who has been blanketed up till now by the more famous Moissi, has his chance as Danton.

He is a big man and a fine actor. His defiance of his enemies in this scene, his gradual domination of the hostile crowd, his bellowing laughter at the flimsy charges the fanatical Robespierre has made against him are electrically effective. They set the audience cheering quite hysterically the opening night.

The Reinhardt business has held up rather surprisingly through the holidays. He is to play another week at the Century and then bring his company down to the Lyceum to show what he, and they, can do with the more intimate plays of the repertoire.

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Irish Move Up.

The Irish players have moved up to the Gallo theater, a huge new playhouse built in 54th street by the promoter of the San Carlo Opera company, and shortly to be used for the first season of the American Opera company, singing in English. Here the Irish are playing Sean O'Casey's "Juno and the Paycock," which was briefly unsuccessful here a year ago with Augustin Duncan in the chief rôle. The Sinclair-Allgood company get much more from it than the Duncan players did.

The drama flourishes in bulk but not in quality. Among the other recent arrivals are a first play by Virginia Farmer called "Spring Song." In this a lady pianist agrees to finance the career of a small town sculptor if he will live with her and be her love. The boy repulses her at first, but after two years of marriage with his small-town ideal thinks better of the plan. He wins success as a sculptor but tires of his mistress and returns to his wife. Which leads the piano lady to discover that she only wanted to love him as a mother, anyway.

Olga Petrova is back with a play of her own composition called "What Do We Know?" The answer being, I gather, not a doggone thing.

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Unforgettable.

Eugene O'Neil's "Desire Under the Elms" left a most vivid impression on my mind. It portrayed life in the raw, and I still shiver as I think of the two brothers getting up at four o'clock in the winter morning to milk the cows, with no inspiration in life greater than eating, sleeping, and drinking "corn likker." The pathetic old man, wondering what it was all about," and the restless youth who did not know what he wanted—I shall never forget them or that play.

M. N.

A Hilarious Comedy.

"Mr. Pim Passes By" is the best play I have ever seen because it is a jolly, healthy comedy; i. e., it provides spontaneous, whole-hearted laughter. Mr. Pim teaches us the value of a sense of humor when it comes to failing memory—how to forget scientifically.

Richard Carlyle's portrayal of Mr. Pim is rich. When you think that you are laughing at him you are having fun with yourself, for the old man is full of chuckles.

Mr. Pim gave me a shrieking good time. He remembered correctly and incorrectly and wasn't certain that he remembered. As a hilarious comedy I shall never forget it.

L. J.

"Blossom Time."

The play that lingers in my memory is the operetta "Blossom Time," portraying a part of the life of the young composer Franz Schubert, particularly of his love for one of his pupils.

The play was clean, full of laughter, and, most of all, beautiful melodies. The duets of "My Song of Love" and "Tell Me, Daisy," between Franz and Mitzi, will never be forgotten. The suspicious count and papa will never know how well they are remembered.

The climax where the hidden chorus sings Schubert's "Ave Maria" and then "You Are My Song of Love," sung by the entire chorus, was beautiful beyond compare.

Though I've seen "Blossom Time" five times I'll see it again if it comes to Chicago.

E. F.

Hard to Equal.

Extravagant, daring, full of witty lines, and containing (if you except some of the scenes from "The Miracle") probably the best pantomime in recent years, Kaufman's and Connolly's "Beggar on Horseback" as performed in Chicago about three years ago has been my favorite play to date. The part of the poor Bohemian artist who was about to marry money was superbly done by Roland Young, and Kay Johnson was capable as the "girl across the hall" whom he really loved.

The fantastic dream in which he foresaw what would happen to him if he married the rich girl was staged in just the deft and shifting manner that a real dream comes and goes—the exaggerated characters, the sudden appearance of courtroom and jury, etc.

There was real comedy in the old lady who rocked and rocked until he had to kill her in his dream, and the interpolated pantomime showed lovely Greta Nissen at her loveliest—far better than she has ever been in films.

A. M.

$5 FOR WAR VETS.

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ART AND ARTISTS

Hawthorne Speaks for the Simple Soul

By Eleanor Jewett.

THE first impression which the paintings of Charles W. Hawthorne make upon you, those paintings which hang in the first of the east wing galleries of the Art institute, is of tragedy. Suffering, patience, pathos, fear that is based on doubt, the doubt of winds and weather, and sea, these elements are woven into every inch of canvas. Even the little girls are really women, brought up under the relentless shadow of what might happen. The sea was a capricious mistress in the days of sailing vessels and her whims have not yet been entirely suppressed by steam and engine.

The sea and its rulers; the captains, first mates, and cooks; the fishermen, the wives on shore; the children putting the lamp in the window; an epic of valor to the Atlantic seaboard—Hawthorne does it over and over. Back of his portraits of sailors loom dark skies, shadowed and crossed by suggested sails, weather-beaten and worn by winds. Back of his "Captain's Wife," a sadly confident woman in widow's black, a sail is half-realized.

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Salty Friends.

Figures from the novels of Joseph L. Lincoln flit through our memory as we look at "Selectmen of Provincetown" and the one or two other similar groupings. They are homely, real, and essentially Cape Codish. They are splendid. A genial neighbor across the way is the gallant fisherman with his catch, a huge sea fish which he displays before him.

And we go from these salty friends only a few times. There is a charming, naif portrait of Thomas Arkle Clark, "Tommy Arkle" to his hosts of loving boys from the Illinois university campus; and there is the charming group of baby with its dusky nurse and the mother in white with her friend in scarlet, all set against a vivid blue sky, almost the only light background in the room.

Altogether, the impression is one of force, of true Americanism, of sincere craftsmanship. The paintings do not particularly inspire one, do not at all bore one, but do immensely interest one. Here, you feel, is a painter doing for us what some our writers are doing today—putting the American character and characteristics upon legible pages. Here is a spokesman for the simple man.

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Paintings by E. Martin Hennings.

From this gallery one way leads into a room where hang paintings by E. Martin Hennings. Directly down the room as you enter it there is a group of eight small pictures, four on one side of the door and four on the other. These are exquisite. They are as near perfect as cut diamonds. Each is a jewel, polished, finished, beautifully done.

The larger paintings have a great deal of beauty about them, but to my mind they lack sunshine and, in a subtle way, life. They are rather cold and leave the visitor cold. They are like notes on a journey, when the traveler is too busy with first impressions to allow the significance of what he is seeing to sink into his mind and take root in his soul. Love is absent. Passion is absent. Clear vision is left. Good painting is left. But the magic of feeling which alone can weld a picture into a whole, is not there. Were Mr. Hennings to live in that land of market squares and cobbled streets, slow canals and indolent guitar players, then might we see as inspiring painting as came from his brush when he made New Mexico his own. Meanwhile the eight little pictures make a visit to his exhibit a thousand times worth while.

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Examples of German Art.

Going on rather hastily, next comes a large gallery filled with examples of modern German art. Some forty painters from Munich have done their best and it is shown here. There is some very good work here, and much not so good. There is surprisingly little that is odd. Evidently, if one may judge by this exhibition, German artists have thrown over the strange gods of the isms. They are painting again in a straightforward manner, telling a story, realizing a moment, giving us just a scrap of prettiness.

At the door is a good painting of a riding-ring with a white horse being schooled. Next to it hangs a beautiful canvas showing a park with deer. Next comes a rather weird impression of cows in a meadow by a stream. They are huge creatures and they and their reflections are blurred until the effect is such that the visitor feels he needs glasses or a rail to hang to; the world is going dizzy.

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All Sorts of Pictures.

Next is a charming interior and then a spectacular war scene, which is picked up again in a succeeding canvas. And there are paintings of sheep in the fold, and of entirely human and adorable cherubs, and of mountains with snow, and a marvelous "strictly fresh" plucked fowl, its bare skin a cold reproach to appetite, and there are riders on bridle paths, excellently done, and a gay scene by a race course where jockeys are walking their mounts in the paddock.

There is a saturnine portrait of a dark young man and an amusing note of comedy in a huntswoman with a popgun and a running dog, the woman [not the dog] turning an interrogative face up toward you; there is a typical German landscape of the old fashioned type; there is a dark Salome about to behead poor John; there is an angular and angling interior occupied by a seated girl whose body is composed of angles that edge off into square-angled chairs and pillows and pictures and walls; there is a wild and confusedly symbolic war god fleeing in a whirling flight of gulls; there are two nude men struggling on an open street, with the prize, a girl, also nude, waiting, shivering and weeping, close by.

In short there are all sorts of pictures and all sorts of subjects making up this German show. Among the best are some portraits, one very likeable one of a priest to be especially noted, and, in the last long hall of the galleries, a fine mountain scene with the snow white against the black rock where it is cleft, and a particularly cleverly painted still life with a peeled orange, a glass of water and a little bowl of fragrant violets.

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Mystical Pictures.

Boris Anisfeld has a large room devoted to his paintings. They are somewhat mystical and a little symbolic. Some of them are decorative and some are startling. There is a beautiful portrait of a woman in black, an odd portrait of himself with a sunflower. There is a decidedly queer and elusive canvas showing fruit trees in blossom, the white tops being supported underground by bodies wrapped in white robes. Something is here. Is it that Mr. Anisfeld is putting into color a truly Russian sentiment which we might word, "Dead bodies bear these blossoms up"—and is he suggesting that out of corruption comes immortality?

Lines from the play, "Behold This Dreamer," come to mind as you realize that here is a profound interest in color as color and not at all as form. There is color and then more color, fitted in about the most incongruous compositions. Stags, a Buddha god, a bowl of glorious red apples, and then the most vivid and succulent green that eye can imagine, a green so penetratingly beautiful that it wrings your heart with a momentary pain. That is Boris Anisfeld. A cut of beauty and then wait a bit.

Time and space press and for the other four artists whose exhibits also opened last Tuesday at the Art institute it is best to wait until next Sunday before summing them up. The artists are [and their exhibits are among the most brilliant] Alfeo Faggi, Oliver Dennett Grover, Ernest L. Blumenschein, and Serge Sudaykin.

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About the Institute.

The play for children which is now being given in the Goodman theater on Thursday and Saturday afternoons is the "Topaz Amulet." This was originally written by Thomas Wood Stevens and Wallace Rice, but it has been taken and changed about and remade by members of Mr. Stevens' company of players until now it is a capital bit of entertainment for the youngsters who are flocking to their matinees. The next play to be put on for the children is "Teller of Tales," an Arabian Nights enterprise written by Muriel Brown.

Beatrice S. Levy, a graduate of the Art institute school, some of whose etchings are in the permanent collection of the Art institute, has just returned to Chicago from an extensive tour in Europe. She and her mother have been to Spain, and France, and Italy.

"The Mask and the Face" is the new play for grown-ups which will open tomorrow evening at the Goodman theater. It is said to be extremely funny and very well played.

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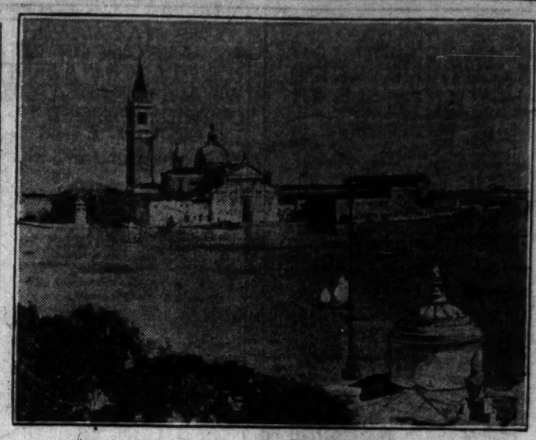
News of Art and Artists.

The Union League club announced Friday the members of the jury of award who will select the prize paintings in the exhibition and competition being conducted by the club. The painting must be suitable to hang in a high school and deal, probably, with Washington. The artist must be not over 30 years of age. The exhibit will run from Jan. 3 to Jan. 12. Paintings should have been in Friday at the latest.

Among the members of the jury of award are Pauline Palmer, Allen Philbrick, Paul Schulze, Frank L. Morse, Mrs. Nellie Osgood and William B. Mundie. Five purchase prizes of $100 are offered.

At the Palette and Chisel club there is now a stunning exhibit of paintings by John A. Spelman and of etchings by Leon R. Pesecheret. The exhibition will continue through Jan. 15.

The Fullerton hall lecture this Tuesday will be given by Ralph M. Pearson on "What Is Modern Art?" The lecture will be illustrated by material from the Birch-Bartlett collection of paintings at the Art Institute.



"SAN GIORGIO," by Oliver Dennett Grover, in the Memorial exhibition of Mr. Grover's paintings which opened last Tuesday in the east wing galleries of the Art institute. Among the other new exhibits, all of which will continue through January, are paintings by E. Martin Hennings, Charles W. Hawthorne, and a group of Munich painters, and sculpture by Alfeo Faggi.

WHAT ARE THE WILD WIRES SAYING?

Your Voice Reveals Your Character O'er the Telephone

By Archer Wall Douglas.

THE study of the voice as revealing character is not a new pursuit, but not long ago a new phase of it suddenly became manifest to me.

I was busily engaged in dictating when I was called to the phone. A woman's voice requested a brief interview that she might submit an interesting business proposition. I assented, and dictated to my stenographer the vision that appeared to me over the telephone wire. It was that of a beautiful young woman of medium height, dressed in good taste. She had blue eyes, fluffy, brown hair, a fine complexion, beautiful teeth, with a most fascinating smile. She strongly resembled her mother, both in looks and temperament.

My stenographer made no comment, but was obviously of the opinion that my mind was wandering. A quarter of an hour later the office door opened, and there entered a young woman of whom the description was a faithful photograph.

BETRAYED BY SPEECH

Such was my first, though not my last, experience in seeking to analyze the temperament and to visualize the appearance of a person whom I have never seen, merely by talking to such a one over the phone. The temperament analysis is far more difficult than in a face-to-face conversation, where you have the additional aid of the play of the countenance, the various mannerisms, and the style of the costume.

That the young woman came from the south was obvious. For it is as true now as in the days of Simon Peter of Galilee that our "speeech betrayeth us" as to the place of our nativity and of residence. There are those who can tell from the voice as to what state one hails from. I have never attained to such discrimination.

Her voice was of that eternal feminine quality that she could inherit only from her mother, and it was obvious that the inheritance also included her temperament. There likewise was the tone of culture that accounted for her fitting costume. There was in her speech a certain definiteness and elemental simplicity that mark one who has spent some portion of youthful days in the naturalness and realities of life in the small town or on the countryside.

ENVIRONMENT

There also was lacking the superficial polish and the thinly veiled conventional, suave tones of the great city. This trait of the elemental environment of early days always perseveres in the voice in after life, no matter what the experiences and pursuits of the individual. I have detected it immediately in all sorts and conditions of men, though not so readily in women. For the latter seem to shed the early garb of speech and to assume the costumes of the tones of new environment far more readily than does the male of the species.

I recall one particular instance of a distinguished scholar and speaker in a large eastern university. I called up to make an engagement with him on the occasion of my first visit there. He was much surprised when, after the exchange of a few words, I asked him what small town was his early abode. Often I am asked how I account for seeing the personal appearance of the speaker at the other end of the phone wire. To this query I have never been able to make a complete answer, for I have no consciousness of summoning spirits from the vast deep. Nor can it be done by taking thought, nor by definite divination. The vision comes with the first tones of the speaker, and does not change in any manner or degree during our conversation. It varies much in definiteness, and without any rhyme or reason with which I am familiar.

HER REPLICA

A distinct appearance was that of a ravishing young girl such as in the past upset empires and altered the lives of "hard boiled" conquerors such as Mark Antony and Julius Caesar. She had long, black hair, large dark eyes, rather wide apart, a brilliant complexion, and a beautiful figure. Her voice was of that liquid quality that hinted at a tropical inheritance, as I afterwards found to be the case. The voice was simply a replica of the girl, and also revealed her rather modest consciousness of her engaging appearance. I knew her to be a stenographer and concluded that she was a capable and willing one, with much loyalty to her employer and with unfailing good nature. All of which I afterwards verified.

An entirely different instance was that of a sister in an Episcopal order who was a nurse in a hospital. Her voice was heavy and slow moving, without imagination, but of a nature that indicated her extreme humility, and gave further evidence that nursing was her vocation and not just a job. She had a large, full mouth, and heavy brows, but with a sympathy and understanding in her eyes that made up for an otherwise homely face. Her sister stood by me as I talked, and confirmed my analysis when the conversation was over.

GAZING UPON MASKS

One man had bright eyes that took in everything, and he walked with a rolling gait which proclaimed his having been a sailor. He had an ingratiating smile, which disclosed good teeth. Also, he wore glasses. Curiously enough, people with this disposition are apt to have good teeth and smile more frequently than those who have not.

Not infrequently there are revealed extraneous matters which have no connection whatever with the voice. One man walked lame in his right leg. Another smoked a cigar, and wore a gray overcoat, as he talked to me over the phone. A third carried a cane, which he swung vigorously as he walked.

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[Mr. Douglas' fascinating study of hidden voices will be concluded next Sunday.]



A woman's voice requested a brief interview.



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America Stars in Modernist Concert

By Alfred Frankenstein.

NEW YORK. — [Special Correspondence.]—At the New School for Social Research, where new schools in science and the arts and ideas in general are expounded with stimulating and amusing results, Aaron Copland and Edgar Varese are directing a course of concerts of new music. They opened with a program they called a cross-section of modern music, in which, for once, the Americans carried off the honors. Two native composers were represented, Henry Cowell, the famous piano smasher, and Copland himself. Next to these two, Krenek, Hindemith, Ravel, and Stravinsky sounded singularly dull.

Cowell is a pianist who not only plays upon the instrument, but also plays with it. Doubtless you know him as the man who depresses gobs of octaves with his fists, elbows, and forearms. He does this to produce what he calls "tone clusters." To define a tone cluster, sit on the keyboard and listen to what happens. Because Cowell puts such amazing material as this to disciplined purposes, various musical wise guys have attempted to work clusters into harmonic theory, police them, lay down traffic rules for their movement.

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Three in One.

But if they had listened to the composer play at the New School they would have seen and heard him stand at the side of the piano and rub his hands over the strings for the entire length of a composition. They would have heard him pluck the wires. They might have sensed through the music the ideas of Henry Cowell phrasing themselves something like this:

The piano is a drum and a harp and a violin all in one. It can be bowed, even if the bow is nothing but an unresined hand. The result will be sounds of eerie windstorms and banshees crying. It can be plucked, and we can hear sounds of unearthly guitars. And if we hit it only with our fingertips we get from it only a little of the roars and grunts and clashing noises it is capable of giving. A whole new world of tonal colors, of unequaled savagery, and unparalleled mystery lies in the strings and keys of a modern piano.

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Jazz Plus.

Copland's contributions consisted of a nocturne and serenade for violin and piano played by himself and Barbara Lull. The latter composition drew a huge hand, for it is "jazz plus, super-jazz written by a son who did not have to stoop from his pedestal to write it. Jazz seems Copland's native language, but his mastery of modern harmony adds an immense amount of steam to his productions and puts them miles above those of Tin Pan alley. If only Whiteman's arranger would study with Schoenberg—but I suppose the dancers must be considered.

Mr. Copland and Miss Lull also played a concerto by Krenek, with which they had more fun than the audience, and a group of pieces by Anton von Webern, in which enjoyment was mutual. These are strange little things. The violin scarcely seems to play. Miss Lull seemed to be tuning in some ridiculous way. Every time Mr. Copland got going the piece was over. From both instruments the sound waves went out in the shape of question marks.

There was junk by Stravinsky, a little ditty by Ravel, and a fragment of a monumental song cycle by Hindemith, about which words can wait until it is sung in full.

A few days prior to the uncovering of the new, refurbished version of Gounod's "Faust" to be presented by the American Opera company, the Schola Cantorum comes across with the "Damnation of Faust," which has not been heard for so long that its existence is almost legendary.

GETTING THEIR FURNITURE FREE



Music Notes

Paderewski has returned to America and on Tuesday will play the first item of a transcontinental tour, his first in two years. It will take place in New Rochelle, N. Y., followed by one in Orange, N. J., on Thursday.

Bernardino Molinari is another foreign visitor this season. He has been for several years the conductor of the Augusteo orchestra of Rome, but this season he will divide his time between the St. Louis Symphony orchestra and The New York Philharmonic.

My Best Joke

What is the best joke you ever heard? If you'll write it out and it is published, $1 will be paid. No manuscripts returned. Address Best Jokes Editor, The Tribune, Chicago.

Cramping Sammy's Style.

Mother—Sit down, Sammy, and quiet your sister. Tell her a story.

Sammy—I can't sit down. I just told daddy a story. H. A. C.

Meet Mr. Pending.

"Hey, any of you fellows lose a wrench?"

"Yea, me."

"What's your name?"

"Mike Conners."

"You ain't the guy. This wrench belongs to Pat. Pending. His name's on it." A. T. J.

Sooner or Later.

Mrs. R's husband died about six months before our new minister came to Chicago. She went often to the cemetery to visit his grave. One day, as she was returning from one of these visits, she met our pastor. He was very friendly.

In the course of their conversation Mrs. R said, "I have just been out to Rosehill."

"O," said the minister, "are you thinking of locating there?"

"Yes," said she, "eventually." B. M. L.

Two Too Many.

After coming in from a twenty mile hike the officer in command of a Negro company said, before dismissing them: "I want all the men who are too tired to make another hike to take two paces forward."

All stepped forward except one husky six footer. Noticing him, the officer said: "Well, Johnson, ready for twenty miles more?"

"No, sah," replied Johnson, "Ah'm too tired even to take dem two steps." S. B. H.

Voice of the Movie Fan

A Sweet Letter to Receive.

Dear Miss Mae: This is my second letter to you, but I like to write to you. Don't know why, but I do. Do you know, I have another "ideal" now. It isn't Richard Dix any more, and that's not saying I don't still adore Richard, but my other one now is just adorable. He played with Ronald Colman in "Beau Geste." The one with those wonderful dreamy eyes—no other than Ralph Forbes. I must say he is marvelous, and I think his acting is coming along finely.

Your columns are certainly inspiring, Miss Mae, and after I read them in the morning I feel so happy because I have a new movie to attend. I say a new movie to attend because your columns have me all keyed up as to the conclusion of them. When I was a senior in school we had the same principle as yours, and so I wrote one based on your ideas of "Good Morning: How are you today?" and as a conclusion, "See you tomorrow." I received a high grade on that article and had the paper read to the whole class. Yes, O my yes, I was so proud. Do you see, Miss Mae, how you made one little girl feel honored for a whole day—maybe for a week, because I talked about it for quite a while.

Keep up your cheerful work.

PEGGY."

Editor's Note: Peggy, dear—I wonder if I have ever made you feel as "honored" as you have me by this letter! It isn't nice to print compliments of one's self, but I don't care. Here's your—and I thank you!

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Praise for "Seventh Heaven."

Dear Miss Tinée: A great motion picture! "Seventh Heaven" has been told with an artist's touch and the charmingly simple understanding of two humble lovers.

The leading players are ideal in the portrayal of difficult rôles which they seem to have lived rather than acted. The result is unquestionably one of the great triumphs of youth.

The love duets are beautiful songs of romantic music. The reverence of the 11 o'clock rendezvous and the dramatic leave taking are etchings which are breathlessly real.

Who can fail to exclaim, "Chico! Ciel." Arwine.

Editor's Note: Who, indeed!

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In Deference to Gangland.

Dear Miss Tinée: It certainly made me laugh when I read in the papers that the Chicago police had made a Roosevelt theater take down a sign advertising "Underworld" as "Chicago's Gangland."

Who doubts but it is a reproduction of our civic institution, the greatest in the world? It tells nothing about that that the Chicago newspapers have so often told many times, and it shows how unbeatable the law is. Teddy Wood escaped from jail just ahead of the execution, just as "Bull" Wood did. There was an "Ammunition" Wood at once who stood off the police for hours, if you remember. The flower of gangland killing was certainly no more violent than Dion O'Banion's taking off.

Chicago has an underworld just as colorful as the picture shows it to be. It is things like this that will show Chicago how the outside world looks at it and that we ought to free ourselves from this blight.

I certainly agree with you in what you said about George Bancroft. He is a great actor. But I do think no one could have done more to give color to Evelyn Brent. That scene where she looks into Clive Brooks' eyes and registers helpless love makes her a star.

I enjoy your reviews, and the movie day ones most of all.

Yours, C. B.

Editor's Note.—You wouldn't make a policeman to be unkind to a gangster, would you?

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Claire Windsor—"BLONDES BY CHOICE"
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Hollywood Yule Cards Crested - - - By Rosalind Shaffer.

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

HOLLYWOOD, Cal.—[Special Correspondence.]—Many thousands of dollars are spent annually in Hollywood on the yearly greeting cards of the Yule season. Last year has proved to be more elaborate in its cards than any in previous years.

Many of the stars' cards are small art gems, hand done etchings, color prints from abroad, while others are on gold paper, but all of them, in a more or less degree, are lavish and express the taste and individuality of the sender, for Hollywood believes devoutly in the creed of setting the best foot foremost. During the present New Year's and Christmas season old coats of arms have been resurrected or newly acquired ones have been trotted out with a sense of pride and distinction.

Prominent among the coat of arms folk is Pola Negri, with the noble Georgian coat of arms of the Mdivani family embossed on a neutral toned card bearing the inscription, "Prince and Princess Serge Mdivani send greetings," etc., this supplants the former crest used when Pola came to Hollywood as the Countess Dombska.

Gloria Swanson uses the crest of her husband, the Marquis de la Falaise et de la Coudray, which consists of a shield on which appear four hills, a six pointed star, and two crescents surmounted by a crown containing a unicorn rampant. Below the shield are two greyhounds. On her card Gloria uses only her own name and not the title of her husband.

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Say It in Rhyme.

Bebe Daniels is a third whose crest embossed cards have become a Hollywood Christmas staple. Always all white, with the Spanish family's crest that comes through her mother's ancestry, the card bears her simple greeting and wishes for the New Year to all her friends—and that means most of Hollywood.

Milton Sills, while he is so unassuming that the crest does not reach the card proper, nevertheless uses it in silver on the flap of an envelope bearing the Sills' greetings. The crest is done in silver, with a lion supporting a cross of St. George and with the motto "Magnanimiter crucem sustine" —Uphold the cross with vigor." The enclosure released from this impressive envelope bears a sample of the verse of Mrs. Sills (Doris Kenyon), whose poetic efforts have been published for several years and have met with high approval from the critics. The Sills family's poetic greeting for the dying week of 1927 runs:

"Three little ducks in a row are we
Standing beneath our Christmas tree
Quacking you joy with our big yellow bills
Kenyon and Doris and Milton Sills."

Vilma Banky joined the Hollywood gang of Lady Clara Vere de Veres when she married Rod La Rocque, for his and her Christmas card bears the imposing crest of La Rocque Latour, a quartered shield with two quarterings striped diagonally and two with towers, the whole supported by two gryphons rampant. A narrow red border sets off the simplicity of the card, which bears greetings from Mr. and Mrs. Roderick La Rocque.

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Tom Mix Turns Essayist.

Dolores del Rio, who bears the lineal right to several old Spanish crests as well as that of her husband, Don Jaime Martinez del Rio, sends a simple white card, bordered with a red line, on which is written in red in her own handwriting "Merry Christmas. Dolores del Rio."

Tom Mix sends a large photo of himself in cowboy regalia, mounted on a holly-wreathed card. Under the photo is a remarkably well written essay on modern Christmas, penned by Mix himself.

Johnny Hines sends a card with a small head of himself in a holly wreath. Opened, the card discloses Hines as a grocer peddling apple sauce, with the caption "It's the same old apple sauce, but it's from the heart."

Jean Hersholt greets one with a red folded card, edged with gold, which, oh opening, shows a Christmas tree. In Hersholt's own script in gold he and his wife and Jean Jr. send greetings of the season.

Janet Gaynor chose apple green cards and envelopes. The card bears a modernistic maiden in Russian costume, done in red and gold.

Ben Lyon makes his greeting card individual. A pen sketch shows Ben hanging onto the end of a long distance call to New York as the Big Ben on the desk points to twelve. He is saying, "Thanks; same to you." It doesn't take a seer to know that the long distance call is to Marilynn Miller, as Ben makes them nightly.

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From Nellie Revell.

Many Hollywood hearts were gladdened with an especially engraved card bearing their own name in engraving, from Nellie Revell, the first of women press agents in the old days in New York, who was in Hollywood doing picture titles for a time last year.

Colleen Moore and John McCormick, her husband, selected a pretty colored drawing of Santa Claus entering a cottage to dispatch holiday greetings.

One card of great interest was sent out by a press agent, one Pat Dowling, who helps make the Christie comedies famous in print. Pat recently bought a new home in the Hollywood hills, wherein the roads are labyrinthine, none whicher. His card is a road map through the exclusive Beverly Hills district, with amusing wisecracks on the inhabitants of the estates which he shows on the map on the way to his hillside fastness.

Marceline Day chooses as her card a picture of a French market place in a snowstorm. It was one of several artistic subjects worthy of framing. Cards of this sort have increased greatly in popularity in Hollywood. Margaret Livingston sends such a one with a colonial couple, in gala attire, carrying their bundles down the street.

From New York Gilda Grey sends her solo greetings inclosed in a double leafed card with an exquisite Japanese scene.

Lina Basquette, widow of Sam Warner, sends an autographed photograph of her baby, Lita, with her best wishes.

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A Wide Variety.

Victor and Enid MacLaglen are delightfully old fashioned and English with their card of a cavalier and his wife with two small children about a Christmas tree.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Willatt [Billie Dove] enclose greetings in a card decorated with the Three Kings riding over the desert on camels, followed the Bethlehem star.

Doubtless having the fact in mind that his driver's license has been suspended for speeding, Monte Banks says on his card, decorated with a caricature of himself, "I've just heard there ain't no Santa Claus."

Ben Bard, fiancé of Ruth Roland, sends a Christmas ship in full sail, done in colors on parchment over a gold sea.

Antonio Moreno had a color photograph made of the scene from the balcony of his home on top of a hill.

Clarence Brown, director, had elaborately hand done etchings of different views in his home and about the grounds.

STRUMS AS SHE CROONS TUNES



MISS LEE MORSE

SHE is in the new programme in the Palace, where, in spite of her having such billing as "The Southern Aristocrat of Song," she will probably be liked. Miss Morse was liked in Chicago when, some time since, she took part in one of the big shows in the Apollo, where she betrayed a personal style of putting through songs that were of themselves unimportant. And she is said to be a warm favorite with that part of the populace which takes its music from the discs.

BEST MOVIE.

If you'll confide in us to the extent of telling what movie, in your opinion, rates above all the other movies you've seen, and also tell us why you think this particular movie is deserving of praise, we'll land a sympathetic ear. And, what's more, we'll pay $1 for your letter if we print it. Address Best Movies, Chicago Tribune.

"The Gold Rush."

Charles Chaplin in "The Gold Rush" was the best movie I ever saw.

The setting was unforgettable and the idea of presenting this well known incident in history not as tragic or heroic, but funny; not seen through the eyes of Rex Beach or Jack London, but from Charley's point of view, was supremely clever.

The suspense in the scene where the shanty hung on the edge of the precipice was torturing, but stopped just short of being unbearable. When Charley shoveled snow we shoveled with him, mentally. The party lacking guests is an idea probably as old as the rhyme:

Smarty, smarty, had a party;
Nobody came but Pudding Tame!
And the big fat girl who lived in the lane.

But Charley's party is the immortal one and while we were saying to ourselves, "He's a sentimental boob," we were chuckling and wiping our eyes at the same time. M. A. W.

Uplifting.

Of all the good movies I have seen "The Miracle Man" impressed me as the best. It was not merely a good play made attractive by good players—it was a realistic portrayal of character development from bad to good.

The actors did not merely play their parts—they were their parts, and so impressed their optience with their sincerity that I am sure every one who saw it was uplifted and better for having witnessed its K. A.

Never to Be Forgotten.

The movie which made the most vivid and lasting impression on my mind and which I rate as the best of the thousands I have seen was "Broken Blossoms," directed by D. W. Griffith and taken from one of Thomas Burke's stories.

In spite of the fact that it was in reality, a brutal and sordid story, with the scene laid in Limehouse, one of the most squalid districts of London, I was fascinated by the beauty of the presentation and overlooked the ugliness. This effect was, I think, due to the wizardry of the great director in picturizing scenes in such a way as to bring out beauty and to accentuate it.

The work of Richard Barthelmess as the Chinaman was wonderful and to my mind he has never done anything half so good since. Lillian Gish, too, was at her best.

I may forget all other pictures, but the memory of that will always be with me. Vs. A. B.

IN A HIT



MISS GRACE HUFF

She's still in the rôle of the weathered piano-player of a night-joint in "Broadway," which has been on view in the Selwyn since mid-August.

10 YEARS AGO in the MOVIES

(From the "Right Off the Reel" column conducted in The Chicago Tribune of Jan. 6, 1918, by Mae Tinée.)

IT seems to me that as a matter of patriotism and loyalty we should see "The Man Without a Country," which was Florence La Badie's last picture. She didn't know it was to be her last picture, but to its timely theme she gave the best as well as the last of her charming self. See it and see it reverently.

Agreeing with my most severe critics who aver that I don't know everything. I nevertheless insist that changing the title of the Alice Brady picture "Jane Eyre," to "Woman and Wife" is bad business. Any one who ever read and was thrilled by the story would not rest until he had seen the picture. Camouflaged, as is the intent, who's ever going to recognize it? Producers do such funny things!

In her next picture, "Stella Maris," Mary Pickford will play a dual rôle.

And now Earle Williams has migrated to California. Sooner or later they all go, don't they? It must seem like returning home to Mr. Williams, for he is a Sacramento boy.

Henry B. Walthall's second Barth a production will be called "With Hoofs of Steel." Many of the scenes were photographed on the Mojave desert. Mary Charleson will play opposite him.

FEATURE FILMS IN THE LOOP.

Alcazar, "Reaching for the Moon," with Douglas Fairbanks.

Bijou Dream, "Shirley Kaye," with Clara Kimball Young.

Boston, "Love Letters," with Dorothy Dalton.

Castle, "Seven Swans," with Marguerite Clark.

Chicago, "The Adventurer," with Charlie Chaplin.

Gem, "In Again, Out Again," with Douglas Fairbanks.

Lyric, "Man Against Man," with William S. Hart.

Orpheum, "Daybreak," with Emily Stevens.

World, "Conscience," with Gladys Brockwell.

Ziegfeld, "A Modern Musketeer," with Douglas Fairbanks.

MOTION PICTURES SOUTH

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—Today Only—
Doors Open 12:30
All Shows De Luxe
"She's a Sheik"
with
Bebe Daniels
Also
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—Monday—
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"Hello, 1928, and Good Luck, Roy"
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"BUTTONS"
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in
"Santa Claus Copers"
VITAPHONE
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"BEN HUR"
The Greatest Picture for All Time
HUSK O'HARE and His Band
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Madge Bellamy in "Very Confidential"
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LEW CODY, AILEEN PRINGLE
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MATINEE TODAY
Dolores Costello, William Collier Jr.
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One of the best pictures of the year with all star cast featuring
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Photoplay—All Star Cast
in "THE CHEER LEADER"
Four Vaudeville Shows Tomorrow
At 2:30, 4:45, 7:00 & 9:15

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FRED THOMSON
"JESSE JAMES"

SHAKESPEARE 43RD AT ELLIS
Cont. 1:30 to 11:30
RALPH INCE PATSY RUTH MILLER
"SHANGHAIED"
Mat. Only—AL HOXIE—"His Last Bullet"

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RALPH INCE PATSY RUTH MILLER
"SHANGHAIED"
Matinee Only—"TRAIL OF TIGER." NO. 8

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LLOYD HUGHES BILLIE DOVE
"AMERICAN BEAUTY"
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GRANADA SHERIDAN AT DEVON
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CHARLES KALEY in RHYTHM in COLOR
A bright, eye-catching, ear-pleasing affair, with a noteworthy cast.
THELMA EDWARDS
Star of "Lemaire's Affairs"
JOE, EVELYN and HARRY STEWART and LASH
and Many Other Popular Favorites
This is the first of our brilliant series of productions scheduled for the coming year.
VITAPHONE
BARTRAM & SAXTON and Many Others
Doors open 12 M. All shows de luxe
Last times today
BENNY MEROFF in "THUNDERLAND"
Screen
EDMUND LOWE in "THE WIZARD"
VITAPHONE
THE PERFECT MOTION PICTURE
7th HEAVEN
JANET GAYNOR and CHARLES FARRELL

MARBRO MADISON AT CRAWFORD
TOMORROW
BENNY MEROFF in "THUNDERLAND"
with the World-Famous
LOOMIS TWINS
Darlings of Songland
WALTER BRADBURY ROBERTS & CLARK
BRANDON & MORISSEY
CARL RYAL LEETA HOPE
and Many Other Favorites
VITAPHONE
BARTRAM & SAXTON and Many Others
Doors Open 12 Noon—All Shows De Luxe
Last times today
CHARLES KALEY'S "HOLIDAY FETE"
Screen
EDMUND LOWE in "The Wizard"
VITAPHONE
IT TELLS HOW A TINY WAIF REFORMED A CROOK WHOM A DOZEN DETECTIVES COULDN'T CATCH!
MONTE BLUE BRASS KNUCKLES BETTY BRONSON

Ascher's SHERIDAN
SHERIDAN ROAD at IRVING PARK BLVD. DOORS OPEN 12:30
LAST TIMES TODAY—JACKIE COOGAN in "BUTTONS"
Verne Buck and His Wonder Orchestra
in an exceptionally fine presentation with many notable stage stars
WM. FOX presents
7TH HEAVEN
Starting Tomorrow
The Greatest Picture Classic of the Year
JANET GAYNOR CHARLES FARRELL
ASCHER BROS. WISH YOU A HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR
TERMINAL Lawrence Nr. Spaulding
Dolores Costello in "THE COLLEGE WIDOW"
5—ACTS OF VAUDEVILLE—5
Special Organ and News Features
MIDWEST 35th and Archer
TIM McCOY in "SPOILERS OF THE WEST"
5—ACTS OF VAUDEVILLE—5
A Wonderful Show Is Here for You
CROWN Division and Ashland
CONRAD NAGEL "THE GIRL FROM CHICAGO"
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"TEA FOR THREE"
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TIM McCOY in "SPOILERS OF THE WEST"
Selected Vaudeville

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Affiliated with the PUBLIX
A HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL CHICAGO
1927 has been the greatest and happiest in the history of our theaters and the support and confidence of the city inspire us to the most determined efforts to make 1928 an even happier year for our patrons.
BALABAN & KATZ.

CHICAGO RANDOLPH STATE LAKE
Today
Gilbert Roland, Noah Beery
Colorful, suspenseful, breathless romance; a New Orleans society belle sold on the auction-block as an octoroon-slave.
The LOVE MART
Directed by GEORGE FITZMAURICE
The Big Screen Sensation of 1928
11:45 a. m. to 12:15
GRANDE ORGAN CONCERT
HENRY B. MURTAGH, organist
Doors open 10:10 a. m.
GIANT CHRISTMAS STAGE SHOW
75 people on stage
MILTON SILLS in "VALLEY OF GIANTS"
Tomorrow
BILLIE DOVE
—ON THE STAGE—
Smart Wit-Shots in Radio Studio
"LISTEN IN"
Radio Follies, Gay Hilarity, Hosts of Stars
Ada Kaufman Girls
CHICAGO THEATER STAGE ORCHESTRA
BUFFANO, cond.

ORIENTAL RANDOLPH near STATE
Today
Doors Open 10:30 A. M.
NOON TODAY—PAUL'S CLUB FROLIC
PAUL ASH AND HIS GANG IN
"RESOLUTIONS OF 1928"
On the Screen—
ESTHER RALSTON in "Spotlight"
Tomorrow
Paul ASH
HIMSELF and his merry-mad musical gang
PICKINGS from PARIS
Oo-La-La! The things Paul learned about those Parisian Mademoiselles. The dazzling sights he saw on the boulevards—C'est Ca, —Oui, Oui and then some!
with DON HUMBERT
HELEN KENNEDY
Earl Lawrence, Paul Small, Paul's Parisian Dancing Beauties—Others
on the screen
A French Love Salad Flavored with Romance and Peppered with Thrills
FRENCH DRESSING
H. B. Warner
Lois Wilson
Clive Brook
A First National Picture

UPTOWN BROADWAY at LAWRENCE
Today
Doors Open 12:30 P. M.
CHRISTMAS STAGE SHOW
BENNIE KRUEGER and Orch.
BEBE DANIELS, Richard Arlen
in "SHE'S A SHEIK"
Tomorrow
Frankie Masters
And Orchestra with Stars in
"MOONLIT WATERS"
HELEN YORKE, Sammy Lewis
MYRIO, DESHA and BARTE
Fountleroy and Van, Petroff Ballet
on the screen
CLARA BOW
With Chas. Rogers in French marriage tangle and Parisian laugh-wrangle.
"GET YOUR MAN"

TIVOLI COTTAGE GROVE near 63rd ST.
Today
Doors Open 12:30 P. M.
GALA CHRISTMAS STAGE SHOW
FRANKIE MASTERS—70 people on stage
RICHARD DIX in "THE GAY DEFENDER"
Tomorrow
Bennie Krueger
With His Orchestra in Sensation Show!
"SHADOWLAND"
Al. and Gussie Blum, Roy Rogers,
Aerial Ballet, "Flying Piano"
FOSTER VENUS-ATHLETES
on the screen
CLARA BOW
IN SPICY FRENCH LOVE-TANGLE
"Get Your Man"

CENTRAL PARK 3535 ROOSEVELT Rd.
5 Big Acts Vaudeville
ESTHER RALSTON
RICHARD ARLEN in "FIGURES DON'T LIE"

NORSHORE HOWARD at CLARK
Doors open 1 p. m. Attend the matinee
Happiness and syncopation unrestrained
AL KVALE and his jazz collegians
in a rollicking, rousing stage revel
"HELLO, 1928"
West, Lake and Kane Hines and Leonard, Lester Brothers, Babe Carter, Others
on the screen
RICHARD DIX
in a story of bold Americanos and dashing Dons
"The GAY DEFENDER"

McVICKERS MADISON near STATE
9 A. M. CONTINUOUS
When you're not shivering with fright, you'll be howling with laughter. It's that kind of a superlative production
The GORILLA
It will get you and grip you the way it gripped thousands of amazed Chicagoans thus far
SEE IT TODAY
A First National Picture
WHERE THE HELL IS MULLIGAN?

ROOSEVELT STATE near WASHINGTON
JOHN GILBERT
Doors open 9 a. m.
NO LOVERS EVER LIVED SO PASSIONATE AND RAPTUROUS A ROMANCE BEFORE
"LOVE"
GRETA GARBO
Filmed from unabridged text of Tolstoi's ANNA KARENINA
EVERYBODY IS TALKING ABOUT IT
A Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer Picture

W-G-N TO SELL TIME ON AIR TO ADVERTISERS

High Costs of Programs Forces New Policy.

BY FRANK HINMAN.

THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE today announces a new radio policy—a policy which will mean better entertainment and better service to the radio listener. This policy, simply stated, is that the paper is to inaugurate a schedule of sponsored programs on its station, W-G-N. In other words, it proposes "to sell time" to advertisers.

The radio industry has awakened to the fact that its program development has not kept pace with the advancements in other branches of the art, and that, unless it takes immediate steps to improve its entertainment and service features, its future will be threatened.

High Cost of Production.

One of the obstacles in the face of program advancement has been the ever increasing cost of program production. It was only a couple of years ago that station directors spent most of their time shooing aspiring young artists, begging for a chance to be heard on the air, out of their office. Now, program standards having been raised, they spend most of their time trying to get a high quality of entertainment at a reasonable figure.

Station owners have come face to face with the fact that the radio audience is no longer satisfied with the usual run of programs and if listener interest is to be maintained, there must be an immediate improvement. To make possible this improvement and to provide the enormous sum necessary to carry it through, THE TRIBUNE proposes to make its programs partially self-supporting by selling a portion of its daytime and evening hours to advertisers.

The New Plans.

Under the new arrangement, daytime hours for the broadcasting of advertising programs will be available between 9 in the morning and 6 at night. Evening hours during the week will be between 7 and 11 o'clock and Sunday from 4 to 11. The advertising rate is higher in the evening than in the daytime in consideration of the wider audience the station reaches during the evening hours.

Incidental with the announcement of this change in policy comes the news that a program service department is being organized under the supervision of Henry Selinger, program director of W-G-N, which will be able to furnish the finest programs on the air. A host of the best artists and musicians in Chicago, as well as many novelty performers, will be made available to the advertiser in planning his program. Strict supervision will be maintained over these sponsored programs to make certain that they meet the same high quality which has distinguished W-G-N's broadcasts in the past.

Inside the Loud Speaker

BY QUIN A. RYAN.
[W-G-N Announcer.]

ANYBODY who would try to sell a radio announcer a radio set would try to sell Columbus real estate.

But they do. Uh-huh!

They ought to know that I spend all my spare time with my bicycle.

The fiery salesmen send me letters, and invite me to parties that came off last Tuesday. They meet me with their friends and tell 'em how they've known me ever since we went to college together—and then introduce me as Uncle Bob of KYW. They tell me what a spell I cast on their neighbor's canary.

Everybody has to make a living, 'tis true—but they ought to know that I'm not a fireman who loafs around the fire station on his one day off a month.

What could I do with a radio set?

They send me circulars and folders, and they're nice folders and circulars, but I don't want 'em. If you'll send me your name, I'll have 'em send 'em to you.

The folders tell about the radio sets and they romp along like this:

"Announcing the presentation of the new Baby Wampus. . . . Four models . . . open, closed, bid and asked. . . . Simply plug in your faucet. . . . Picks up New York, Tampa, Seattle, dust and lint. . . . Smokeless and fond of children. . . . Detector so keen that it discovered Santa Claus was Lon Chaney. . . . Dandy set to give away. . . . Can do parlor tricks. . . . You can hook it onto a table, a radiator, or a fire wagon. . . . Hooray!"

The world is full of live prospects for sales, besides radio announcers. Only the other day I compiled a list of hot "leads."

AACHEN
Window ShadeWks 62 WWash.CEN tri-3449
AADNESEN
L S r 4218 Drummond pl....ALB any-8412
AAFLEI J P r 2206 NKenneth..ALB-any-5043
Oscar T r 5518 Barry av..PAL isade-4801
AAGAARD
Arthur A r 5424 Ridgewd ct..DOR chstr-7074
Beauty Salon 25 EWashngtn..DEA rbo-4224
Chester S cut glass
3940 Lincoln av.....WEL ington-4157
r 5144 N Albany.....JUN iper.0698
Howard J r 1355 N Lorel av..MER imo-7550
Julius r 6647 Perry av.....SDR mal-3192
Kai r 718 E. 70th.....VIN cns-7575
Laundry Co 600 Root.....*YAR da-1800
Martin G confty 4206 Hirsch..ALB-any-2450
Otto W r 5144 Albany av....IRV ng-5431
P r. 6826 Dante av.....HYD e Pk-3646
T W r 1356 Birchwd av....ROG rs Pk-1775
W S & Co invst bonds
e 208 S La S .....*STA te-0770
Walter S Jr ofc 208 S. LaS..STA te-0770
r 20 Cedar .....WHI tehal-4914
AAGARD
Carl r 4015 N. Albany av..KEY stone-4031
AAGE Richard L r
6253 Sheridan rd.....ROG rs Pk-1444
AAGER
Tailoring Co 442 S State.....WAB sh-9655
AAGESEN Carl r
6121 Henderson .....PAL isade-6286

There they are—and remember who gave them to you, boys.

But leave me out.

Come and show me roller skates
Or anything you sell,
But please don't talk of radios—
Or I shall run lykelie!

BRIDGE LESSONS FROM W-G-N

THE tenth of a series of twenty radio auction bridge games will be broadcast from W-G-N, The Chicago Tribune station on the Drake hotel, Tuesday night at 9 o'clock.

Each game of the series features Milton C. Work and Wilbur C. Whitehead, New York experts, in association with players from other cities in America and Canada. The listeners in are urged to have four players ready with cards and to follow the game bid by bid and play by play with the experts.

The contestants in Tuesday's game are Mrs. Florence C. Douglas of Pittsburgh, Pa., playing with Mr. Work against W. S. Firestone, Cleveland, O., and Mr. Whitehead. The following are the advance hands for game ten:

MR. WORK.
Spades—8, 5, 4.
Hearts—8, 2.
Diamonds—A, Q, 10, 8.
Clubs—K, Q, J, 8.

MR. FIRESTONE.
Spades—K,Q, J9 10, 6.
Hearts—9.
Diamonds — 9, 6, 3.
Clubs—9, 7, 5, 2.

N. W. E. S.

MR. WHITEHEAD.
Spades — A, 7, 2.
Hearts — A, Q, 5, 3.
Diamonds — 7, 5, 4.
Clubs—10, 4, 3.

MRS. DOUGLAS, Dealer.
Spades—9, 3.
Hearts—K, J, 10, 7, 6, 4.
Diamonds—K, J, 3.
Clubs—A, 6.

RADIO BRIDGE devotees heard Milton C. Work himself play a hand as declarer in the ninth radio bridge game broadcast last Tuesday from W-G-N, THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE station on the Drake hotel.

Mr. Work and Mr. Whitehead were paired against two noted players—John H. Smith of Ridgewood, N. J., and Ralph J. Leibenderfer of New York. These were the cards:

Mr. Smith, dealer, south: Spades, Q, J, 7, 4; hearts, A, K, J, 6, 3; diamonds, K, 10; clubs, K, Q. Mr. Work, west, held: Spades, A, K, 8, 5, 2; hearts, none; diamonds, 9, 3; clubs, 10, 9, 8, 6, 5, 2. Mr. Liebenderfer, north, had; Spades, 3; hearts, 10, 9, 7, 4; diamonds, J, 8, 7, 6, 5; clubs, J, 4, 3. Mr. Whitehead, east, had: Spades, 10, 9, 6; hearts, Q, 8, 5, 2; diamonds, A, Q, 4, 2; clubs, A, 7.

Mr. Smith, the dealer, opened the bidding with one heart. Although he had all four suits stopped for a no trump, he preferred to bid his five card major suit, on account of holding two doubletons, which would be a weakness in no trump.

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Mr. Work, west, with a two suited hand, bid one spade, his major suit, in preference to his longer suit of clubs. Mr. Liebenderfer, north, passed, as his hand was too weak for a first round assist of his partner's heart. Mr. Whitehead, east, also passed, well content with his partner's spade bid.

Mr. Smith then went to one no trump, as he had not been assisted in hearts by his partner, and as he himself had two stoppers in the spade suit adversely bid, and stoppers also in diamonds and clubs. Mr. Work passed, although he was strongly tempted to show his clubs. However, he figured that Mr. Smith had bid a heart originally in preference to no trump because of some weakness. This weakness might be in clubs; therefore, by passing and leading clubs, Mr. Work might make a big penalty. On the other hand, by bidding clubs, he might force the enemy back to hearts, and also might mislead his partner into thinking he held some high clubs. Mr. Leibenderfer at once took his partner out of the no trump by bidding two hearts, a preferential bid which merely showed that he had some support for hearts but none at all for no trump. Mr. Whitehead bid two spades.

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Mr. Smith bid three hearts. After his partner's expression of preference, he gave no further thought to playing the hand at no trump. Mr. Work then bid four clubs. In spite of his partner's spade assist, modern cooperative bidding required him to show the two-suited nature of his hand, thus giving his partner choice between spades and clubs. Mr. Leibenderfer passed, and Mr. Whitehead bid four spades. The strength of his hand fully justified this second assist, although it would be interpreted by his partner, Mr. Work, simply as a preferential bid between clubs and spades.

Mr. Smith doubled four spades. All passed, and Mr. Work became declarer with his contract four spades doubled.

Mr. Leibenderfer led the 4 of hearts, opening his fourth best of his partner's suit. Mr. Whitehead spread his hand for dummy, and Mr. Work played from it the 2 of hearts. Mr. Smith played the 3 of hearts. He could tell his partner's lead was from four cards, and therefore knew that Mr. Work held none and that it was unnecessary for him to cover the heart led. Mr. Work trumped with the 2 of spades.

Mr. Work, studying his two hands to determine his line of play, saw at once that his first objective must be the establishment of his club suit. He must lose one trick in the process. Apparently he also must lose a diamond trick for, from the bidding, the king was clearly marked in Mr. Smith's hand, south. Therefore a finesse of the queen could not succeed, moreover, since Mr. Smith by his no trump bid had shown a stopper or stoppers in spades, it was probable that a trump trick also must be lost. Mr. Work's chance for game depended, therefore, upon his ability to limit his losses to these three tricks.

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To start the establishment of his clubs, Mr. Work at once led his 10, the top of his sequence. Mr. Leibenderfer played the 3; dummy the ace; Mr. Smith the queen.

Dummy returned the 7 of clubs; Mr. Smith played the king; Mr. Work the 2; Mr. Leibenderfer the 4.

Mr. Smith led the king of hearts, Mr. Work, without compensating gain, declined to ruff. Instead, he discarded his losing 3 of diamonds. Mr. Leibenderfer played the 7 of hearts; dummy the 5.

Mr. Work's refusal to trump was somewhat disconcerting to Mr. Smith, who was left in the lead with no good card to play. Should he continue with a low heart, declarer would pass the trick up to dummy's queen. Should he play the ace, dummy's queen would be established. A shift to trumps would be unavailing, since declarer, placing Mr. Smith with the queen-jack, would base his play upon the card led. A diamond lead from king-10 alone up to dummy's ace-queen was out of the question.

Mr. Smith therefore decided that the best lead under the circumstances was the ace of hearts, which he played. Although it would result in the establishment of dummy's queen, it would at least force declarer's strong trump hand. Mr. Work trumped with the 5 of spades; Mr. Leibenderfer played the 9 of hearts; dummy the 8.

Mr. Work then led the 5 of clubs; Mr. Leibenderfer played the jack; dummy trumped with the 9 of spades; Mr. Smith discarded the 6 of hearts. Mr. Smith realized that if he overtrumped he could not possibly defeat the contract, for declarer, entering dummy with the ace of diamonds, could then lead through Mr. Smith's remaining trumps, capturing all of them and then making the established clubs.

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Dummy led the queen of hearts; Mr. Smith played the jack; Mr. Work discarded the 6 of clubs; Mr. Leibenderfer played the 10 of hearts. Dummy next led the 10 of spades; Mr. Smith covered with the jack; declarer played the king; Mr. Leibenderfer the 3.

Mr. Work then led the 9 of clubs; Mr. Leibenderfer discarded the 5 of diamonds; and Mr. Smith trumped with the 4 of spades.

Mr. Smith was again forced to make an embarrassing lead, this time away from his tenace either in trumps or in diamonds. Whatever he led declarer must take the remaining tricks. He led the 7 of spades. Mr. Work played the 8; Mr. Leibenderfer discarded the 8 of diamonds; dummy played the 6 of spades.

Mr. Work then led the ace of spades; Mr. Leibenderfer discarded the 7 of diamonds; and Mr. Smith played the queen of spades.

Mr. Work then led his good 8 of clubs; Mr. Leibenderfer discarded the 8 of diamonds; dummy the queen of diamonds; Mr. Smith the 10 of diamonds.

Mr. Work led his 9 of diamonds for the final trick, on which Mr. Leibenderfer played the jack of diamonds; dummy the ace; and Mr. Smith the king.

Mr. Work therefore lost but three tricks. He scored 72 points in the trick score for four spades doubled, and in the honor score 50 points for making his contract and 30 for his three honors.

INTERSECTIONAL GRID GAME ON W-G-N TOMORROW

A feast of football and music is promised to radio listeners by W-G-N, THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE station on the Drake hotel, for tomorrow, in honor of the extra holiday. Broadcasting will start at 12:40 o'clock with the presentation of the luncheon concert by the Drake Concert ensemble and the Blackstone String quintet and music and other features will continue until 11 in the evening.

The famous Tournament of Roses football game, to be played in Los Angeles, provides the sports entertainment for listeners. W-G-N will bring the game to the nation's receiving sets in company with a country-wide chain of stations which are also broadcasting the game. The clash brings together two of the country's championship elevens, Leland Stanford, representing the coast, and Pittsburgh, the east. Graham McNamee, eastern announcer, will be at the microphone.

Another spectacular program of holiday music is promised for the afternoon by Aladdin, the impresario of the Arabian Nights' Entertainment. Henry Selinger and his novelty orchestra will be heard in a seventy-five minute program between 1:30 and 3:45 o'clock. Among the selections to be heard will be music from Victor Herbert's ever popular, "The Fortune Teller." A feature of the program will be the playing of Borodine's "On the Steppes of Central Asia," a selection in which the composer has truly caught the meaning of the vast arid stretches of the eastern plains.

Brilliant programs will also come from New York for broadcasting by W-G-N between 7:30 and 9:30 o'clock. The Gypsies, heard during the first hour, are dedicating their first new year's program to the state of Delaware and "The Bells of St. Mary's," the favorite selection of Gov. Robinson of Delaware, will be heard. Other numbers include a selection from Gershwin's "Oh Kay," and "Nalla," by Delibes. The Family—Party, on the air between 8:30 and 9:30 o'clock, will feature more orchestra music and other novelties.

Other musical features of Monday night include the weekly appearance by the Phantom Violin, the Music Box and a rousing popular show by Art Smith and the Hoodlums on WLIB between 11 and 12:30 o'clock.

BISHOP HUGHES TALKS TONIGHT AT SUNDAY CLUB

The Chicago Sunday Evening club's New Year's message will be given this year by Bishop Edwin H. Hughes of the Methodist Episcopal church, and broadcast from Orchestra hall by WMAQ together with a musical program consisting of favorite anthems appropriate for this season of the year.

"Ring Out Wild Bells," and "The New Year" are among the selections which the choir of 100 will sing. Doris Doe, New York, contralto, will be guest artist. Miss Doe will sing with the choir, and will also give the solo, "God Is Our Refuge," by MacDermid.

Stanley Martin, organist, will play Handel's "Suite from Water Music" during the recital beginning at 7:40.

RADIO PROGRAMS FOR TODAY

Sunday, Jan. 1, 1928. Central Standard Time.

A SPORTS review—a radio moving picture—with flashbacks to the most thrilling sports events of the year will be the New Year's day headliner from W-G-N, THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE station on the Drake hotel. It will go on the air between 3 and 5 o'clock today. Quin Ryan, W-G-N's famous sports announcer, will revive all the thrills attendant on the Kentucky Derby, the Indianapolis auto race, the Dempsey-Tunney fight in Chicago, big league baseball, and one of the year's best football games. And to while away the moments between these athletic dramas, there'll be band music by a brass band.

Mary Lewis, famed soprano of the Metropolitan Opera company, will be the star of a model radio program to be presented tonight on W-G-N during the Atwater Kent hour of music, 8:15 to 9:15 o'clock. She will be assisted by a male chorus of sixteen voices and an orchestra. The program is designed to meet the tastes of thousands of radio listeners as expressed in a census taken recently, one out of five signifying a liking for fine music with a 44 per cent preference for male quartets. The double octet is to sing the Pilgrim's chorus from "Tannhauser," "A Winter Song," and other selections.

Compositions by the Swedish composer, Grieg, will be featured in "Our Music Room," to be heard from W-G-N between 8:15 and 9:15 o'clock tonight. Instrumental selections from Grieg's works include the incidental music to "Peer Gynt," his "Lyric Pieces," and "A Wedding Day in Tolhaugen." These will be offered by the Drake concert ensemble under the direction of Henry Selinger. Leon Benditzky is to play the first movement of the composer's "Concerto in A." There will also be a group of Grieg's songs, by Edwin Kemp, tenor.

Tommy Coates, the popular young baritone of W-G-N, will be heard in a twenty minute group of songs tonight between 10:40 and 11 o'clock.

Those popular Italian boys, Lawrence and Frank Salerno, will be heard in another of their programs of songs and accordion melodies between 5 and 5:50 o'clock this afternoon on W-G-N. Old Italian folk songs, modern Italian ballads, and a group of popular tunes and accordion solos make up their afternoon's broadcast. The W-G-N studio ensemble is on the same program.

Between 7:30 and 8 o'clock tonight, W-G-N will present a half hour of harmony singing by Correll and Gosden. Eight o'clock will see Auld Sandy, the station's likable Scotch character, beginning his program of Scotch songs and stories.

DETAILS OF TODAY'S W-G-N PROGRAM.
[416.4 Meters—720 Kilocycles.]

12 to 1 p. m.—Uncle Quin reads The Tribune comics to the children.
1 to 3 p. m.—Studio program.
3 to 5 p. m.—1927 sports review by Quin Ryan.
5 to 5:50 p. m.—The Salernos, assisted by the W-G-N ensemble.
6 to 6:10 p. m.—The Million Sing.
6:20 to 6:50 p. m.—Uncle Quin's Punch and Judy.
6:50 to 7:30 p. m.—Old-Fashioned Almanack and Bible reading; incidental music by the Drake concert ensemble and Blackstone string quintet.
7:30 to 8 p. m.—Correll and Gosden.
8 to 8:15 p. m.—Auld Sandy.
8:15 to 9:15 p. m.—Program from New York.
9:15 to 10 p. m.—Our Music Room.
10 to 10:10 p. m.—Tomorrow's Tribune.
10:10 to 10:40 p. m.—The Music Box.
10:40 to 11 p. m.—Songs by Tommy Coates, baritone.

WLIB PROGRAM

The laughable days of the nickelodeons, with their blood 'n' thunder "mellerdramas" and the "can can" piano, will be brought back to radio listeners tonight on WLIB, the Liberty Weekly station on the Drake hotel, during the jazz jamboree which starts at 11 o'clock. Listeners will hear the announcer reading the movies subtitles, while the piano bangs out gunshots, the war whoops of the attacking redskins, and the cowboy's romance when "came the dawn." Other features of the evening include snappy dance tunes by a studio orchestra, songs and instrumental solos.

LOCAL PROGRAMS

8:30 A. m.—WMAQ [448]. Y. M. C. A. exercises. 7:30—Morning worship. 8—Music. 10:30—WJJD [305]. Catholic and Protestant Protestant services.
10—WMAQ [448]. Organ recital from People's church.
10:30—WGES [262]. Services of Austin Methodist Episcopal church. James L. Gardiner.
10:30—WEBH [365]. Church services. Seventh Church of Christ, Scientist.
10:45—WMAQ [448]. Services from People's church of Chicago; the Rev. Preston Bradley, pastor.
10:45—KYW [526]. Central church services. Orchestra hall; Frederick F. Shannon, minister; music under direction of Dr. Daniel Protheroe. Christmas program.
11:30—WGES [262]. High mass from Our Lady of Sorrows church.
12:15—WLS [345]. Concert; WLS players.
1:30—Cross Roads Sunday school.
12:30—WMAQ [448]. Musical program; recital.
4 p. m.—KYW [526]. Chain program from New York. 2—Concert. 4:30—Radio vesper services.
5—WMAQ [448]. Columbia chain program. 4—Sextet; vocal.
2:15—WGES [262]. Theater program. 3—Request program.
6—WLS [345]. Little Brown Church in the Vale.
7—WMAQ [448]. Chicago Sunday Evening club; Informal Bible talk, "Tales of Friendship," by Clifford W. Barnes. Soloist, Mark Love. 8—Address, "Words," by Bishop Edwin H. Hughes, Methodist Episcopal church, Chicago. Choir of 100. Guest artist, Doris Doe, New York.
7:15—KYW [526]. Chain program from New York. 8:17—20 minutes of good reading. 9:15—New York program.
7:30—WGES [262]. Music. 8:15—Travel talk.
9—WGES [262]. Feature; studio program.
9:15—WMAQ [448]. Columbia chain program. 10—Program.
11:30—WGES [262]. Orchestra. Studio program.

W-G-N QUIZ BOX

Here are the answers to three questions broadcast last night over W-G-N, The Tribune radio station. Three questions are asked and answered in the following morning's Tribune:

What is the capital of Russia and what was it called before the European war? Answer—Petrograd, formerly called St. Petersburg.

Where is Trafalgar square? Answer—In London.

In what state does the poinsettia grow abundantly? Answer—California.

JOE COOK, ONE MAN VAUDEVILLE, ON W-G-N TUESDAY

With Joe Cook as its principal attraction and virtual master of ceremonies, the atmosphere of pink lemonade and flying rings, of sawdust arenas and tumbling clowns will hover about the major portion of the program to be broadcast Tuesday evening from W-G-N, THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE station on the Drake hotel at 8 o'clock. A circus episode written especially for the entertainment will offer Cook, who is known as "the one man vaudeville show," plenty of latitude for his expansive comic sense.

Joe will offer, among other numbers, an explanation of why he cannot imitate four Hawaiians, his famous "baseball story," and a rendition of that celebrated folk song, "Frankie and Johnny," as rewritten by himself and "Bugs" Baer.

In addition to the foregoing, and just to show that he can present as diversified a program on the air as on the stage, Joe plans to take his radio audience into his confidence regarding a secret radio act, with television attachments, that he has invented. In Broadway parlance, this set, or at any rate Joe's explanation of it, is said to be a "wow."

CHURCH NEWS

Pulpits Send Out New Year's Message

By The Rev. W. B. Norton.

GOOD morning, January first, 1928! Christmas is not only a holiday but the long period preceding Christmas is full of preparation, anticipation, and the spirit of giving and entertainment. January first brings the churches face to face with the future. January is the month for board meetings, educational conventions, teacher training in the Sunday school, and all kinds of serious programs. Read the religious editorial in today's issue by Dr. John A. Earl, editor of The Baptist, and after you have studied his one fundamental resolve make resolves of your own.

This evening at the Sunday Evening club at Orchestra hall Bishop Edwin H. Hughes of the Chicago area of the Methodist Episcopal church will give a New Year's message. From the pulpits of all the churches pastors will be giving messages like the one announced by the Rev. James O'May of the Sheridan Road Methodist Episcopal church, "Facing the East."

A Happy New Year to all readers of THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE!

A college in the loop under the joint auspices of University college and the Chicago Council of Religious Education, a department of the Chicago Church federation, will be held, the first course beginning tomorrow evening at University college, 116 South Michigan boulevard. The teacher will be Prof. Norman E. Richardson of Northwestern university and the subject will be, "How to Understand Youth." The course continues twelve weeks, Mondays and Thursdays, from 7 to 9 p. m.

The next course will be taught by Prof. Ernest J. Chave of the University of Chicago, and the subject will be "How to Organize Religious Education." It will begin next Saturday, 11 a. m. to 1 p. m., and will continue Saturdays for twenty-four weeks. One major college credit will be given for each course.

A third course taught by Prof. W. C. Bower of the University of Chicago will have for its subject, "How to Teach Religion" and will begin April 2, continuing for twelve weeks.

There will be eleven leadership training schools at the following centers: Englewood, Morgan Park, South Chicago, Oak Park, Chicago Lawn, Cicero, Irving Park, Wilmette, Evanston, Edgewater and West Central district. For cost, leaders of the centers and other details consult the Chicago Council of Religious Education, 77 West Washington street, telephone Central 0681.

Dr. Robert Clements, pastor of the Austin Presbyterian church, who has just led in a $25,000 improvement on the church building, has been elected associate superintendent of the Chicago church extension board. A reorganization of the board was made necessary by the leaving of Dr. W. Clyde Smith, who has gone to San Francisco to assume the duties of extension secretary there. Dr. Clements has not accepted his new election and said he could not without further considering the question. If he accepts he will become associate superintendent with Dr. Henry Seymour Brown.

Dr. Roy E. Vale, who has been ill for many months, has been granted an extension of absence from the pulpit of the First Presbyterian church, Oak Park, until April 1. He has so far recovered that he had decided to renew his pastoral duties today, but the church thought it wiser for him to remain in Florida, where he now is, during the winter months.

A lecture will be broadcast by Prof. Harris F. Rall of Garrett Biblical institute, Evanston, tomorrow at 1 o'clock by station WCFL from Grace Methodist Episcopal church, Chicago. The subject will be "Christian Unity and the Early Church." The institute, which has an enrollment of more than 400 students, has voted to raise the standard of work required for the granting of the bachelor of divinity degree by discontinuing the present system, generally followed by seminaries, of accepting toward the divinity degree any undergraduate work in theological or semi-theological subjects done in college. This move is pioneer work among the seminaries of the Methodist Episcopal church.

The new arrangement will make the time required for graduation from college and seminary a little longer, but permits of more thorough training. Another advance step is that every student must take a general examination at the end of his three years' course.

Bishop Edwin H. Hughes of the Chicago area of the Methodist Episcopal church will give the New Year's message at 5 o'clock this evening at the Sunday Evening club at Orchestra hall. President Clifford W. Barnes will speak at 7. Doris Doe, New York City, will be the guest soloist with the choir of 100.

The national educational program of the Anti-Saloon league will be launched throughout the United States on Sunday and Monday, Jan. 15 and 16. Sermons by pastors will explain the American creed on prohibition and on Monday, the eighth anniversary of the passing of the eighteenth amendment, the subject will be, "Christian and American Foundation of the Eighteenth Amendment and Responsibility of the Christian Church and American Citizens for Its Maintenance and Enforcement."

The Rt. Rev. Seldon M. Griswold, suffragan bishop of the Chicago Episcopal diocese, recently recovered from a long illness, will be honored next Sunday on the occasion of the twenty-fifth anniversary of his consecration. The date is also the 67th anniversary of his birth, and the 11th anniversary of his installation as suffragan bishop of Chicago.

He will be the guest at St. Mark's church, Evanston, in the morning and at 4:30 p. m. lay readers of Chicago will conduct a celebration at the Church of the Messiah, 82d street and Dante avenue. On Monday morning, Jan. 9, there will be a gathering at St. Mark's church, Evanston, at 11 o'clock, followed by a luncheon in Bishop Griswold's honor.

The Rev. William A. Sunday, D. D., better known as Billy Sunday, the evangelist, will begin today a series of meetings for six days at the Methodist Episcopal church, 34th street, west of Oak Park avenue, Berwyn, Ill. Dr. Sunday will preach today at 10:45 a. m., 2:30 p. m., and 8 p. m.; tomorrow until Friday night he will speak daily at 2 p. m. and 8 p. m.

While the meetings are held in the Methodist church, all the churches of Berwyn have promised to cooperate and the church has arranged for an audience of 2,000 people. From Berwyn Billy Sunday will go to St. Louis, where he will begin next week an extensive revival campaign.

Special revival services to continue every evening except Saturday will begin today at the Immanuel Baptist church, 23d street and South Michigan avenue. The pastor, the Rev. Robert V. Meigs, will preach and conduct the services, assisted by various committees, composed of the deacons, other church officers and the young people's society.

The regular choir committee will have charge of the music. This is the first special revival campaign conducted by the church since the one led by the girl evangelist, Uldine Utley, last March.

SERMONS AND SERVICES IN CHICAGO CHURCHES TODAY



THE VERY REV. JAMES W. DONAHUE, C. S. C.
[McDonald Studio Photo.]

The feast day of the Holy Name will be observed this evening at 8 o'clock at Holy Name Cathedral, North State and East Superior streets. It is the most important day on the calendar of the Holy Name society of the archdiocese union of Chicago. It has come to be known as Holy Name day.

The special speaker on this occasion is the Very Rev. James W. Donahue, C. S. C., superior general of the Congregation of Holy Cross, Notre Dame, Ind. His eminence Cardinal Mundelein will be present and it is expected he will make a brief address to the members of the society. The Rt. Rev. E. F. Hoban, D. D., is the general spiritual director of the society and will be in general charge.

Father Donahue was born in St. Columbkille's parish, Chicago, the same parish in which Bishop Hoban was born. As superior general of the Congregation of Holy Cross, his jurisdiction extends over all the works of the congregation, which now has establishments in the United States, France, Italy, India, and Canada. The University of Notre Dame, which is the mother house, is the best known establishment in the United States.

NOTICE.

Announcements for this column must reach THE TRIBUNE by Thursday morning. Address Religious Editor, THE TRIBUNE, Chicago.

ADVENT CHRISTIAN.

Blessed Hope, Grenshaw-st. and Karlov-av. The Rev. A. F. Bloom. 11 a. m.: "The Days That Are Past." 7:30 p. m.: Miss Hannah Stocks.

ADVENTIST.

First German, Roscoe-st. and Claremont-av. Pastor Patzouski. 8 p. m.: "New Year Resolutions."

Greek, 619 S. Ashland-blvd. Pastor N. S. Thomas. 8 p. m.: "Destiny of Man."

Shiloh, St. Lawrence-av. at 46th-st. Pastor G. Peters. 8 p. m. [colored].

West Central, Waller-av. and Midway-pk. Pastor A. D. Bohn. 8 p. m.: "In One Hundred Forty-Four Thousand of Revelation."

AMERICAN CATHOLIC.

St. Cecelia's Oratory, Garrick hall, 64 W. Randolph-st. Mass and sermon, 10:30 a. m.

St. Joseph's, 2210 N. Mansfield-av. Mass, 10:30 a. m.

St. Mary of Nazareth, 4417 N. Mulligan-av. Mass, 10:30 a. m.

BAPTIST.

Belden Avenue, 2309 N. Halsted-st. The Rev. J. W. Hoyt. 11 a. m.: "A New Year's Message—the Responsibility of Leadership." 7:45 p. m.: "How to Make a Success in 1928."

First, 935 E. 50th-st. The Rev. Perry J. Stackhouse. 11 a. m.: "Christ in the Common Things of Life." 8 p. m.: "A New Year's Sermon."

Garfield Park, 4100 Jackson-blvd. The Rev. E. A. Shulla. 11 a. m.: "The Question of Bookkeeping." 7:45 p. m.: "What the New Year Should Mean for Us."

Hyde Park, 5600 Woodlawn-av. The Rev. Charles W. Gilkey. 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

Immanuel, 2350 S. Michigan-av. The Rev. Johnston Myers. 11 a. m., The Rev. Robert Van Meigs. "The New Year's Work." 7:45 p. m.: "Eternal Reasons for a Revival."

Irving Park, 4401 Irving Park-blvd. The Rev. G. C. Crippen. 11 a. m.

Judson, Austin-blvd. and Potomac-av. The Rev. Joseph Croft Dent. 11 a. m.: "A New Year's Echo." 7:45 p. m.: "How to Be Successful."

Lorimer Memorial, 73d-st. and St. Lawrence-av. The Rev. Charles B. Althoff. 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.: "The Sovereign Cure for Worry," Dr. A. B. E. Wyant.

North Shore, Berwyn-av. at Lakewood. The Rev. H. W. Virgin. 11 a. m.: "I Am Resolved." 8 p. m.: "Has Protestantism Failed?"

Normal Park, 70th-st. and Stewart-av. The Rev. M. M. McGorrill. 11 a. m.: "Practical Suggestions for the New Year."

Second, Jackson-blvd. at Lincoln-st. The Rev. Ralph J. Jensen. 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.: "Thinking One's Way."

Tabernacle, Monroe and Spaulding. The Rev. S. J. Reid. 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Temple Baptist, Humboldt-blvd. The Rev. Henry G. Smith. 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

Western Avenue, Western and Warren-avs. The Rev. Alfred C. Drummond. 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Woodlawn, 62d-st. and University-av. The Rev. M. P. Boynton. 10:30 a. m.: "The Last Days." 7:30 p. m.: "The New Way."

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.

Subject in all churches: "God."

First, 4017 Drexel-blvd. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Second, Wrightwood-av. at Pine Grove. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Third, Washington-blvd. and Leavitt-st. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Fourth, Harvard-st. and Marquette-rd. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Fifth, 4540 Dorchester-av. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Sixth, 11321 Prairie-av. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Seventh, 5318 Kenmore-av. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Eighth, 4350 S. Michigan-av. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Ninth, 6154 Woodlawn-av. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Tenth, 5640 Blackstone-av. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Eleventh, 2840 Logan-blvd. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Twelfth, 635 Grace-st. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Thirteenth, 10317 Longwood-dr. 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Fourteenth, Sunnyside-av. and Paulina-st. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Fifteenth, 301 N. Central-av., Austin. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Sixteenth, 7201 N. Ashland-av. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Seventeenth, the Masonic Hall temple, 32 W. Randolph-st. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Eighteenth, corner S. 73d-st. and Coles-av. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

CONGREGATIONAL.

Argyle Community, 5018 Kenmore-av. The Rev. J. S. Abelle. 11 a. m.: "Another Year. What Shall It Be?"

First, Oak Park. The Rev. Albert W. Palmer. 10:45 a. m.: "Ideals for the New Year." 7:30 p. m.: Apollo Musical club. "The Messiah."

First, East Chicago, Ind. The Rev. Walter H. Moore. 10:45 a. m.: The Rev. John X. Miller, Pasumali school, India.

Irving Park Immanuel, Berteau-av. at N. Troy-st. The Rev. Clarence B. Gould. 11 a. m.: "The Price of a Happy New Year." 8 p. m.: "Religion and Music."

New England, 960 N. Dearborn-st. The Rev. John Rushton Hayworth. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

New First, Washington and Ashland-blvds. The Rev. Walter Amos Morgan. 10:30 a. m.: "Christianity and Great Vocations: Law and Human Life." 7:30 p. m.: Pageant.

South Drexel-blvd. at 40th-st. The Rev. W. F. Slade. 10:45 a. m.: "A Beautiful Life," and 7:30 p. m.: "Pressing Onward."

Warren Avenue, Warren and Albany-avs. The Rev. W. S. North. 10:45 a. m.: "A New Year's Affirmation."

Wellington Avenue, Wellington-av. near Broadway. The Rev. George S. Mills. 11 a. m.: "Holding Fast."

DISCIPLES OF CHRIST.

Evanston, Maple-av. and Greenleaf-st. The Rev. Clark W. Cummings. 11 a. m.: "Christ the Finality," and 7:30 p. m.

Irving Park, Kildare-av. at Cullom. The Rev. Robert C. Lemon. 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Jackson Boulevard, 2421 W. Jackson-blvd. The Rev. Charles R. Oakley. 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

North Shore, Magnolia at Ainslie. The Rev. C. W. Longman. 11 a. m.: "Christian Resolutions."

Ravenswood, Greenview-av. at Sunnyside. The Rev. D. A. Wickizer. 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

University, 5655 University-av. The Rev. Edward Scribner Ames. 11 a. m.: "This New Year."

EPISCOPAL.

All Saints, Wilson and Hermitage-avs. The Rev. Floyd E. Bernard. 7:30, 9:30, and 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Atonement, 5749 Kenmore-av. The Rev. Alfred Newberry. 7:30, 8:30 and 10:30 a. m.

Advent, 2900 Logan-blvd. The Rev. Gerald G. Moore. 7:30 and 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Calvary, 3160 Monroe-st. The Rev. H. E. Neely. 7:30, 9:30, and 11 a. m. and 4:30 p. m.: "Near East Relief."

Cathedral Shelter, Washington-blvd. and Peoria-st. The Rev. David E. Gibson. Masses at 7:30, and 11 a. m.

Christ, 6300 Woodlawn. The Rev. Francis Nichols. 9:30, 7:30 and 11 a. m., and 7:45 p. m.

Church of the Apostles, Leland and Drake-ava. The Rev. J. H. Dennis. 7:30, 9:30, and 11 a. m.

Church of the Incarnation, W. 102d-st. and Parnell-av. The Rev. M. B. Williams. 10 and 11 a. m. and 5 p. m.

Church of Our Savior, 530 Fullerton-pkwy. The Rev. Frederick L. Gratiot. 8 and

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Chicago Sunday Tribune

THE WORLD'S GREATEST NEWSPAPER

JANUARY 1, 1928.

PART 3 | REAL ESTATE HOME BUILDERS

Busy Year Predicted for Uncle Sam, the Builder, During '28

HUGE PRODUCE CENTER SLATED FOR SOUTH SIDE

To Occupy 10 Acres; Cost $5,000,000.

BY PHILIP HAMPSON.

Provided our country's farmers keep on the job, Father Dearborn's south side offspring need never take up the popular old army refrain, "When do we eat?" For there were announced yesterday plans for a $5,000,000 south central wholesale produce market which for many years to come should be able to keep south siders' pantries stocked with fresh foods.



FRANK J. O'BRIEN.

This market is to occupy ten acres of ground extending three blocks along the south side of 89th street between State street and Indiana avenue. It will be bounded on the south by 89th place.

Here's the idea. The market will consist of two long one story buildings facing on 89th street and 89th place. Each will be divided into 46 stalls, with a total of 92 for 92 merchants. These merchants will receive their foodstuffs—vegetables, fruits, chickens, ducks, geese, butter, eggs, and so on—direct by rail from the farmers, and they in turn will wholesale to the south side retailers. The method of operation will be similar to that of the South Water street and other markets.

Will Be Vermin Proof.

William L. Hoffman is architect for the project. The buildings are to be of steel and concrete, with fireproof and vermin proof materials used throughout. The entire outside is to be of white enamel brick, with green enamel brick courses employed to bring forth a bit of color. According to promoters of the project, all the buildings are to be kept spotless and if a speck of dirt shows itself doubtless the entire police and fire departments will be called out to chase it.

Each stall is to have its own refrigerator room and will be equipped with labor saving devices that will enable one man to handle from two to four carloads of produce a day. Foundations will be laid to carry an additional story if the occupant of any stall requires additional space.

Speed Is Emphasized.

A study has been made of the leading produce markets of the country and the new development has been designed so as to permit merchants to shop around amongst the various wholesalers with as little delay as possible. Each stall will have a minimum storage capacity of ten cars and they are arranged to permit retailers to load and get away quickly. There will be a private street 75 feet wide between the two buildings. Service platforms along the buildings will be protected by a currugated asbestos and cement tile canopy which will allow full delivery during inclement weather. It is said merchants will be able to get to and back from the market in an hour and a half.

The market is based on a nine mile radius, with its territory going as far north as 39th street and including such suburbs as Gary, Hammond, etc. It will serve some 2,000,000 consumers. The Hammond junction yard of the Chicago Belt Line railway, with a capacity of 1,500 cars daily, is adjacent and it will be connected with the market by switch tracks.

It is also planned to include in the project a separate bank building at the corner of State and 89th, which structure will also contain club rooms and offices, and a 200 truck garage at Indiana and 89th.

To Be Sold Like "Co-ops."

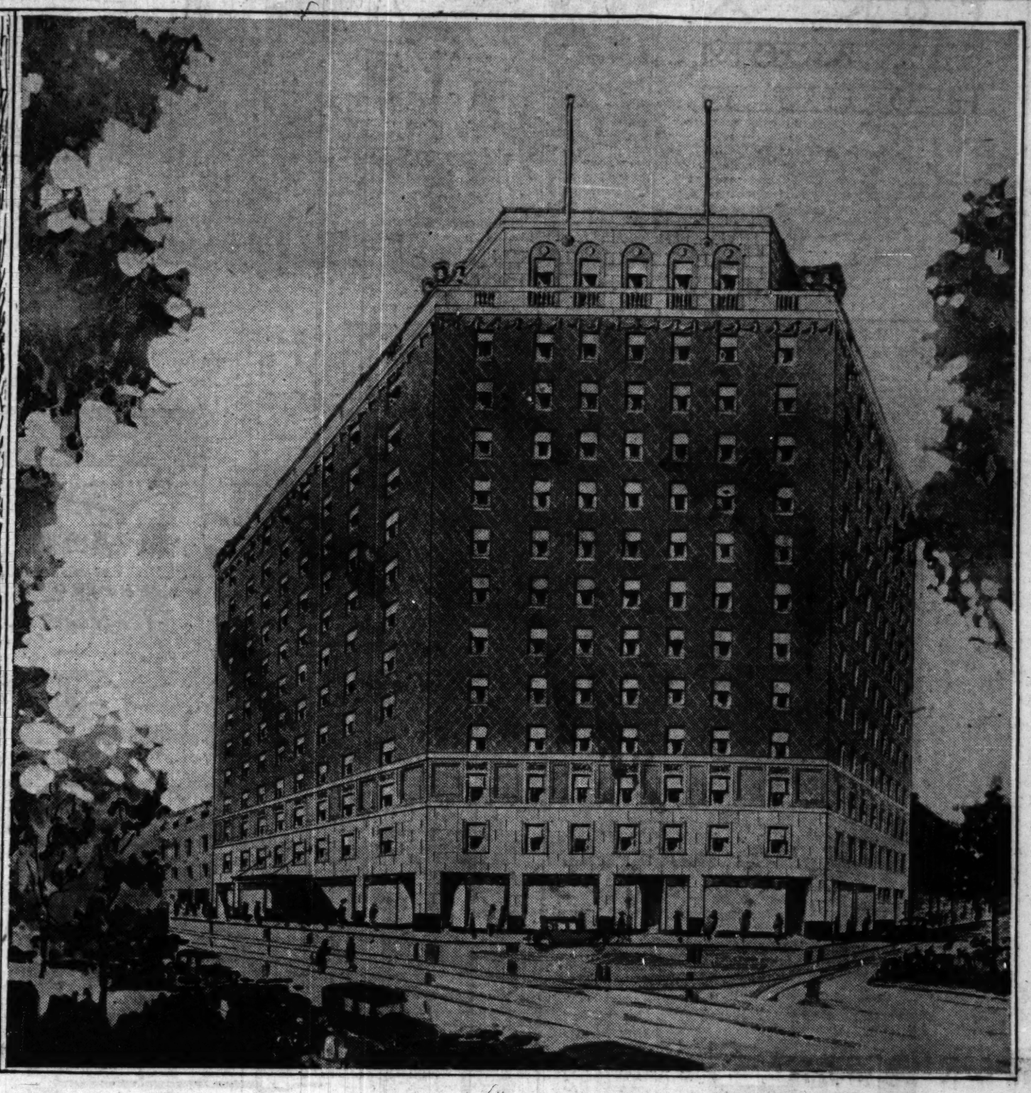
The stalls are to be sold on a cooperative basis. Frank J. O'Brien, vice president of McKey & Poague, is to have charge of their sale and has organized a special department under the charge of Harry Hoffman. The method of sale will be similar to that employed in the sale of cooperative apartments.

Details of financing are to be announced later. Work is scheduled to start shortly. It is stated the investment in land, buildings and equipment will total $5,000,000.

Frank H. T. Potter is handling all the legal details for the South Central Realty and Development company. Chandler & Montague represented the owners of the site, the Healy-White Realty Trust. McKey & Poague, Inc., are exclusive sales agents.

TWO GOOD SIZED NORTH SIDE PROJECTS OF THE WEEK





On the left is the nineteen story coöperative apartment building to be erected at 222 East Chestnut street, just east of and adjoining the Seneca hotel, by the Chestnut Street Building corporation, from plans by Rissman & Hirschfeld, as told in The Tribune of Dec. 16. Charles Kemp made the sketch shown. H. O. Stone & Co. have underwritten an $800,000 bond issue. Work is to start this week. There'll be thirty-six suites of six and seven rooms.

The building on your right is the new Lincoln hotel, work on which has started at the intersection of Clark street, Lincoln avenue, and Wells street. The hotel will face north, so that in the picture above Clark street is on your left and Wells on your right. Loewenberg & Loewenberg are the architects. The total cost of land, building, and furnishings is placed at over a million dollars. The hotel will have 300 rooms.

Urges O. O. of Loop Buildings Twice Yearly

Calling attention to the fact that loop pedestrians recently have had narrow escapes from falling pieces of building material, loosened by weather conditions, Leon E. Stanhope, president of the Illinois Society of Architects, urges at least two annual inspections made of loop buildings by the property owners. These should be done by a skilled inspector or under the direction of the architect of the building, he suggests.



LEON E. STANHOPE. [Moffett Photo.]

"In a recent issue of THE TRIBUNE," writes Mr. Stanhope, "I noted the following: 'Several persons on their way home from motion picture theaters in the vicinity had narrow escapes last night when a piece of ornamental stone work, weighing about 100 pounds, fell from above a window on the eighteenth floor of the Union Trust Company building, Madison and Dearborn streets, to the sidewalk. Several men were walking on the sidewalk at the time but none was hurt.'

Blames Climate.

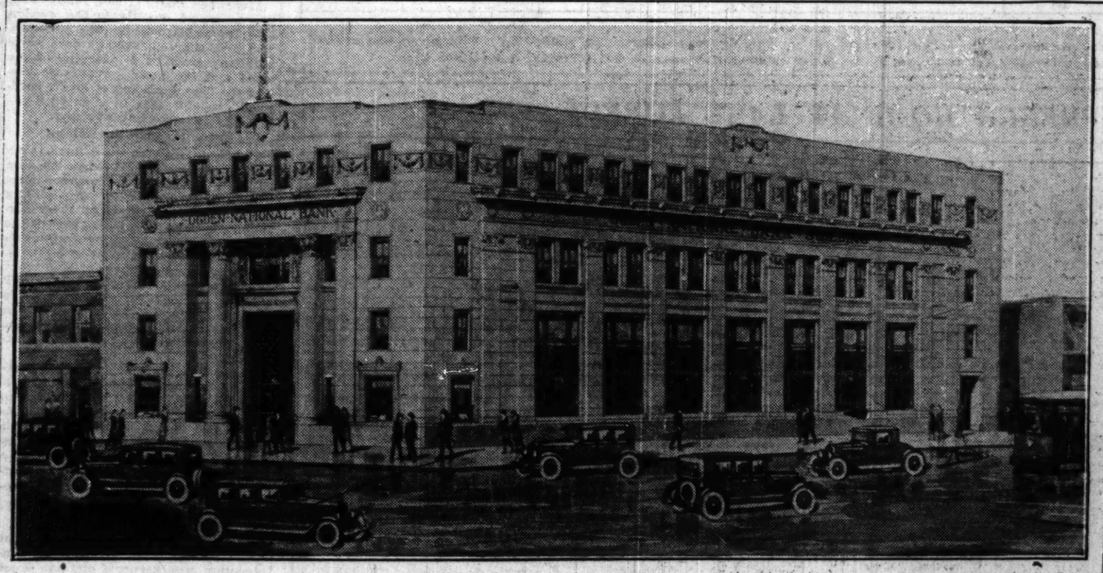
"This falling stone is not a rare occurrence in the loop district. In a climate similar to ours, where we have great extremes in temperature as well as in dry and moist conditions, this alternate freezing and thawing, becoming wet and then again drying out of the joints between the individual places, causing projecting moldings and members, whether of brick, stone, terra cotta, and even cast iron, to loosen and, unless checked by wedging, anchoring, and repointing, to finally fall away from the building.

"I cannot urge too strongly upon the owners of property to have at least two annual inspections made of all cornices, parapet walls and projections. These inspections should be made annually, preferable about April 1 and Oct. 1, by a skilled inspector under the direction of the architect of the building.

Calls It Only Remedy.

"Under our municipal code, the commissioner of buildings, is intrusted with the duty of inspection of buildings annually, but it is a physical impossibility for the personnel of the department of buildings to cover an area as large as the city of Chicago with the force of inspectors allowed them, and the only remedy that can safeguard the public is the inspection of buildings semi-annually by a competent inspector employed by the owner of the building.

WHERE PENNIES GROW TO DOLLARS



Above is the new home which the Ogden National bank will erect at the southeast corner of Ogden and Crawford avenues. K. M. Vitzthum & Co. designed the structure. Work is to start this month, and the building is to represent an investment of $225,000, it is stated.

HENRY HARRELL HEADS DU PAGE CO. REALTORS

Henry L. Harrell, of Harrell & Allmart, Wheaton and Glen Ellyn realtors, was elected president of the Du Page County Real Estate board at its annual meeting at the Dutch grill in Glen Ellyn on Wednesday. B. C. Downs was named first vice president. Other vice presidents are: Otto Balgemann of Elmhurst, O. J. Roath of Lombard, John J. Wozencraft of Glen Ellyn, Alfred C. Hoy of Wheaton, Monroe Crist of Naperville, William Blodgett of Downers Grove, and George Beaton of Hinsdale. Howard P. Jones of Downers Grove was reëlected secretary and treasurer.



HENRY L. HARRELL.

The Du Page County Real Estate Board is composed of realtors living in the principal communities in the county.

Ogden National Bank Will Erect a $225,000 Building

The Ogden National bank announces that it will build a new home at the southeast corner of Ogden and Crawford avenues, and leave its present quarters at 3716-18 Ogden, where it has been since its organization in 1912.

K. M. Vitzthum & Co. have drawn the plans for the new structure which is to be of the architecture favored by bankers, namely, classic. The building is to be three stories high and will be faced with Bedford stone on a granite base.

The banking room is to extend through two floors. It, too, will follow the decorative styles approved by bankers, so bronze and marble will be found in abundance in the room where the clinking and rustling of money provide such pleasant music. There will be mezzanine floors at the front and rear of the banking floor.

Officers of the bank like the safety deposit vault equipment in the basement of the present building so well that they will move it to their new home.

The second and third floors of the structure are to be rented out for offices, mainly to doctors and dentists.

Work is to start on the new structure some time this month. It is estimated that the cost of the building will be $225,000. The lot is 50x133 feet.

Frank Ramsford is president of the bank. Barnet L. Rosset is chairman of the board; Max Wollenberg is vice chairman, and Charles R. Corbett is vice president.

Crown Point Man Buys Building at 5618 Drexel

Cleon Burner has sold to Simon McGinley of Crown Point, Ind., the building at 5618 Drexel avenue, containing two stores and fourteen flats. The price was not disclosed, but the sale was made subject to $15,000. A farm near Crown Point was given in part payment at $43,000. Joseph C. Ficklin was broker and D. W. Murphy of McKay & Poague acted for the buyer.

FORMER HEAD OF LOOP BANK TO SELL REALTY

William M. Richards, until recently president of the Lake State bank [now the Old Dearborn State bank] has become associated with the firm of George S. Ballard & Co., realtors, in the First National bank building, and will devote his time to the sale, leasing and financing of business property. Mr. Richards has been identified with the banking business in Chicago for more than twenty-five years, having been with the American Trust and Savings bank for several years, later going to the Chicago Savings Bank and Trust company, from which institution he resigned as cashier in 1919 and organized the Lake State bank.



WILLIAM M. RICHARDS. [National Art Bureau Photo.]

Tall Inn for Clark Facing Lincoln Park

The Lincoln is the name of a new twelve story hotel which is being erected on North Clark street across from Lincoln park. The site measures 90 feet on Clark, 81 feet on Lincoln, and 83 feet on Wells, and is at the northern extremity of the small block which is bounded on the south by Menominee.

There will be 300 rooms, each with private bath, in the new hostelry, which, it is stated, will represent an investment of $1,050,000 in land, building and furnishings.

Loewenberg & Loewenberg are the architects for the structure which will be of Georgian design. The first three stories will be of stone, while those above will be of face brick laid in English cross bond. Brick laid in this manner permits pleasing contrasts in color in the façade. Along the roof line will be a number of balusters and carved rosettes typical of Georgian architecture.

A Turkish Bath.

There will be an elaborate lobby and a lounge on the ground floor, while stories will face on the street fronts. In the basement will be found a Turkish bath establishment which will be run in conjunction with the hotel.

The structure will be surmounted by an apartment bungalow. One part of the roof will be made into an Italian garden which will be open for use by the guests of the hotel.

Street Is Changing.

It is interesting to note that the Lincoln is the third major improvement on Clark street between North avenue and Center street, completed in the last few years, of a type that is changing the appearance of that thoroughfare. The others are the Moody church, near North avenue, and the Odgen Plaza hotel at Center. The Lincoln replaces an old hotel which has just been wrecked.

Thomas Hennessey, who operates the Wacker hotel and the Norwell Apartment hotel, has leased the new structure for a term of years and will run it. The owners are the Clark-Lincoln Building corporation. Rosenberg & Lurie represented all parties in the purchase of the site, while Epstein & Feiwell were attorneys for the building corporation. Albert Pick & Co. have been given the contract for the furnishings.

Ready to Tell Realtors About North Side Market

John J. Ready Jr. of Ready & Cormack will give the first lecture of the year, Tuesday evening, Jan. 3, before the class in real estate fundamentals of the Y. M. C. A. college of commerce. He will talk on "Chicago's North Side Real Estate Market." This course is given in conjunction with the Chicago Real Estate board.

CONSTRUCTION IN CHICAGO AREA MAY BEAT 1927

Forum Predictions Are Cheerful.

BY AL CHASE.

[Real Estate Editor.]

Uncle Sam, the builder, is not going to slow up any in his wielding of hammer, saw and other tools he's been using at high speed throughout the nation for several years, according to a prediction just made in the annual building forecast of the Architectural Forum. Instead, the old gentleman's activity during the year 1928 is expected to be approximately equal to that of 1927 and in addition it is predicted that over the next few years there'll be no general collapse of the situation but rather a gradual return to a new normal much higher than that established in any previous decade.

Of course, in various geographical districts of the country there are changes indicated. In some districts there is to be more building and in others less. The Chicago area, in fact the entire middle states district, promises continued building activity perhaps surpassing that of the year 1927.

More Apartment Hotels.

The notable changes in public demand for the Chicago area, according to the forecast, includes a doubling of the demand for apartment hotels and a falling off in the requirements for churches, industrial, office buildings and theaters.

There is evidently to be more construction of public buildings and of hospitals, apartment and automotive buildings. In the residential field of this district still greater construction activity is indicated.

"In attempting to establish this forecast of building activity for the year 1928, we face an unusual and paradoxical condition," says C. Stanley Taylor of the Architectural Forum. "On one hand we hear many casually or even thoughtfully expressed opinions indicating that there will be less building activity in 1928 than in several past years.

Get Data from Architects.

"On the other hand, the Forum's survey, on which this forecast is based, has been carried out in exactly the same manner used for the last seven years. Here we have actual evidence of work on architects' boards, or seriously contemplated for the year 1928, a volume of work which is testified to by 1,793 individual confidential reports from architects.

"These reports indicate that building will continue in 1928 at least in the same volume if not reaching even greater totals than 1927.

"If we seek further to analyze the apparently paradoxical situation (wherein many are predicting a sharp falling off of building in 1928, although most forecasts are to the contrary), we seem to discover controlling factors of an unusual nature, which, after all, may offer a simple explanation.

"It is to be noted that those who are making casual predictions anticipating a considerable decrease in the building volume are located in larger centers where there is perhaps an overbuilt situation which colors opinions.

Real Prosperity—Not a Boom.

"Probably, too, the idea of decreased activity in the building fields is a natural reaction of the human mind which refuses to believe that good conditions can last so long. This conjecture is substantiated by the fact that most of those who are pessimistic about building activity are also pessimistic about national prosperity. Of course, if general business conditions become adversely affected and the confidence of the public is shaken, building activity will be materially influenced.

"With these thoughts in mind, is it not reasonable to believe that there may be a basic explanation for the evident paradox of contrary opinions as to building activity? Perhaps we have not been passing through a real boom—perhaps the continued building activity which has been carrying on in increasing volume since 1922, is primarily based on greatly increased building requirements coupled with prosperous conditions which have provided the means for this great investment.

Living Standards Higher.

"After all, the population of this country during the last ten years has increased by many millions, for which shelter of all kinds must be provided.

"The fire losses grow greater each year in spite of efforts to curb them. Naturally, replacements to meet fire losses must grow larger as the requirements become greater.

"We also have to consider seriously the greatly increased standards of living. The average family requires better shelter with a greater degree of attractiveness, comfort, and utility. Similarly in business buildings of all kinds, builders must meet a demand which has grown amazingly in respect to the factors of equality and efficiency.

Predicts New and Higher Normal.

"We predict, therefore, that the building activity of the year 1928 will approximately equal that of 1927 and that over the next few years there will be no general collapse of the situation but rather a gradual return to a new normal much higher than that established in any previous decade."

The forecast points out that construction activity during 1927 continued at a pace almost equal to that of the record breaking year of 1926. Including engineering projects and construction in the rural districts, it is evident that the total annual build-

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REALTORS PLAN ANNUAL DINNER SANS SPEECHES

An almost speechless banquet is the novelty promised realtors who attend the annual festivities of the Oak Park Real Estate board on Monday, Jan. 9, at the Golden Pumpkin cafe at Madison and Hamlin. President Ted R. Leth will sing his "Swan Song" and there'll be greetings by the new president. "No other speakers" reads the announcement. There'll be special entertainment, dancing and cards after the nine course dinner, until 1:30 a. m.

According to Mrs. W. H. Wright, member of the banquet committee, national and state executives and also the entire active membership of various suburban real estate boards have been invited.

HOME BUILDERS' DEPARTMENT

HOUSE DESIGNED FOR ITS BEAUTY; STYLE IS HAZY

Nonessentials Left Out; Cost Reduced.

(A Tribune Competition house of six rooms, designed by Bernard Heatherley, architect, Hiram Sibley building, Rochester, N. Y.)

BY LOUISE BARGELT.

[Home Builders' Editor.]

In this instance, the architect, Mr. Heatherley, was reluctant to name any particular style or period to which the house conformed.



LOUISE BARGELT. [Chambers Photo.]

As Mr. Heatherly expressed it, he believed that the finest examples from the golden age of architecture are those which were designed to fill the needs of life as then lived, regardless of attempts at style. For this style, although designed for beauty in the last analysis, was evolved logically from the sources of material at hand and available labor.

However, admitting that one must own, in elevational treatment, a legacy from the past, he describes his home as English; an adaptation of the style that developed in the days of the late Tudors.

Here we find the pleasingly rendered exterior walls of cement plaster on 8 inch hollow tile. The color is dark cream, with finish a smooth sand float. Latitude of choice is suggested in the roof covering; tile, slate, or asbestos shingles in dark shades.

Steel Casement Windows.

The windows are steel casement with leaded glass. The lot may be defined by trellis, the pergola piers may be built of broken brick and tile slushed solid with cement.

From the entry one reaches an inner reception hall, with long living room and sun porch on the right and dining room with two generous window exposures on the left. Between the rear entrance and the garage there is a covered way—a big comfort—giving to the completely detached garage many of the distinct advantages of the attached garage.

The following treatment of the interior is made with a view to keeping the cost moderate.

The wall surfaces and ceilings are to be left in a perfectly plain sand float cement plaster finish so far as all the living quarters are concerned. The kitchen and bathroom, if not tiled, can have a hard, smooth plaster finish for painting.

Favoring Plain Walls.

It has been said that plain walls are the refuge of the artistically destitute. But this statement, like many similarly sweeping ones, is unguarded. It denies much of the beauty of Spain, particularly, and much early architecture wherein the value of plain walls was appreciated.

Ruskin indeed was eloquent in his plea for plain wall surfaces, and there are those who go so far as to say that an insistence upon the elaboration and patterning of all walls is a mark of the unimaginative. For plain walls admit of much variety in room treatment, furniture grouping, and window hangings.

As for the interior trim, one might indulge in colors denied to wallpapers or to other wall coverings. Unless one used a fine grade of oak, stained, one could use white wood, gumwood, or birch for painting. Blue greens, dull oranges, reds, or rich grays all would be effective, provided they were used cautiously. Even a touch of gilt is not inconceivable.

Eliminate Nonessentials.

The elimination of nonessentials might be the keynote in building this house. Cornices and ceiling ornaments are not obligatory, and the woodwork can be unmolded. In the fireplace the plaster can be brought into the jamb of the opening as far as the brick lining and the lintel can be simply a solid heavy wood beam. If circumstances permit, there might be carving on its face.

The second floor contains three well lighted rooms, together with a large bath, windows on two sides, shower, and linen closet. If preferred, the shower could be placed over the bath tub and the space indicated for the shower occupied by a linen closet with door opening on to the landing.

The basement is well planned, with complete laundry equipment, incinerator, laundry chute, hot water heater, washing machine, laundry tray, ironing machine, and drying cupboard. The architect emphasizes the possibilities of added interest by the skillful use of rain water heads and conductors.

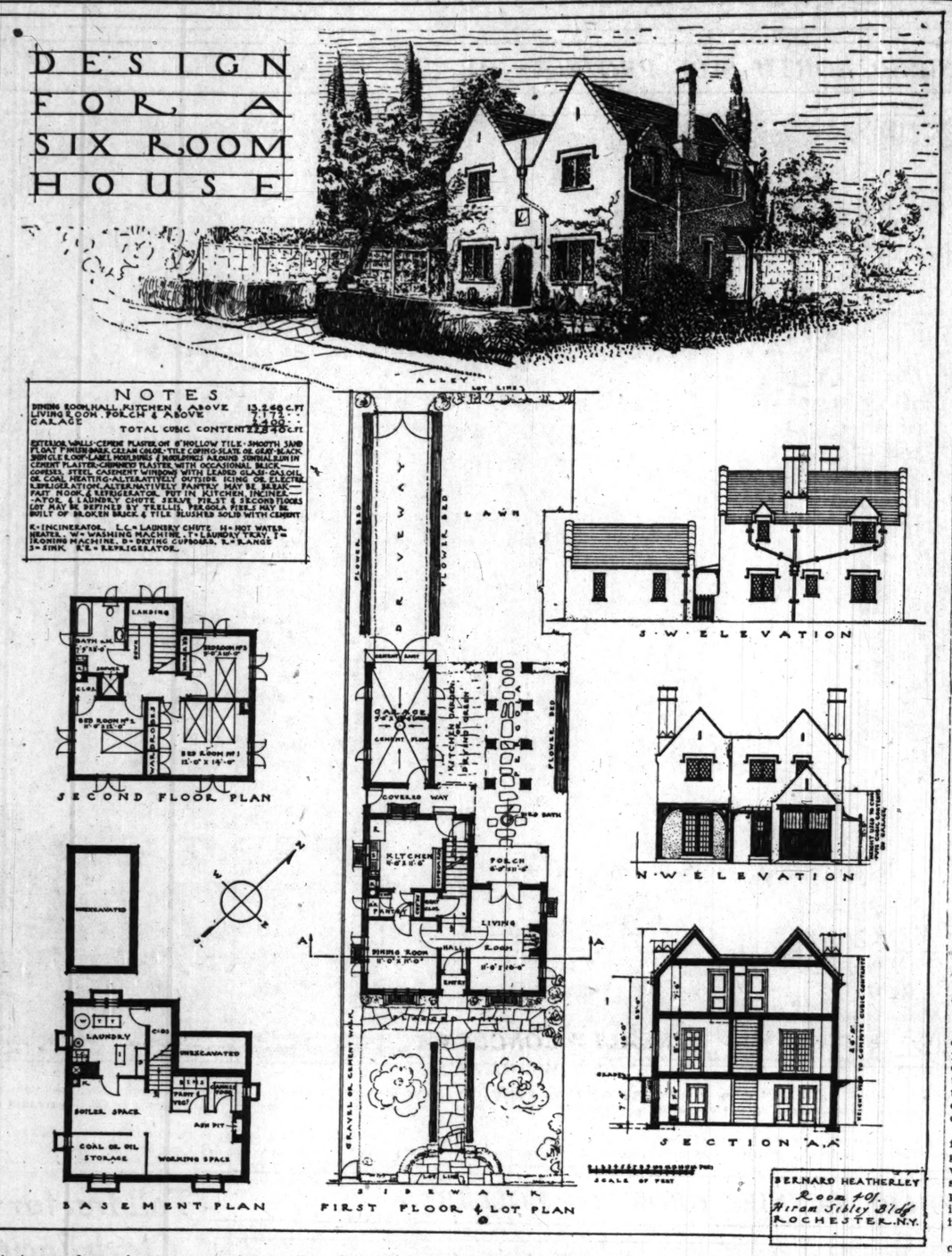
The cost of this house should range between $12,000 and $14,000.

JANUARY IS TIME TO THINK ABOUT LANDSCAPING

January is an excellent month to think about the landscaping problems to be met in the spring.

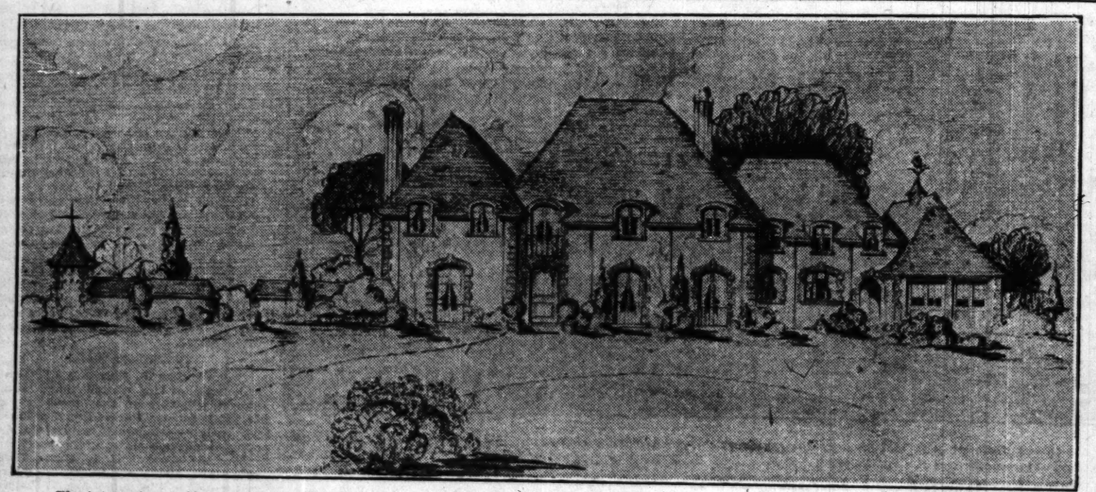
If one makes out a list of what is going to be necessary, and most of these necessities will come under these classifications: lawns, food, flowers, and shrubbery, one will read with added interest all that appears in magazines and papers on landscaping hints. And incidentally one may perhaps save here and there from the family budget so that when spring arrives, one has both the ideas and the money for the landscaping end of home owning.

REMINISCENT OF LATE TUDOR DAYS



A six room house of cream cement plaster walls on hollow tile, with roof of slate or black shingles. Its style is an adaptation of that evolved in the days of the late Tudors. Designed by Bernard Heatherley, 400 Hiram Sibley building, Rochester, N. Y. A Tribune Competition house.

FRENCH HOME AT LAKE FOREST



The interesting residence pictured above is a home nearing completion on H. K. Turnbull's Deerpath Hill estate at Lake Forest. Designed by Anderson & Ticknor, the architecture is French. The building is of hollow tile construction, surfaced with a smooth white cement finish. It has a heavy slate roof. The trim is of red and henna colored brick. Jerome Robert Cerny prepared this rendering.

Answers to Questions on Home Owning

Consult a Bank.

Dear Mrs. Bargelt: I have just purchased plans for a new house, but have been told that they are too exaggerated in style and that I will have a hard time getting a mortgage on it. What shall I do? S. W.

Answer: Submit your plans to your local bank to see if you can secure a mortgage.

Stripping Saves Loss.

Dear Mrs. Bargelt: Is it true that there is any perceptible air leakage around the sash of an unstripped wood window? What is the actual difference between this window and the stripped window? G. S.

Answer—It has been estimated by some authorities that for every running foot around the sash of an unstripped wood window there is an air leakage of 49 cubic feet an hour against the loss with a well weather stripped window of less than 4 cubic feet. The heat loss therefore is about 12 times as great at this estimate for the plain window as for the window protected by stripping. I cannot guarantee the accuracy of this estimate. Authorities differ somewhat but the main fact—that there is a big difference, remains obvious.

Concerning Provencal Home.

Dear Mrs. Bargelt: We are having a Provençal home built. While we are not going to carry out the interior very faithfully in the French spirit, I would like a suggestion for the walls and floor of entrance hall and for living room ceiling and floor. We have decided on woodwork and dado paneling of jade green for living room walls.—D. F.

Answer: Your entrance hall floor can be of large squares of cork laid in colored cement stained and waxed, or slate slabs, or rubber tiling; the walls of rough plaster with sand finish. The living room ceiling can be of rough floated sand plaster and floor of wide squares of oak and chestnut wood stained with walnut dye and linseed oil. Brick, sandpapered and waxed and oiled, might also be used. These are but a few suggestions. The Provençal house permits many treatment possibilities.

Answers to Quiz

1. English, French, Italian, Spanish and Gothic.
2. Not according to reports from prominent foresters.
3. At the present time more than 4,500.
4. Apt to prove ineffective because they are too weak and pale to form a background for deeper colors.
5. The use of strong contrast; light, semi-transparent shades produce a gentle contrast.
6. Adjustable glove drier.
7. From Elizabethan England.
8. Soil which is easily cultivated and soil which is worked with difficulty.
9. Riders pasted to bids made by heating contractors, insuring that the purchaser will get precisely what he pays for; an adequate heating plant in every way, installed up to definite standards.
10. This idea is national in its intention to make widespread good heating plants.

MANY TYPES OF WOOD SUITED FOR INTERIOR TRIM

Under the term "interior trim" comes a variety of items. These are door casings, window casings, baseboards, molding, wainscoting, etc.

The woods to be preferred for interior trim should be hard enough to allow a smooth finish after they have been dressed, yet soft enough to be easily machined.

Among the hard woods used for interior trim are oak, chestnut, red gum, birches, black walnut, maples, yellow poplar, beech, basswood, and cottonwood.

Pine, fir, cypress, hemlock and redwood are among the soft woods. Hemlock takes a polish well, redwood is known for its rich color. White and yellow pine and eastern spruce take paint well and hold it.

If the finish is to be treated with an oil or varnish and the natural color of the wood will show, a high quality of wood is necessary. But if the trim is to be painted, a less expensive material is satisfactory—providing that material is capable of holding paint.

CONCRETE FLOOR IN HOME REDUCES PERIL FROM FIRE

Also Cuts Repair Bills and Keeps Out Dirt.

BY HOMER GRANT.

Jeremiah spoke words of cheer in comparison to those uttered by some home owners when the use of concrete flooring in their home is mentioned. They may have heard of many of its practical features; they may want a house as nearly fireproof as they can afford but—

"I don't want a floor to look like a sidewalk." Or "I don't want my basement floors brought upstairs" or "concrete floors are damp—don't tell me."

And the average home owner has to be "shown" before he will be convinced of the beauty and sanitation possible in concrete floorings as they are now offered to the public. Certainly there is much interested discussion current today on the future possibilities of concrete floors in the homes of tomorrow.

The practical features of the concrete floor are those which naturally appeal to any practical home owner, and most home owners are by nature practical in their attitude towards what affects the stability and longevity of the houses they own.

Fire Safety Main Point.

But in the last analysis the extent of the future popularity of the concrete floor will depend largely on the understanding of the public regarding the attractiveness of its different surfacings.

Fire safety is one of its most outstanding points, for the concrete first floor slab prevents the passage of flames up from coal pile, furnace or basement garage—if one has a built-in basement garage.

Then again concrete flooring eliminates many troubles which often develop after a house has stood for several years, causing the home owner repair bills or interfering with the resale value of the house.

For instance water does not penetrate a concrete floor easily. Broken water pipes, overflowing water pipes do not work such damage on the ceiling below. Vibration is eliminated, as are squeaking and sagging floors.

Keeps Out Dirt.

Another virtue claimed for this type of floor by a home owner of fourteen years experience is that it prevents coal dust and other dirt from seeping through into the upper stories from the basement. He says that the concrete floor especially proves its worth during the delivery of coal.

Another construction point is the fact that concrete floor slabs afford greater strength and stability to the walls. Ordinary floor joints, moving slightly, can crack a wall or ceiling plaster. Concrete floor slabs, not moving appreciably if built correctly, eliminate this danger.

Hardwood flooring, oak, maple, etc., can be nailed directly to the wooden sleepers embedded in the concrete. The firm concrete support does away with any cracking or warping of the wood and the home owner who prefers the floor surfacing of lovely hardwood can still have it, even with the fire safe concrete underflooring.

Many Popular Surfacings.

Or other popular surfacings, such as linoleum, rubber tile, cork tile, can be well cemented to concrete slab. There is no danger of any pulling loose here, or warping, as these surfacings become an integral part of the concrete. Then, lastly, comes the concrete floor, standing on its own merits, uncovered by any other surfacing, but so treated as to afford really lovely effects. A concrete floor may be made to look like a tile flooring, or it can be stained and waxed in handsome dark shades without any pattern attempt.

There are many pigment preparations for concrete, various reds, yellows and soft browns which combine well with the neutral gray of the concrete and result in effective dark tones. Designs in contrasting colors can be worked out if desired, interesting appearances created by the different stains, charming effects produced by waterproof enamels.

Deserves Consideration.

In the light of all the advancement made in the fields of fireproof construction, weatherproof and age proof construction, in residence work as well as along all building lines, this feature of concrete flooring is well deserving of consideration.

The man who is building his own home is not only investing his money at the time of building, but his future moneys and his future comforts. And whatever contributes to the stability and fire safety of his home adds to his sum total investment in "pieces of silver and peace of mind."



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1. What are some of the interesting textures stucco can be given?
2. Is it true that there is a shortage of lumber in this country?
3. Approximately how many commercial and industrial uses are there for wood at the present time?
4. Why is it that light blue or pink walls are sometimes disappointing?
5. What should be avoided in the choice of a window shade?
6. What modern device permits gloves to be washed at home and come out smooth and shapely?
7. From what period and country were the early New England houses with overhanging second stories, steeply pointed roofs, and leaded casements derived?
8. In gardening parlance, what is meant by "light" soil and "heavy" soil?
9. What is meant by "certified heating"?
10. How widespread is this idea?

(Answers to these questions will be found on another part of this page.)

SEES AMERICA AS LEADING WORLD IN HOME DESIGN

Bernard Heatherley, architect, Rochester, New York, is designer of the six room house shown in the Home Builders' page today.



BERNARD HEATHERLEY.

"I cannot help but regard my student days among the glorious architectural heritage the old world possesses as invaluable," Mr. Heatherley writes. "No less valuable are my years of experience in America, now my home, and to which, particularly in house planning, the world owes an enormous debt.

"Nowhere as in America has house planning reached so nearly the ideal. I believe that the house plans evolved by pioneer architects have had as much to do with molding the high standard of life lived here, as the high standard of life has had to do, by its demands, with the evolution of the perfect plan.

"My experience has been gained in many varied fields—as an architect's should be. Besides my training in architectural schools and offices in London and Liverpool, I have spent periods specializing in the workshops of various craftsmen. Working in ship decoration, furniture, iron work, etc., have all proved extremely valuable in the practice of domestic and public architecture upon which I am now engaged."

LIGHT IN BED ROOM SHOWS IF DOOR IS LOCKED

Electricity will now inform you whether or not your house is locked up. An interesting automatic door switch of the battery type is placed beneath the strike plate of the inside door lock opposite the bolt and operated by the bolt. When the bolt is thrown and the door locked the switch opens a low voltage circuit operating on the bell ringing transformer and controls a pilot light in the main bedroom which indicate whether the house is locked or not.

The illuminated house number is a well known modern device which is invaluable for the passing stranger or friend seeking to find his way after dark.

In connection with this there is a momentary contact switch operating an overhead domelight. A touch of the switch illuminates the door and enables one to find the key hole. Releasing the switch extinguishes the light and there is no danger that one will forget to turn the light off because it won't remain lighted unless one holds the switch button.

Then, too, in connection with this modern entrance lighting one should not forget the front door bell push button which has luminous center.

FEW GUIDEPOSTS TOWARD SAVING IN HOME BUILDING

Eliminate Frills, but Use Best of Materials.

Here are a few practical pointers in house building economics which may save you more than a few hundred dollars when it comes to building the future home.

There are two kinds of economies. One, economy through substitution of cheap materials for expensive ones. This decidedly is not wise economy for it spells extravagance too often when quick depreciation sets in.

The other economy is the economy of house shape and also of elimination. This is common sense economy. The elimination of nonessentials of fussiness of detail, of elaboration in trim, of expensive porch work, high priced gables, grilles, fancy roof lines and ornate dormers.

Square House Economical.

First, from point of view of economy, the square house is the economical house. It does not have to be a homely, boxlike structure, for it can be designed to present desirable features of dignity and architectural charm.

There is little lost space in a square house; moreover it is easy to work in, easy to heat, and because its rooms are located at each corner of the dwelling, it can easily be given abundant ventilation. And because it is a perfect cube, it contains the most space to its wall area which is another building economy point.

As for the roof, a simple hip roof usually saves money, over against the steeply pitched roof. Gables over the windows, dormers, wide eaves all cost money.

Porches with heavy columns are far from cheap and lighter porch columns can be used as well.

Saving in Cellar and Attic.

Then, too, a part of the cellar can be left unexcavated and the attic eliminated. Every foot of attic and cellar space costs money. If an attic is included in the house plan, let it be finished for actual use. It will then prove an investment in house space and not be an extravagance because of costly, wasted floor area.

The cellar is being left out entirely in some homes, even in this Chicago territory. Needless to say where this is done there must be a well built first floor of concrete, well waterproofed with foundations beneath. On this concrete slab a finished wood floor may be laid and the furnace placed in a room a little below the floor level.

The modern cellar is certainly diminishing in size. If it does not at time do a complete fade out, it will be because it has been made such a useful member of the house family that it cannot possibly be eliminated.

HOW TO TELL IF YOUR HOUSE IS IN NEED OF PAINT

The true economy in keeping a house well painted cannot be overestimated.

If one is in doubt whether a repainting job is necessary, as a deterioration preventive, there is a simple test which will tell the tale.

If in passing the fingers over a piece of the painted exterior, a powdery substance comes off, this is an indication that the house should probably be repainted. For it means that the oil has dried and that only the pigments are left. In paint the ingredient which is protective is the oil; ergo, deterioration is in sight and should be stopped.

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FARM AND GARDEN

Greater Efficiency Is Farmers' Motto for the Coming Year

Operating Costs Must Be Cut Down to Gain Profits.

BY FRANK RIDGWAY.

IN 1928 much of the agricultural relief must come by farmers turning to the task of organizing their farms so that they can be operated more efficiently. No one seems to doubt that farm earnings are so low that this nation cannot maintain a stable agriculture. Farmers have the country apparently convinced that they should get more for their work, but there is much debate over the plan of adding to the producer's income.

There is no one to kick where the farmer whittles down his production costs and thereby adds to his net profits. Differences of as much as $5,000 a year may occur between the net earnings of farmers in the same community, all because of the way the farms are organized and operated, according to H. C. M. Case, head of the farm organization and management department, University of Illinois. But the earnings on the better farms are the result of years of definite effort to establish a profitable system of farming. Mr. Case finds in reviewing the records of farms in the heart of the corn belt.

Based on Facts.

His views are not based on guesses, but on five year records of fifty-one Woodford county farms in central Illinois, where he found that usually the difference in earnings vary more than 10 per cent on the investment between the high farmer and the low farmer in any one year.

"As an average for the five year period, the best farm made 8 1-3 per cent more on the investment than the farm with the lowest earnings, a farm that lost money. The average investment on these farms was $59,225. Hence the difference in the earnings between the high and low farms computed on the average investment would amount to approximately $5,000 a year. For the five year period the difference would amount to approximately $25,000," said this farm management expert.

This difference in five years would be enough to pay cash for half the cost of a 250 acre farm at $200 an acre.

Why Profits Accrued.

The successful farmers followed certain principles in farming while those less successful failed to observe them. In outlining these principles of factors influencing earnings on Illinois farms, Mr. Case finds that good yields help reduce costs; the higher profit crops should be selected; productive live stock reduce costs; good live stock well handled add to the farm income; available man labor must be used advantageously; the supply of horse and mechanical power should fit the farm needs; buildings, machinery and other equipment costs must be under control; production should be planned in accordance with market demands; a good farm layout makes for economical operation; a large volume of business is necessary for profitable farming, and diversity of production is desirable.

One of the important steps in reducing production costs and thereby adding to the farmer's income has come about through the use of improved machinery which is helping to eliminate man labor and save crops that have previously gone to waste, making it possible to do work at the proper time. The greatest improvement has come about in the harvesting of grains.

Reducing the Bills.

E. W. Lehmann, head of the farm mechanics department at the University of Illinois, shows that possibilities of reducing the farmers' yearly bill for the harvesting of small grains with the combined harvester-thrasher, formerly used only in the far west. The use of the combine for four seasons in Illinois has shown that this new outfit in the middle west has striking advantages in the saving of grain and in reducing power and labor required in thrashing.

There are more than 300 combined harvester-thrashers being used in Illinois in the harvesting and thrashing of soy beans, wheat, oats, sweet clover, red clover, timothy, alsike, buckwheat, rye, and barley, according to Mr. Lehmann. He says that tests of the old mower and thrasher method of harvesting soy beans and of the binder and thrasher method show an average loss of about 30 per cent of the crop.

In contrast, the total loss in harvesting beans with the combine has been less than 10 per cent. Reports from individual farmers indicate that the cost of the combine method of harvesting wheat is about one-half the cost where it is handled by the old binder-thrasher method.

Tested Since 1925.

Mr. Lehmann has been testing the efficiency of the combined harvester-thrasher since 1925. A coöperative project is now under way in which agronomists of the university are studying the characteristics of different varieties of crops, planting, and other factors in relation to the combine. Farm management specialists are making a detailed study of costs, too, he said.

In records kept on Charles Johnson's farm in Ellis county, Oklahoma, by Hyer, county agent, it was found that it cost $3 an acre to handle sweet clover with a combined harvester-thrasher, while with the old binder-thrasher method the cost was $12 an acre, or $9 an acre more. Further saving was brought about by catching more of the seed with the combine in a sweet clover field, where the yield was seven bushels to the acre.

Great strides have been made recently in the development of attachments for the combine which will widen the use of this revolutionary machine. Reports from the grain fields of the Pacific coast and the northwest on the use of the combine in handling bound grain and seed crops either loose in windrows or in bundles and stooks or shocks show that it is now practical.

The new attachments for the combine make it possible to overcome the handicap of harvesting grain heavily infested with weeds or where a field is ripening unevenly. The season for using the combines also has been greatly lengthened. Where weedy grain fields are harvested with the combine, which cuts and immediately thrashes the grain all in one operation, there is danger of the grain coming out with a relatively high percentage of moisture.

Handicaps Overcome.

F. H. Higgins of San Leandro, Cal., says that there are three attachments to the regular combine harvester-thrasher. There is the windrow header, which heads the grain, as done in the old days, but drops it alongside the machine in a neat windrow on top of the stubble, where air can pass all around it and quickly dry it out. The second attachment is a windrow pick-up which gently lifts the dried windrow of cut grain when it is ready for the combine. It feeds it into the combine in an endless carpet and functions as a regular combine. The third attachment is a pickup feeder, which handles the bundles or shocks of grain where it has been cut by the binder, the knives cutting the bands and the feeder mechanism holding back the material to feed it evenly into the thrashing part of the combine.

C. D. Kinsman, formerly of Purdue university and later with the federal department of agriculture, has done much of the experimental work with these new attachments. He has seen the pickups successfully handle beans, rice, sweet clover, weedy wheat, barley, oats, Egyptian corn, kaffir, dwarf Milo maize, and most of the field seed crops.

Many of the pickup attachments were used in the Dakotas, California, and western Canada last season.

Shortage of Funds Halts Michigan Tuberculosis Work

GOV. F. W. GREEN officially stopped all tuberculosis eradication work in Michigan this morning because state funds have become exhausted. Health authorities of Chicago, Detroit, and other cities and towns that require the tuberculin testing of cattle are deeply concerned over the governor's action and the effect it will have on future pure milk supplies.

Detroit's new milk ordinance, quite similar to the one now rigidly enforced in Chicago, requiring that all milk come from tuberculin tested cattle under state and federal supervision, went into effect this morning. This has added to the seriousness of the situation in Michigan, where both the retesting and initial testing work has been stopped, making it impossible for many of the dairymen with qualified herds to repeat the test and keep their cows on the approved list of such cities as Chicago and Detroit, according to authorities.

At a Standstill.

Live stock interests at the terminal markets are taking an interest in the Michigan governor's action. H. R. Smith, live stock commissioner of the National Live Stock exchange, Chicago, said yesterday that all tuberculosis eradication work in Michigan must be discontinued immediately unless Gov. Green authorizes the use of an emergency fund or calls a special session of the legislature to bring relief, as was done in Wisconsin. Unless money is made available Michigan's testing work will be kept at a standstill for six months, until the next fiscal year's appropriation becomes available July 1, 1928.

"It is a regrettable situation," said Mr. Smith. "Michigan up to this time has been a leader in the eradication of tuberculosis from its cattle. All of the cattle in forty-nine out of the eighty-three counties in the state have been tuberculin tested, the reactors slaughtered, and the premises disinfected. These counties are now practically free from tuberculosis and are designated by the state and federal government as modified accredited areas. Only one other state, North Carolina, has more accredited counties and there is very little tuberculosis in North Carolina, some counties showing no reactors whatever.

State Funds Exhausted.

"Only four counties in the entire state of Michigan have failed, as yet, to provide funds with which to cooperate with the federal government and the state in the cleaning up of tuberculosis. The federal fund and county funds are ample, but neither can be used without state funds, which are exhausted. If adequate funds had been provided by the last Michigan legislature, the entire state would be practically free from this disease by 1930.

"During the last few years Michigan has been spending $250,000 a year out of the state funds on this project. Legislative hearings attended by farmers and others from all parts of the state were held in Lansing last winter to show how $100,000 per year additional would be needed this biennium because of the demands from Detroit and other cities for pure milk from herds tested for tuberculosis and known to be free. Gov. Green not only refused the additional $100,000 per year, but he cut the regular appropriation $37,500, allowing only $212,000.

"Heretofore when the regular appropriation was used up in the payment of indemnities and other necessary expenses incident to the application of the tuberculin test in the various counties, the predecessors of Gov. Green have authorized the use of a limited amount of money from so-called emergency funds to carry the work along until the regular appropriations would be available. Apparently Gov. Green refused to do this. Unless the situation is met, all the federal and state men engaged in tuberculosis eradication will be withdrawn from the state of Michigan. This is a calamitous situation to the live stock owners of the state, because up to this time Michigan has been in a position to supply the eastern states with clean cattle at very satisfactory prices to the farmers of the state. This stopping of the work is not only a blow to the farmers, but it is a misfortune to every consumer of milk in the state.

"Last April a year ago Gov. Blaine of Wisconsin called a special session of the legislature at the time when the tuberculosis eradication fund became exhausted. The Wisconsin legislature was in session just one day and it was called for no other purpose but to appropriate an emergency fund of $450,000 to carry the work in that state until the next appropriation became available. There was not a single dissenting vote in either house. This is a matter of just as much importance to the people of Michigan as to the people of Wisconsin, and action of some kind is greatly to be desired," Mr. Smith said.

When Dr. Arnold H. Kegel, health commissioner of Chicago, learned that the testing work was to be stopped in Michigan he immediately reviewed the records in the dairy division to see how much of the city's milk supply coming from that state would be affected by Gov. Green's orders.

The new health commissioner declared that during his administration the strict supervision of all milk coming into Chicago will be continued. He explained that Chicago receives 2,000 gallons of cream daily from Michigan, which amounts to about 5 per cent of the total cream supply of the city. This is shipped from five plants located at Charlotte, Galien, Hopkins, Otsego, and Zeeland. These plants hold permits issued by the health department to ship milk or cream to Chicago. The milk supply for these plants is produced on 1,863 farms in Allegan, Barry, Berrien, Eaton, Ingham, Jackson, Ottawa, and Van Buren counties. All of these counties, except Jackson [in which only six herds delivering to these plants are located], have been declared modified accredited areas, in which the percentage of reactors was below one-half of one per cent.

In Chicago.

"The Chicago department of health," said Dr. Kegel, "has expended approximately $9,000 during the last four years on the inspection and grading of the farms and plants in Michigan. This represents an investment which would be wiped out should it be necessary to shut off these five plants, due to failure to maintain the herds supplying them under state and federal supervision. There would probably be no immediate danger of this, due to the fact that these plants shipping to Chicago are all located in modified accredited counties.

"However, the retests on individual herds must be kept up to date, or it is necessary to bar this product from the Chicago market," warned the commissioner.

"The five states from which Chicago draws her milk and cream supply have made splendid progress under the state-federal coöperative tuberculosis eradication plan, and the Chicago department of health would regret very much to see the program in any state crippled, or even suspended for a several months' period," he said.

Fine Record to Date.

It is claimed that no other state has a better record than Michigan in its eradication work. If the testing is stopped for six months it would cost many times the amount of money needed to keep the work going until July 1, when the new appropriation will become available, according to Mr. Smith.

At the present time there are fourteen federal inspectors in Michigan. If the work stops these men will be transferred to other fields and men who are in a position to know say that there will not be the slightest hope of ever having as many return if the work is again taken up. There are also fifteen county veterinarians in the eradication work in Michigan who will have to look for other positions and many of them are not expected to return if they are taken away.

NEW COMBINE WAY



[Photo Courtesy F. H. Higgins.]

WINDROW PICK-UP—Pacific coast grain growers are demonstrating how easily oats are picked up with a combined harvester-thrasher attachment. The grain as shown here is first cut with the windrow header, which heads the grain and drops it alongside the combine in a neat windrow on top of the stubble, where air passes all around it and quickly dries it out.

With this attachment the grain farmer can start harvesting small grain a day or two earlier than he can even with the old binder method. This attachment aids in the harvesting of weedy wheat and other small grain.

FEEDER PICK-UP ATTACHMENT



[Photo Courtesy F. H. Higgins.]

WHERE PITCHFORKS ARE NOT NEEDED—With the combined harvester-thrasher attachment oats (shown in this picture) and other small grain in the shock can be picked up and elevated into the thrasher. This machine cuts the bands and evenly feeds the straw into the thrashing mechanism.

With this attachment, unevenly ripened fields may be cut and shocked and later thrashed with the combine. Under this plan all the labor of loading the bundles from the shock, hauling to a thrashing machine and unloading them is done away with and the cost of harvesting and thrashing is greatly lessened.

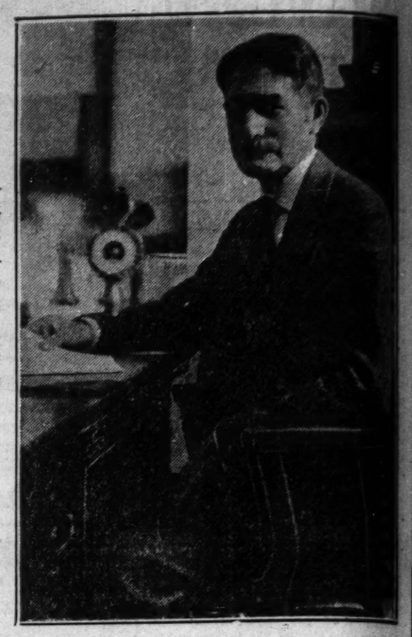
More Motor Trucks Bring Live Stock to Markets

THE INCREASED USE of motor trucks in the hauling of live stock direct from the farm to the terminal markets is indicated in a recent report of the Minnesota highway department. Analysis of one day's shipments to the Union Stock yards at South St. Paul, Minn., shows that on Nov. 29, shipments were received from 162 towns by truck. There were 473 loads, representing 648 separate consignments. Sixty-three per cent came distances of fifty miles or less, but 177 loads, or 37 per cent, came 51 to 110 miles.

The total number of cattle, hogs, calves and sheep received by truck during the first eleven months of 1927 was 550,772, compared to 519,443 in twelve months in 1927. Receipts so far this year are more than eight times as great as in 1920, the year before the trunk highway system was put into effect, says the report.

"Bringing live stock direct over the highways reduces the number of loading and unloading operations, shortens the time from farm to market, and usually brings the stock to the packing houses in better condition," says T. E. Good, president of the South St. Paul yards.

OPTIMISTIC ABOUT FARM



DEAN HERBERT W. MUMFORD of the College of Agriculture, University of Illinois, issues New Year's statement, focusing nation's attention on five bright spots in agriculture's outlook for 1928.

H. W. Mumford Finds Bright Spots in Farm Outlook

IN contrast to the gloom that comes along with many farm relief discussions, there is obvious optimism in the new year's statement dealing with agriculture's outlook issued this morning by Herbert W. Mumford, dean of the college of agriculture, University of Illinois, Urbana, Ill.

Dean Mumford says that while prosperity for the corn belt farmer is not just around the corner waiting to be ushered in, there are at least five bright spots to keep the outlook from being all black as the new season opens.

Bright Spots.

Here are his bright spots:

"Intelligent interest by other industries in the agricultural depression; increased efficiency on the part of the individual farmer; a shift of surplus labor from the farm to the city; broader opportunities for improved standards of living on the farm, and better farm organization."

"Social and economic equality for farming and farmers is a challenge to every citizen, be he farmer, banker or business man, to make such contributions in thought and action as may add something to the desired result. The prize of a readjusted agriculture with restored opportunity to young farmers is so great that I have faith in the forces at work in its accomplishment," Dean Mumford said.

Four different reports on the agricultural situation made within the last few years by different interests are cited by Dean Mumford as evidence that "it is doubtful if other industries have ever taken as intelligent interest in an agricultural depression as they have and are taking in this one."

Opinions of Expert.

Commenting on the increased efficiency of the individual farmer, he said, "It cannot be successfully maintained that the present agricultural distress of farmers in general is due to their inefficiency."

Dean Mumford believes that the shift of population from the farm to the city is to be a good thing for agriculture, because "agriculture needs fewer rather than more workers. Farming is not benefited by having to act as the haven for the unemployed."

Turning to the question of farm organization, he continued: "I believe it true that there were never as many farmers organized who had an intelligent reason for being organized as at the present time. In spite of the criticism that farmers cannot agree on what they want, the facts are that they agree about as well, probably better, than any other six million people that could be assembled and they are making encouraging progress in their ability to coöperate and work together."

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NEWS OF CHICAGO SOCIETY

Social Calendar Lists Gala Affairs

By Mildred Jaklon.

IN a day or two the social city will have returned to normalcy, with only memories remaining of the mad, glad holidays that have just passed. The polite conventionality of New Year's calls, one of the few remnants of formality long dead, helps to establish the even tenor of smart ways after the hectic régime of collegiate youth. Mr. and Mrs. William Stanton Monroe, Mr. and Mrs. Kellogg Fairbank, and Mrs. Joseph B. Long are among those who will have informal New Year's parties, and John Robert Leonard, Daniel Leonard, and the Hibbard Casselberrys will give their annual New Year's affair, a tea dance, from 4 to 7 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at Mr. Leonard's residence, "Wildacre," in Winnetka.

The social calendar includes for the week, also, the Twelfth Night ball at the Stevens hotel on Friday evening, and the unique party ten of the season's most promising buds are to give on Saturday evening at the Casino. The Junior league announces the premiere of its second play of the winter, "The Land of Oz," at the Harris theater on Saturday morning.

A number of affairs are being planned for Prince and Princess A. Obolensky of Paris who are expected to arrive tomorrow, but they have not been made definite yet, pending the inclinations and plans of the visitors.

WEDDINGS

No wedding or engagement announcement will be published in The Tribune unless it bears the signature, address, and telephone number of a parent of either the bride or bridegroom. Announcements should reach the society editor not later than the Wednesday morning preceding the Sunday they are to be published.

Miss Thelma Fowler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Parkes Fowler of Evanston, was married on Dec. 22 to Albert Ruggles Mathias, son of Lee Dowling Mathias and of Mrs. John H. Harries of Chicago. Mr. and Mrs. Mathias are at home at 244 East Pearson street.

Announcement has been made by Mr. and Mrs. Herbert R. Bell of Hammond, Ind., of the marriage of their daughter, Grace Woodhull, to Donald Cutler Blanke, son of Mrs. Everett N. Blanke of Greenwich, Conn., which took place on Dec. 13 in New York City.

Mrs. D. D. Culver of Aurora, Ill., announces the marriage of her daughter, Mildred, to Lloyd W. McDowell of Fort Madison, Ia., which took place on Christmas day.

The marriage is announced of Miss Dorothy Ruckelshausen, daughter of Mrs. Henry Ruckelshausen of Oak Park, to Lloyd W. Jacobs of Norwood, O., which took place on Christmas eve.

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Rose Askenos, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Askenos of Benton Harbor, Mich., to Hyman Cohn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cohn of 1922 Humboldt boulevard.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry M. Rosenblum of Waukegan, Ill., announce the marriage of their daughter, Berdice, to Robert B. Deal of Chicago on Dec. 22.

Mrs. Jennie Moshinsky of 1406 South Albany avenue announces the marriage of her daughter, Ione, to Benjamin Goldfarb, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Goldfarb.

The marriage of Miss Lillian Chavkin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Chavkin of 2701 Haddon avenue, to Leosard Louis Sutker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harris Sutker of 1517 South Spaulding avenue, takes place today.

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Sylvia B. Jacobson of Stoughton, Wis., to Howard W. Dexter of 1525 East 67th place.

ENGAGEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Arlan W. Converse of Winnetka announce the engagement of their daughter, Marcia Burnham, to Donald Olin Cady of Meriden, Conn., son of Mrs. H. Olin Cady of Evanston.

Announcement is made by Mr. and Mrs. John J. Lassahn of 2416 Winona street of the engagement of their daughter, Adele, to Franklin Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell D. Miller of Helena, Mont.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Campbell of 5459 Dorchester avenue announce the engagement of their niece, Lucile Elsie Lyman, to Courtland D. Banks, son of Mrs. Ralph P. Higgins of 4451 Greenwood avenue.

Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Jeannette Moldauer, niece of Mr. and Mrs. William Roller of 3129 Eastwood avenue, to George Kaufman of Chicago.

The engagement is announced of Miss Hazel Wexberg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Wexberg of 3027 Logan boulevard, to Ernest E. Strauss, son of Mrs. David Strauss of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Mooney of Niles Center announce the engagement of their daughter, Marjorie North, to Julian W. Jackson of 5658 South Park way.

Announcement is made by Mr. and Mrs. Bernard F. Knauer of 1215 Norwood street of the engagement of their daughter, Margaret Helen, to Paul Belden Zaring, son of Mrs. Irene B. Zaring of Chicago.

The engagement is announced of Miss Ellen Le Count, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. E. R. Le Count of 5757 Kenwood avenue, to Miller Koeper, son of Mrs. Paul Koeper.

Henry J. Lehmann of Beverly Hills announces the engagement of his daughter, Lorraine Dixon, to William E. Sullivan, son of Michael Sullivan of Bridgeport, Conn.

Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Lydia Joan Bylow of Chicago, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Bylow of Neenah, Wis., to D. Hale Darnold of Kansas City, Mo.

The engagement is announced of Miss Margaret Bowmer Atkinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Letcher Atkinson of Berwyn, to Frank Sargood Giles Williams of Oak Park, son of Mrs. Frank Henry Williams of New Haven, Conn.

The engagement is announced of Miss Cerna Weinstein, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Weinstein of 3844 Congress street, to Milton Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Johnson of 1614 Columbia avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mautner of 1353 Glenlake avenue announce the engagement of their daughter, Louise, to David Paul Greenwald, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Greenwald of Hammond, Ind.

Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Evelyn Ehrenberg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Morris H. Ehrenberg of 2224 Roscoe street, to Manning L. Ware, son of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Ware of 3509 Medill avenue.

The engagement is announced of Miss Virginia Rose Mary Fruin, daughter of Mrs. Lillian M. Fruin of 2506 West Marquette road, to Joseph Francis Naughton, son of Mrs. Mary Naughton of 5141 Luella avenue.

S. A. Grimblot of 5259 Winthrop avenue announces the engagement of his daughter, Isabell, to Harry Lewis, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Lewis of 1618 North Shore avenue.

Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Rosalind E. Chaim, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Chaim of 1521 East 60th street, to Harold Newman, son of Mrs. Jack Newman of 2356 East 70th street.

The engagement is announced of Miss Jeanne Kosvick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harris Kosvick of 5728 South Park avenue, to Irving E. Keer, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Keer of 6845 Ridgeland avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Brotine of 1318 South Harding avenue announce the engagement of their daughter, Anne, to Julius Sloan, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Sloan of 1458 Roosevelt road.

Announcement is made by Mrs. Bertha Davidson of 2236 East 70th street of the engagement of her daughter, Sylvia, to Sidney Newman of Chicago.

The engagement is announced of Miss Edythe Violet Nelson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nelson, to Leonard Allan Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Henry Williams of 2632 Hampden court.

Mr. and Mrs. David Novak of 907 Winona street announce the engagement of their sister, Emily Ginsburgh, to Charles Rubin of 2 South Mayfield avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolpe Armer of 840 Ainslie street announce the engagement of their daughter, Dorothy, to Jules J. Zohler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Zohler of 5838 South Park avenue.

The engagement is announced of Miss Shirley Sheila Zimbler, daughter of Mrs. R. Zimbler of 1829 South Clifton Park avenue, to Dave Bernstein, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bernstein of 4110 Jackson boulevard.

Announcement is made by Mr. and Mrs. David Berman of 1240 South St. Louis avenue of the engagement of their daughter, Evelyn Helen, to George Friedman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Friedman of Chicago.

Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Gertrude Rubin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Rubin of 5405 Ingleside avenue, to Oscar Rifkind.

The engagement is announced of Miss Fannie J. Deutelbaum of 851 Drexel square to Edward I. Friedman.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Laskey of 1401 Olive avenue announce the engagement of their daughter, Martha Jeanne, to Leo Sussland, son of Mrs. Jennie Sussland of 1921 Estes avenue.

The engagement is announced of Miss Rhoda Cohen, daughter of Mr and Mrs. Joseph Cohen of 1218 South Kedzie avenue, to William Levine of 3628 Lexington street.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Dorticos of Park Ridge announce the engagement of their daughter, Carmencita, to Arthur Fergus Mead of Newark, N. J. The wedding will take place in the early summer.

Announcement is made by Mr. and Mrs. George R. Schoof of 3268 Fullerton avenue of the engagement of their daughter, Marjorie, to Henry P. Birkemeier, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Birkemeier of 6114 North Campbell avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Epstein of 5452 Ellis avenue announce the engagement of their daughter, Ruth, to Samuel H. Stern, of Omaha, Neb., and Chicago.

The engagement is announced of



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NANCY POOLE, JOSEPHINE ROGERS, ANN WINSTON, NANCY FORGAN, MARY GARDNER, SALLY GARDEN, [Standing in back], PRISCILLA CURTIS, AND DOROTHY YOUNG.

MRS. KENT S. CLOW AND MRS. ROBERT A. GARDNER.



MRS. THORNE DONNELLEY, MASON PHELPS, MRS. WILLIAM E. CLOW JR., MRS. FARWELL WINSTON, AND WILLIAM E. CLOW JR.

THE Winter club in Lake Forest is promoting ice sports and skating among its members and their families. A large and jolly crowd turned out on Monday for a program of fancy skating by some imported performers. Donald B. Douglas, Hempstead Washburne, Thorne Donnelley, A. B. Dick Jr., and John H. McIlvaine Jr. are among the ringleaders in the arrangements. One of the amusing features of the affair was the bull fight staged by Mr. McIlvaine and Mr. Donnelley as the bull, and A. B. Dick Jr. as the matador.



ALBERT BLAKE DICK JR. AND WILLIAM H. MITCHELL.

Miss Edith Mary Skinner, daughter of Mrs. Ida M. Skinner of 2432 Fargo avenue, to William Roy Turgeon, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Turgeon of 4861 North Washtenaw avenue.

Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Rose Greenberg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Greenberg of the Envoy hotel, to Richard Culbert, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Culbert of 6517 North Ashland avenue.

SOCIETY PERSONALS

Senator and Mrs. James E. MacMurray of the Hotel Windermere are to depart on Saturday for a trip around the world.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Malloch of 1532 Thome avenue have had as their guests for the holidays their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Vilas M. Swan of Rochester, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel S. Hork of 3520 Sheridan road announce the birth of a daughter on Dec. 22 at St. Luke's hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Rose have returned from their wedding trip and are residing at the Flamingo hotel. Mrs. Rose was Miss Reeva Alfremow before her marriage, which took place on Thanksgiving day.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Anderson of 6346 Euclid avenue and their niece, Miss Lucile Caroline Berggren, departed on Wednesday to motor to Miami, Fla., where they plan to be for the remainder of the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Granville Revere Lewis III. of Wilmette have returned from a sojourn in New York City, Baltimore, and Lynchburg, Va. Mrs. Lewis was formerly Miss Natalie Madeline Yonkers. Her sister, Mrs. George Albert Zabriskie, and the latter's small son have also returned from New York City, where they have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cornell Zabriskie.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar L. Goodspeed of 5705 Woodlawn avenue are sojourning at the Edgewater Golf hotel, between Gulfport and Biloxi, Miss.

Miss Grace Sollitt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sumner Sollitt of 3995 Ellis avenue, has been spending the holidays from her studies at Sweet Briar college with her parents. Miss Sollitt is a senior and editor in chief of the college weekly.

Chronicler Looks Back Over the Year

By Mme. X.

GOOD-BY, 1927! Hail, 1928! And a Happy New Year to all my readers!

One more lap of what the late Charles Frohman, victim of the sinking of the Lusitania, called "the great adventure" has ended. It is the moment to pause and take a look, both back over the past and forward into the future. What changes have come in that social outfit which is supposed to be the especial concern of this pillar of polite piffle? How are our customs, manners, fashions, and outlook altered? Along what route are we going? Who of those with whom we have been traveling have solved the great riddle? Whither is this mighty experiment tending and what is our part in its direction?

These are many questions and this is the moment for asking them. As to our customs, manners, fashions, and outlook—to the unbiased observer it seems that a custom, one more honored in the breach than in the observance, that of drinking too much, which certainly prevailed not so many years ago, in the period immediately following the passing of the eighteenth amendment, is, in social circles, slowly diminishing and passing away. Not that we do not see our good friends occasionally under the influence of liquor, but it is not nearly so universal as it was, and especially among women and young girls is it becoming much rarer.

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A Practical Reason.

It must be confessed that, perhaps, the chief motive for this change among the fair sex lies not so much in the horror of putting that in the mouth that doth steal the soul away as because it has proved destructive of health and good looks. It is a curious fact that women who become addicts to this habit lose whatever they may have in the way of beauty much more completely and permanently than do men. A reformed man drunkard can become again attractive in appearance. A woman who has once been marked by the habit is never henceforth fair to look upon.

Our manners, too, have improved in the last few years, even in the year just gone. You see fewer young men in the casual attire of dinner coat and black tie at formal parties. The youth of the day is also much more punctilious in its attitude toward the elders of the tribe. That bumptiousness which became so evident directly after the war, that tendency to assert freedom and independence among this contingent is not nearly so obvious as formerly.

The fashions for women which govern our outward appearance and our backgrounds have developed along some interesting lines. While the skirts may be as short as they were last year, there are appearing at the sides or in the back draperies that fly out and sweep about the shorter under skirt in a way to suggest an approaching return to longer dresses. The slinking outline and utter annihilation of any evidence of hips is giving way to a bouffant treatment at the waist line that looks ominous to those females who are inclined to be both short and plump.

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Designed for the Slim.

These newer frocks are so evidently designed for the tall and slim that the rest of womankind can only beseech that their squatter outlines also will be considered. Are the walking bird cages of the Spanish Infantas returning to make life a burden? It is to be hoped not. Also, we pray the powers that govern modes not to withdraw entirely those heathgiving short skirts and loose blouses. And we beg them to leave us the small, close fitting hats that shade the eyes and make us independent of strong breezes.

As to the immediate outlook of the social world, it is both interesting and cheerful. While there are many of our social leaders who are already beginning to pack up their trunks in order to flit to warmer climes, there will be enough of this hospitable contingent left to fill our days with entertainment and our evenings with gayety. It is hardly probable that January, however, will see as many big balls as did departed December, whose lists were full of these festive affairs. The two principal events of this kind that are ahead on our calendars are the Twelfth Night ball, which will take place Jan. 6, and second Assembly ball, dated for Jan. 9.

Never were there more sumptuous invitations sent out by any ball committee than those lustrous silver and gilt bids issued by the Twelve Knights in charge of these historic and brilliant Twelfth Night balls. These affairs have far outgrown their origin, that was the jolly and informal dances the late Billy Gamble invented, got up and managed practically alone and unaided, and to which he first gave the name Butchers and Bakers, later changing it to Twelfth Night ball.

This year this gay contingent has selected one of the most poetic, imaginative, exquisite stories in history as the episode to be illustrated by the guests and the ball room. Nothing in all literature and ancient records is quite so fascinating as the legend of Atlantis, the lost island in the ocean off the northwest coast of Africa, which with its inhabitants and civilization is said to have disappeared beneath the waves. There are many who believe that these strange tales, handed down by word of mouth for countless generations, were founded on fact; that once there existed such an island peopled by a race far ahead of the rest of their contemporaries in civilization and accomplishments. By some it was believed to be a sort of matriarchy, a forerunner of today when women are supposed to be coming to the fore as custodians of culture and ideals.

In the surging mists of the unfathomable past the vision of Atlantis rises in prismatic splendor. Those seeking to express it in costume can indulge all their fervid and brilliant imaginings. The ball ought to be one of the most colorful and exquisite of the long line of these fancy dress dances. If, like some, you thought the ornamental invitation was a Christmas card or advertisement, hasten to retrieve it and

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prepare to accept it, or you will miss one of the gayest parties of 1928.

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The Second Assembly.

While some of those who attended the first Assembly ball of this season at the Congress hotel on Nov. 9 have departed for the west or the south or even further afield, there are enough of the well known folk, the very fabric of our social life, to provide a representative and brilliant gathering at the second of these annual fêtes. There is there a friendly atmosphere together with an elegance which makes these balls one of the loftiest of the winter's high spots.

To the young they may lack that element of final gayety which they think that they alone can impart, but to their elders who delight in these reunions there is a really chic and cosmopolitan air which is not to be attained without a certain knowledge of life and the world unattainable by mere youth.

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A Gay Month.

In the annals of our social doings, December, 1927, will go down as having been one of the gayest in Chicago's history. There were over twenty balls and dinner dances in those thirty-one days given by and for Chicago's "pretty world." This does not include the many large dinners, the beautiful musicals, and other evening entertainments which enlivened the month.

On Dec. 2 the James Weber Linns gave a dinner dance at the Blackstone for their debutante daughter, Miss Elizabeth Linn. On the following evening Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Richardson were hosts at a dinner dance at the Casino to introduce their daughter, Miss Frances Richardson. That same evening Mr. and Mrs. Philip Hosmer introduced their daughter, Miss Jessie Hosmer, at a dinner dance given in the Fortnightly's rooms.

Dec. 9 saw the first of the two Assembly balls at the Congress hotel. Dec. 16 was the date of the Actors' Equity ball at the Aragon, one of the season's gayest affairs. That same evening Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Borland and Mr. and Mrs. James C. Hutchins gave a dinner dance at the Casino.

On the twentieth of the month Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rumsey were hosts at a ball at the Blackstone for their debutante daughter, Miss Elizabeth Rumsey, and for another debutante, Miss Barbara Neff. The night after at the same place another debutante, Miss Roberta Harvey, made her bow at a ball given by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Harvey.

Dec. 22 Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Munroe presented their daughter, Miss Josephine Munroe, also at a ball at the Blackstone. The same ballroom was selected by Robert Carr for the ball he gave the night after in honor of his debutante daughter, Miss Louise Carr.

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On Christmas Eve.

On Dec. 24 Mr. and Mrs. John Blair were hosts at a dinner dance in the French foyer of the Palmer house, the occasion being the debut of their daughter, Miss Elizabeth Blair.

In the Red Lacquer room of the same hostelry Miss Virginia Vilas and her brother, Royal C. Vilas Jr., invited their young friends to a dinner dance that night. On Dec. 26 Mr. and Mrs. James W. Morrison were hosts at a dinner in honor of their daughter, Miss Rosemary Morrison, in the Red Lacquer room of the Palmer house. Later that same evening Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Dennehy gave a ball at the Blackstone for their daughter, Miss Eleanor Dennehy.

The night after Mr. and Mrs. John D. C. Towne gave a ball at the Blackstone for Mrs. Towne's debutante daughter, Miss Dorothy Vilas. Mrs. Jacob Baur was hostess at a dinner dance that same evening for her debutante daughter, Miss Rosemary Baur, at the Casino. Henry H. Porter gave a ball the succeeding evening at the Blackstone for one of the season's debutantes, Miss Louise Brewer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Harris Brewer. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brewster gave a dinner dance preceding the ball for Miss Brewer and the younger set at their residence, 2710 Lake View avenue.

That same evening Mr. and Mrs. Gustavus Swift and Mr. and Mrs. Huntington Henry gave a dance at the Casino for their young people. Mrs. Howard Shaw was hostess before this event at a dinner for her young daughter, Miss Frances Theodora Shaw.

On Dec. 30 Mr. and Mrs. Frank Logan gave a Russian ball at the Palmer house in honor of their granddaughter, Miss Josephine Munroe. The last night, the final effort of the year, the only large entertainment of society was the even smacking of the dance given at the Bal Tabarin by the members of the new Tavern club, so completely has Mr. Volstead undermined old established custom and destroyed that long accepted method of drinking out the old and drinking in the new year. Probably there are not nearly so many headaches this morning as used to be the case.

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New Year's Functions.

Today's most conspicuous social function is the buffet luncheon which Mr. and Mrs. Kellogg Fairbank are giving at their residence, 1244 North State street. This has become an institution and to have the first day of the year come and go without this opportunity to have a gay rendezvous with the various interesting folk who compose our society would seem a real hardship to most of us. The Fairbanks know and cherish many different kinds of people, including the literary, artistic, musical, fashionable, the young, and not so young, members of our older families and newcomers, so that one is sure there of ushering in the young year in as excellent company as can be gathered together in Chicago. The afternoon always ends in singing in which, one after another, the entire company joins.

Another annual event in the social world to usher in the new year is the reception which Mr. and Mrs. William Stanton Monroe and Miss Harriet Monroe are in the habit of giving on this day. This year, as 1928 is born on a Sunday, they are asking their friends in on the official New Year's day, which is tomorrow, when they will be received from four to seven o'clock at the Monroe apartment, 64 East Elm street.

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Empty Places.

Looking back once more on the year that has just passed into history, your chronicler notes many vacancies in the ranks of those who made up our social and civic life. Men and women of high standing among us, fellow citizens who meant much to Chicago, who were delightful companions, some of them childhood playmates to many of us, have passed out and on into that great silence that hems all of us in, from which we come and into which we go.

It seems as if more deaths came in the late winter or early spring than at any other period of the year. Between January 1 and May Ernest Hamill, Ambrose Cramer, George F. Porter, Benjamin Carpenter, Dexter Fairbank, Howard Shaw, Mrs. James Keeley (dear Gertrude Keeley), all answered the great summons.

In the summer Ogden Armour, whose name was known around the globe, also left the warm and cheerful precincts of this life, while in the autumn came the shocking disaster which ended the lives of that devoted couple, Mr. and Mrs. John J. Mitchell. This necrological list is, I know, incomplete and inadequate. These all were friends and neighbors who, in their departure, left vacancies that never can be filled in the rest of the march. We must just close up ranks and go on our strange and mysterious road. Do you remember this ancient toast?

"Here's to Life!
Our entrance to it is naked and bare;
Our progress through it is heavy with care;
Our exit from it is to God knows where;
But if you're all right here you're all right there."

And these friends above cited were all right here, so we may be sure they're all right there.

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A Fine Performance.

The talent Chicago's society folk develop as they go along their chosen ways is always a matter of keen interest to the provider of this social pabulum. There is that exquisite, incredibly young, unbelievably determined, and perfectly plucky Elinor Patterson who is now in the delightful company presenting that whimsical and charming satire, "Behold This Dreamer," at the Blackstone theater. She seems more like an ethereal, mystical maiden when she first comes on the stage than a flesh and blood Miss. She plays her rôle from first to last consistently and efficiently, though preserving the same nunlike quality that gained her renown when she alternated with Lady Diana Manners and Iris Tree in "The Miracle" last year.

The piece itself is a delicious and very delicate satire, and the company is excellent. Young Glenn Hunter and that veteran of theaterdom, Thomas A. Wise, are irresistible, and are ably supported by the other actors, Patricia O'Hearn (utterly amusing), William Lorenz, Mary Jane Herring, J. J. Hyland, Edward Donnelly, and James Seeley. Each of those in the cast was so good in his or her rôle that the company was able to put over a subtle comedy which needed the best kind of acting to reach the average theatergoing public. Nor am I talking in this laudatory fashion because I am on the W. G. N. staff and Elinor Patterson is a great-granddaughter of the founder of THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE. I'm not supposed to be a dramatic critic and could stay off the subject with great propriety if I did not want to testify to the real pleasure I enjoyed at the Blackstone last Tuesday evening.

It was an unexpected enjoyment, I must confess. It is so seldom that one really likes those of our friends and social acquaintances who take to the stage. Even when they write very clever books the consciousness of their personalities stands between us and genuine pleasure in their work. As for giving a fair judgment on the merits or demerits of the achievements of our close kin, our blood relations, whether in literature, or art, or music, or the stage—well, it's not possible. In writing of Elinor Patterson I am dilating on one whom I don't know now, though I did when she was a little girl. Then to an outsider there was little indication of the present very unusual and purposeful personality.

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Irene Castle Takes Up Pen.

The other unexpected development of talent in a socially prominent young woman is the case of Mrs. Frederic McLaughlin, who is blossoming out into a writer of no mean order. In a series of articles she is now contributing to Liberty she is proving herself as adept with the pen as she was as a dancer when she set a new fashion in this oldest of human modes of expression.

She writes under the name she made so famous when, as Irene Castle, she delighted the gay world on both sides of the Atlantic with her grace and charm. In a serial called, "Things We Remember," now appearing, she gives an account both thrilling and humorous of her life from the time she married Vernon Castle, a man in his life as famous as she as a creator of a new mode of dancing. The latest chapter in this series is one of the most entertaining of recent contributions to current periodicals.

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Whither Are We Tending?

Whither, to return to my opening paragraph, is this age tending? Is it towards the greater happiness and satisfaction of the majority? I think that in this country it is. We are nowhere near the goal of our desires, but we are on the road toward it. We are in a transition era out of which promises to grow a better, higher civilization. We are casting off old superstitions, old customs, old ideas of what constitutes right and wrong. We are giving a greater value to truth as far as we can see it, and also to candor. The prudishness that prevailed during what we call the Victorian age is falling from us like a worn out garment. It covered a lot of nastiness. We are outgrowing traditions that bound our ancestors in chains. We are much farther along the path towards ultimate spiritual sanity and freedom than many of us realize, with a better sense of relative values.

It seems old fashioned, these days, to look up to people because of some fancied inherited superiority or caste. Kings and queens, princes and nobles and such like are becoming quaint relics of the past. Even wealth does not confer that exalted state it once did. Can a rich man get a high office, one in the gift of the people? He cannot. Have we ever elected a financial magnate to the presidency of the United States of America—the most powerful position today existing? We have not.

In our social life there is an increasing regard for the essentials in human companionship. Social leaders are also leaders in the philanthropies in a community. More and more are women beginning to understand their responsibilities to the state. The nineteenth amendment will in time be a reality to them, something which they will use to the advantage of the country.

Social usages, too, are becoming saner. Overeating is not nearly so prevalent as it was a generation or two ago. Work as an accompaniment to daily life is becoming the mode among the young women of the time. Few of them are contented with the former state of domestic inertia which tied them to the parental apron strings, waiting for marriage. In fact, if they don't get out of the home of their own accord their parents are apt to do so for them, turning them out to find their calling in the strenuous battle for existence.

Could our grandparents return they would find a very different state of things in daily life from that which they left behind them. The automobile, the radio, electricity in its many forms, have all changed the face of existence and released women from much former drudgery. Freedom and sanity, those are today's passwords.



MISS PRISCILLA HELENA ZAHN.
[De Haven Photo.]
Mr. and Mrs. Albert H. Zahn of the Sutherland hotel, 4659 Drexel boulevard, announce the engagement of their daughter, Priscilla Helena, to Burton Victor Baruszak, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Baruszak of 5421 Dorchester avenue.



MISS EVELYN WYNNE OLSON.
[Bloom Photo.]
Mr. and Mrs. Olof Olson of 532 Hinman avenue, Evanston, announce the engagement of their daughter, Evelyn Wynne, to E. Walter Erickson.



MRS. ROBERT SIM REINACH.
[Toloff Photo.]
Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Ginsburg of Muskogee, Okla., announce the marriage of their daughter, Eleanor, to Robert Sim Reinach. Mr. and Mrs. Reinach are to reside at 7657 Sheridan road.



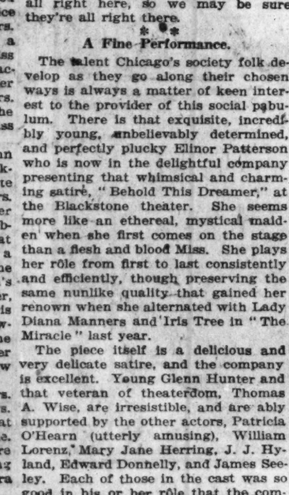
MISS RUTH MARGUERITE KRAFTHEFER.
[Holbrook Photo.]
Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Krafthefer of Wilmette announce the engagement of their daughter, Ruth Marguerite, to Edward B. Casey of 1515 Pratt boulevard.



MISS HAZEL STROUBE ANDERSON.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Anderson of 3429 West 62d place announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Hazel Stroube, to Walter E. Marks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Marks of 1475 West 72d street, which will take place Jan. 7. Mr. Marks was 1926 captain of the University of Chicago football team, and is now football coach at Indiana State Normal college at Terre Haute, Ind., where he and his bride will reside.



MISS OLINE ELIZABETH TAYLOR.
[Roehlk Photo.]
Mr. and Mrs. Tracy J. Taylor of 5436 Harper avenue announce the engagement of their daughter, Oline Elizabeth, to Jacob Brandt Olwin, son of Mr. and Mrs. William G. Olwin of Peoria, Ill. Miss Taylor is a graduate of the National Kindergarten and Elementary college, and Mr. Olwin attended the University of Chicago, and is a member of Phi Kappa Sigma fraternity.



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WOMEN'S CLUB · PAGE

Federation to Hold Midwinter Meeting

By Kate Webber.

HAPPY NEW YEAR!

Starting in with a whirl of activity — social, cultural, and civic—the women's clubs of the first ten districts, comprising Chicago and vicinity, are in a fair way to make the last half of the club season a red letter period.

The seventh congressional district of the Illinois Federation of Women's clubs is setting the pace for other districts by its midwinter meeting to be held on Thursday at the Albany Park Methodist church, Wilson and Albany avenues. A full program will take up both morning and afternoon sessions, with Mrs. Walter W. Seymour, state president, as guest and principal speaker after luncheon. Reports of district chairmen and plans of work for the remainder of the year will fill the morning.

The seventh district covers the northwest side of the city, embracing in addition the towns of Edison Park, Park Ridge, Norwood Park, Forest Glen, Mont Clare, Arlington Heights, Mount Prospect, Des Plaines, and Barrington. There are thirty-five clubs in the membership, with a total of 3,200 women, and the district is, of course, affiliated with the state federation and has been since 1898. The district has coöperated with the state in each of its sixteen departments of work, and has paid to the endowment in excess of $3,000.

Study Classes Featured.

During the last season the district has attempted a unique bit of work by organizing and financing study classes, which have become so popular that they promise to become regular features of the district activity. Since October Dr. Franklin Bliss Snyder has conducted literature classes each week and, beginning in late February, Miss Caroline McIlvaine will give a course of illustrated lectures on the history of the state.

Another group of women in the community have completed a ten hour course in parliamentary law under Mrs. Maurice H. Lieber, and this month will take up a course in public speaking.

All departments of the district are active. The philanthropic department concentrates its work on the four settlement houses in the district. One large affair is given each year to finance the department's activities. The affair this year is to be a card party on Feb. 29 at the Edgewater Beach hotel.

District Park Created.

The conservation department has been instrumental in having a strip of land in the Edgebrook forest preserve set aside as a district park. Bird baths, rustic seats, a monumental arch, and a flagpole will be placed there as testimonials to the district work.

Mrs. Ole Jensen is chairman of the friendly coöperation with ex-service men committee, which has just completed a splendid bit of Christmas cheer work for former soldiers. The week before Christmas members went to Elgin laden with 1,500 packages for the 430 world war veterans at the hospital there. This is typical of the work carried on constantly by this department. Similar parties have been given at the Municipal Tuberculosis sanitarium, Great Lakes hospital, and North Chicago hospital.

The district has had fourteen presidents, most of whom are still interested in, and many of them active in club work, one having died. Officers for the current year are Mrs. J. M. Laventhal, president; Mrs. W. E. Adams and Mrs. F. J. Fielding, vice presidents; Mrs. T. A. Jordan, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Charles Peters, recording secretary; Mrs. John E. Eipper, treasurer.



MRS. DUDLEY J. STEVISON.



MRS. EDWIN O. GRIFFENHAGEN.
[Bayhuff-Richter Photo.]



MRS. J. M. LAVENTHAL.
[Montfort Photo.]

THE Woodlawn Woman's club, with a membership of more than 300 women, is beginning the last half of one of the most interesting seasons in its career, under the leadership of the president, Mrs. Dudley J. Stevison. New departments recently added to the club are the junior members, the information bureau, and the committee which keeps account of members who are ill or incapacitated for active work.

The Chicago College club will keep open house tomorrow afternoon at its attractive quarters at 196 East Delaware place. Mrs. Edwin O. Griffenhagen, president, the officers and a large committee will receive the guests.

Mrs. J. M. Laventhal is president of the seventh congressional district, Illinois Federation of Women's Clubs, which will have its midwinter meeting on Thursday at the Albany Park Methodist church. An account of the district activities may be found in today's club news.



MRS. FRANK M. FULTON.

The Chicago Woman's Ideal club, of which Mrs. Frank M. Fulton is president, will give a program of music and theatricals next Saturday evening at the Blackstone for the husbands of members. Mrs. Serai Goldman is chairman of the program for the evening, which will have stars in theatrical productions now appearing as headliners. Sidney Smith of The Tribune also will speak.

DOWNTOWN CLUBS

The board of directors of the first district, I. F. W. C., will meet tomorrow morning at headquarters. There will be a meeting of the public welfare department at 2 o'clock. On Tuesday morning the literature department will meet, and the committee on coöperation with war veterans will meet on Wednesday morning, as will the legislative committee. There will be a meeting of the education department on Friday morning.

Two dramas, "Ropes" and the "The Flattering Word," will be presented at the Chicago Woman's club next Wednesday at 2 o'clock by the Chicago Art theater.

Tomorrow will be a holiday, the rooms to be closed all day. On Tuesday there will be a special meeting of the board of managers at 10 o'clock, and at the same hour the house committee will meet. At 11 o'clock the book review group will meet. The two classes in Italian will meet at the usual hours.

On Wednesday there will be an executive committee meeting of the education and philosophy department at 10 o'clock, followed by a business meeting of the department at 10:30 o'clock. At 10:30 the art class will meet to continue the study of monuments and mural decorations in Illinois. The three classes in French will meet at the usual hours.

On Thursday the English study class will meet at 10:30 to study character sketches. On Friday the class in current events will meet. On Saturday the American speech committee will meet at 11 o'clock, and at 12:30 o'clock the education and philosophy department will give a luncheon, when Hughes Mearns of New York university will speak on "The Conservation of Youth Power."

Events of the week at the Woman's City club include the meeting of the education of the adult foreigner committee on Wednesday at 11:45 o'clock, and at 2:30 George Utley of Newberry library will speak on "European Libraries," before the book review committee. On Thursday at noon the clean city committee will have a meeting. The recreation committee will have a self-service luncheon on Friday and at 1 o'clock the municipal citizenship committee will meet for luncheon when Shelby Singleton, secretary of the Citizens' association of Chicago, will speak on "What Is Chicago's Method of Filling the Office of Adult Probation Officer."

The midwinter business meeting of the Chicago Woman's Aid will be held on Tuesday at 2 o'clock, when reports of committees and delegates will be given by the various chairmen. On Thursday at 11 o'clock the first of a course of lectures of the civics and philanthropy department will be given by Irving St. John Tucker.

Mrs. May Wood Simons, president, and the directors of the Woman's University club have extended invitations for a housewarming on Thursday from 2 until 5 o'clock in the new club rooms, 5 North Wabash avenue.

Mrs. Allen Howes will speak on the origin and progress of French music to the 18th century on Tuesday at the meeting of Le Cercle Français. There also will be music.

Dr. Gilmore Scott of Franklin college, Franklin, Ind., will speak at the meeting of the Daughters of Indiana on Tuesday afternoon.

Dr. Frank Nugent Freeman, Dr. Herman Adler, and Dr. Julius Toren will speak at the meeting of the Central Council of Childhood Education on Saturday at 11 o'clock in the Central Eleanor club rooms.

Miss Anna Lynch will be the guest at a luncheon to be given on Saturday at 12:30 o'clock by the Chicago College club. A card party followed by tea also will be given on that day.

A luncheon will be given on Jan. 4 at Marshall Field's by the Colonial Coverlet Guild of America. G. M. Moritz will speak.

Henry Turner Bailey of the Cleveland public schools will speak at the meeting of the Catholic Woman's league on Saturday afternoon, after which there will be a social hour.

There will be a meeting of the Daughters of the Renaissance on Tuesday afternoon at the usual time and place.

The January meeting of the Osteopathic Woman's club will be held on Thursday at the Eleanor club rooms, with Dr. Fannie E. Carpenter as the speaker.

The monthly luncheon meeting of the P. E. O. sorority will be held on Wednesday at 12 o'clock at Marshall Field's.

"The Evolution of Dress" will be the subject of the meeting of the Chicago Woman's Ideal club on Thursday at the Blackstone. The club will give its annual dinner dance on Saturday evening at the Blackstone.

The executive committee of the Cook County W. C. T. U. will meet on Tuesday at 2 o'clock in room 811 Capitol building. County department directors will give reports, as will local union presidents.

Mrs. John E. Gilchrist will speak at the meeting of the Dames of the Loyal Legion tomorrow at the Morrison hotel.

NORTH SIDE CLUBS

Mrs. Arthur L. Farwell of 1301 Ritchie court is giving the use of her house for the first of a series of lectures on child study on Thursday at 3 o'clock. The lectures are being sponsored by the board of directors of the Lower North Child Guidance center, which is maintained at 1120 North Clark street under the supervision of the Institute for Juvenile Research of the University of Chicago. It serves the community by examining and treating children who manifest behavior difficulties in home, school or community. Mrs. George B. Foster is chairman of ticket sales.

Mrs. Charles W. Hubbard will speak on "The Arts and Crafts of China" at the meeting of the Rogers Park Woman's club on Tuesday afternoon.

The monthly meeting of the Uptown League of Women Voters will be held on Wednesday at the Algonquin hotel, when William F. Mulvihill will speak on "Our Waterways."

Legislation which affects the home will be the subject for discussion at the noon meeting of the Lake View Woman's club on Tuesday. Victor S. Yarros will speak at 2:30 o'clock.

The Irving Park Woman's club will give a dinner dance on Saturday evening at the Edgewater Beach hotel.

Correct table settings and decorations will be discussed at the meeting of the Sauganash Woman's club on Tuesday afternoon, and there also will be music.

Genevieve Forbes Herrick will speak at the meeting of the Temple Emanuel Sisterhood on Tuesday afternoon.

A mothers' and daughters' program will feature the meeting of the Mount Sinai Hospital Service club on Tuesday afternoon at the Edgewater Beach hotel.

There will be a business meeting of the Virginia Colony club on Wednesday at 12 o'clock at the Belden Stratford hotel, after which there will be luncheon and cards.

The Altar and Rosary society of St. Thomas of Canterbury church will give a card party tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock at 4827 Kenmore avenue.

A musical will be given at the meeting of the Joyce Kilmer league on Tuesday evening at the Rogers Park Woman's club.

SOUTH SIDE CLUBS

Prof. Davis Edwards will give an interpretation of Deems Taylor's "The King's Henchman" on Friday afternoon before the members of the Arché club. The art class will meet at 11 o'clock.

Mrs. Thomas M. Lineweaver will speak on "New Gateways to Education for Women Workers in Industry" on Tuesday afternoon at the meeting of the Windsor Park Woman's club.

Rufus W. Putnam and Prof. Jerome Kerwin will speak on "The Problems of Water Power" at a dinner to be given on Tuesday evening at 6:30 o'clock at 6207 University avenue under the auspices of the Sixth Ward League of Women Voters.

The Chrysolite club will hold its first meeting of the new year on Tuesday at the Windermere hotel. A business meeting of the executive board at 10 o'clock will be followed by a business and industrial meeting, luncheon, and a card party for members and guests.

ENGAGED



MISS ANNETTE EDITH HELLER.
[Boehik Photo.]

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Heller of 4937 Woodlawn avenue have announced the engagement of their daughter, Annette Edith, to Alan J. Altheimer of 4858 Drexel boulevard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice L. Altheimer of Little Rock, Ark. Miss Heller is a student at the Sherwood School of Music, and Mr. Altheimer is a graduate of the Columbia University School of Law, '25.

CLUB ETHICS - - - *By Maude Swalm Evans*

"IT'S time for New Year's resolutions again. I suppose you have yours all down in black and white," said the secretary when she talked with the treasurer at a holiday gathering. "You're always on time with everything."

"I've been thinking about that resolution business," answered the treasurer, "and I've decided it would be lots more exciting to draw up resolutions for someone else rather than for oneself."

"I'm sure it would be, now I think of it," affirmed the secretary. "Take, for instance, the member of our club who always writes fault-finding, sarcastic letters to me when anything in the club goes contrary to her liking. I've had three from her so far this week."

"How would this do? 'Resolved, that hereafter when I write a letter that isn't happy and courteous I'll mail it to myself and find out how it sounds when it's cold.'"

"Fine!" commended the secretary. "And there's the member who is always right and is always admitting it—you know her?"

"Here's one for her," replied the treasurer. 'Resolved, that I'll admit I'm wrong once in a while, during the coming year, whether or not I think I am.'"

"We're getting along famously," laughed the secretary. "How about the one who takes office and doesn't do the work. What have you for her?"

"She's probably discovered that the reward of work well done is more work. Let's see—how's this—'Resolved, that hereafter I'll do well what I promise to do, but I'll be exceedingly careful when it comes to promising.'"

"So far I've provided all the material for your resolutions," declared the secretary. "It's your turn, now."

"It was meeting a woman who I thought should reform her ways that started me to thinking about an exchange of New Year's resolutions," returned the treasurer. "She's never belonged to a club, yet she blames everything that goes wrong at home and abroad on the club woman. Here's mine for her: 'Resolved, that before I believe anything more against the club woman I'll join a club and find out what it's all about'."

Question.

May we make by-laws for our club that conflict with our parliamentary authority?

Reply.

A club is a law unto itself as long as it does not conflict with the state law. Parliamentary authority governs only in matters not covered by constitution, by-laws, or standing rules.

It will be new members' day on Wednesday at the Beverly Hills Woman's club.

Mrs. John Borrowdale will be hostess for a meeting of the Martha Washington club on Friday afternoon, when Mrs. Walter W. Seymour will be a guest.

An all day program will feature the meeting of the Woodlawn Woman's club on Tuesday. A class in better speech and reports of departmental activities will take up the morning session. In the afternoon there will be a musical program and a talk by Leonard A. Barrett.

There will be a meeting of the board of the South Side Catholic Woman's club on Thursday morning, followed by a program in the afternoon in charge of the social service department. The Rev. Eugene McGuinness will speak.

Mrs. Minna Schmidt will be the speaker at the meeting of the Hamilton Park Woman's club on Tuesday afternoon. There will be a morning session in charge of the American citizenship and legislative department.

Election of officers for the woman's auxiliary of the Oakhaven Old People's home will be held on Thursday at 6401 Harvard avenue. Luncheon will be served.

Dr. Gerson B. Levi will give a book review at the meeting of the Temple Sisterhood on Wednesday afternoon.

WEST SIDE CLUBS

Open house for members and guests will be the feature of the West End Woman's club meeting on Friday afternoon. There will be a program of music.

A talk and exhibit of old china will constitute the program at the meeting of the Hull House Woman's club on Wednesday.

The music department of the Millard Avenue Woman's club will have charge of the program at the meeting on Friday afternoon at Shedd Park community house.

SUBURBAN CLUBS

A book review will be given at the meeting of the drama department of the Western Springs Woman's club on Friday afternoon.

A program of songs and music will feature the meeting of the La Grange Woman's club on Tuesday afternoon.

ISN'T IT ODD?

By William Atherton Du Puy

ISN'T it odd that man should have found it possible to make a strong, vigorous plant with roots in the ground that it has taken years to develop, adopt a spindling little seedling, and transfer all its vigor to its foster child!

Here is the way it is done. A vigorous peach tree may be growing in the orchard. It is four years old but produces very ordinary peaches. This man, however, was last year traveling in the west and, when his train stopped at some way station, he bought a basket of peaches. They were the best he had ever eaten and so he saved the seeds. He planted them and the next summer they were growing slowly as delicate little plants. This man knew it would take six or eight years before these plants would come into bearing.

So he decided to give them stepmothers to help them along. He took them up with balls of dirt about their roots. He went to the four-year-old peach tree and scraped out a bit of a trough in its bark; he also scaped the outer bark from the side of the tiny seedling. Then he bound the wounds in these two plants firmly together.

The older tree was getting abundant nourishment from its roots. The seedling was getting enough nourishment from its ball of dirt to keep it going for a while. But the trees grew together at the wound. Presently the seedling began to draw on the older tree for nourishment. In the end it got all its vitality from this source. It began to grow faster than if it had depended on its own roots. Finally the roots of the young tree and the top of the old one were cut off. This turned all the vigor of this four-year-old tree into the seedling. It grew as such a young plant had never grown before. In the second year, so full of vigor was it, that it bore fruit. The owner of the orchard got some of his choice peaches in two years, instead of six.

This use of the stepmother tree has proven a great help to scientists who have been experimenting with the development of new fruits. A scientist may cross one sort of plum with another. He is hoping that he may develop a better plum. Or he may cross an orange with a grapefruit, this being possible since these plants are closely related. He is most anxious to know what will result from the cross. At best he may have to wait through tedious years. Then, to develop a superior fruit, he may have to again select certain plants, cross them again, and wait for results.

By using the stepmother tree in such experiments the scientist can hurry nature. He can reduce the time he will have to wait between the different stages of the experiment from six years to two. Thus is the tedium of such experiments lessened. Thus is the likelihood increased that the experiment will be carried through to final results. Thus are the chances increased that 10 or 20 years from now the public will begin to get new and superior varieties of fruit. Since this method has been in use nearly two decades it is probable that the tables of the public are already beginning to benefit from it.

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Little Norman had been out playing for some time when an angry neighbor came to complain to his mother that he was annoying his dog. When Norman appeared with his new little play gun in hand his mother said, "Norman, were you misbehaving?"

"Why, no, mother," said he, "I was just trying to see if I could hit the dog's tail." N. G.

NEW YORK SOCIETY
James Speyer Weds Soon, Rumor States

By Nancy Randolph.

NEW YORK.—[Special Correspondence.]—Just at present there's a delightful rumor running along Park avenue to the effect that James Speyer, the noted banker, is considering matrimony a second time.

Of course, Mr. Speyer has long been noted in society for the depth of his affection for his wife, the late Ellin Prince Speyer, whose love for animals has been perpetuated not only in the Bide-a-Wee home but in the Ellin Prince Speyer Memorial Home for Animals, founded and maintained by Mr. Speyer in his wife's memory.

That the personable banker should be considering entering upon matrimony is not at all remarkable, since I know he is regarded in many quarters as a most eligible party, and many the matron and elderly maid who has angled fruitlessly to ensnare the affection of the middle aged banker. In fact, the angling has bordered on downright persecution.

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Society Approves.

In this case, however, the lady whom Mr. Speyer has been considering as his second helpmeet is herself of great social importance, none other, indeed, than the erstwhile Anita Stewart, daughter of William Rhinelander Stewart and widow of the late Duc de Braganza.

Mrs. Miguel de Braganza, since she has long since dropped the use of the royal Portuguese title, is quietly active in society. She spends most of her time in Newport and New York and seems more than happy to be with her son and her daughter, Nadedja, still a sub-deb.

While nothing at all has been said in the way of an announcement, the Park avenue tea gatherings have the matter all settled and, even more, have given the match their approval.

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In the Old Manner.

Society, naturally, is not the same as it was in days gone by. That sounds bromidic, but remembering entertaining in New York even ten years ago, one is startled to find how much it has changed.

There are still circles in New York whose exclusiveness never changes. They are the members of the old guard whose homes both on 5th avenue and further downtown were the scene of ceremonious receptions, dances, and dinners. The dinners still continue, notably those given by Mrs. H. McK. Twombly, and Mrs. Francis E. Saxham Drury, the former Mabel Gerry, who has an international reputation for entertaining.

However, seldom in the last few years has the real cream of New York society been brought together on a large scale, and therefore the dinner-dance and supper that Gen. and Mrs. Charles H. Sherrill gave at the Ritz on Tuesday night in honor of their son, Gibbs Wynkoop Sherrill, brought forth a veritable gasp of surprise.

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Gathering of Notables.

In numbers the guests did not approach those who have attended many of the dinner and supper dances given this winter, when five, six, and seven hundred guests have been nothing out of the ordinary, but the Sherrill guests were of such importance that every one of them might be eligible for the leadership of New York society.

The occasion, too, was most refreshing, in that it was in celebration of Young Sherrill's attaining his majority. An undergraduate at Yale, and home for the holidays, his parents took advantage of the occasion to fête him properly in the presence of their friends. And those friends, as I have said, were of breath-taking importance.

Gen. Sherrill, Yale '89, was formerly American minister to Argentina, and the diplomatic corps turned out in force to honor his son. The French Ambassador and Mme. Claudel were present, as were the Spanish Ambassador and Mme. de Padilla, the Chilean Ambassador and Mme. Davila, the ambassador from Argentina, and the minister from Czecho-Slovakia.

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Long List of Guests.

Among the notables of New York society present were Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt the elder, Gen. and Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, Mrs. H. McK. Twombly, Dr. and Mrs. Nicholas Murray Butler, Mr. and Mrs. William Starr Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Francis E. Saxham Drury, Mr. and Mrs. Edmund L. Baylies, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Belmont, Mr. and Mrs. C. Oliver Iselin, Mr. and Mrs. George B. Post, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Larocque, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Knox Bell, Judge and Mrs. Francis Key Pendleton, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gassaway Davis III., Mr. and Mrs. George Henry Warren Jr., Mr. and Mrs. John S. Rogers, Col. and Mrs. Francis L. V. Hoppin, Bishop and Mrs. Shipman, Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Henry Sloane Coffin, Mr. and Mrs. James Blanchard Clews, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Brown of Baltimore, Mr. and Mrs. William B. Bristow and Capt. and Mrs. Charles Astor Bristed.

Also Mr. and Mrs. J. Sargeant Cram, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. Giraud Foster, Col. and Mrs. Snowden A. Fahnestock, Col. and Mrs. Edward N. House, Judge and Mrs. George L. Ingraham, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gouverneur Morris, Col. and Mrs. Newbold Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Parish, Commodore and Mrs. Robert E. Tod, Mrs. Marshall Orme Wilson, Mrs. Reginald De Koven, Mrs. Andrew Carnegie, Mrs. John R. Drexel, Mrs. Whitney Warren, Mrs. August Belmont, Mrs. Shepherd Fabbri, Donna Eugenia Ruspoli, Mrs. Frederick Pearson, Julia A. Berwind, Mrs. Horace Gallatin, Mrs. William Bayard Van Rensselaer, Madame Boas de Jouvenal, Mrs. John Turner Atterbury, Mrs. J. Stewart Barney, Bell B. Gurnee, Mrs. Henry C. Redmond and Mrs. J. Lee Taller.

Also present were Clarence H. Mackay, Albert Morris Bagby, Albert Eugene Gallatin, Rawlins L. Cottenot, Oliver Gould Jennings, Rutger Bleecker Jewitt, Shipley Jones, Frederic A. Juillard, E. Victor Loew, Vicomte Alain de Jouvenal, the Misses Claudel, Betty Taller, Katherine Tod, Rita Dolan, Elizabeth Larocque, Emily Frelinghuysen, Alice Morris, and May Swords.

Which, as you can see, is a list without a peer, and worthy of noting simply because it is so seldom, these days, that one has a chance to see quite so many notables of society together at one and the same time.

The Strange Adventures of Young Robinson Grewso

By KEMBLE

His ma called him Robin; his dad called him son.
He grew like a weed and thought it great fun—
So he called himself Robinson Grewso.

ROY puzzled day and night to think of a way to get rid of the bands that the pirates had bound around his ankles. He couldn't run with them; he couldn't swim, and as long as he wore them he was a prisoner. And the work he had to do—washing the dishes, keeping the cave clean, and, worst of all, feeding the airplane chicks while the old hen waddled around and jabbed him with her big flat bill. How he did long to choke the chick that had carried him there, for every time he went near her the miserable creature opened her big mouth, threw back her head, and laughed at him.



Roy Waits on the Pirates

"Never mind," Roy would hiss at her, "I'll get you yet, and don't forget it."

Whenever the pirate chief came near Sweet Marie he made eyes at her and acted so silly that Roy wanted to kick him. One day he tried it, forgetting that his legs were bound together, and he landed flat on his back.

But what interested him most were the pirates themselves. Every morning after breakfast they marched into the woods with picks and shovels and worked until dinner time. What were they digging? They were very secretive about it and wouldn't let Roy go near the place. He was getting more curious by the minute, so one day he decided that after dinner he would go and investigate for himself, or at least he would try to.

But such a dinner it turned out to be! With a big white apron around his waist, Roy waited on the table, hopping around as best he could with a big tray loaded with plates of fish and game. He flipped a bit of food on each plate. Now and then he would miss his mark, and once he popped a fat fish right down the chief's neck. It was a hot fish, too, and how the pudgy little bandit flipflopped around, first on the table, upsetting everything, then bouncing off and, like a kernel of popcorn in a popper, popping around the table three times before one of his mates reached down his back and pulled the fish out.

Then how the whole crew pitched into poor Roy! They jabbed him with spoons and forks and knives and stuck their greasy fingers in his eyes and ears. Had it not been for Sweet Marie, who came upon the scene just then, Roy might have been seriously hurt. Jumping on the table, Sweet Marie commanded them to stop.

"If you want me to stay here, you've got to behave like gentlemen!" she screamed. "The idea of pitching on a prisoner just because he did what any one might do under the circumstances! Who ever heard of any one waiting on a table properly with his feet tied?"



Giving Roy the Laugh

The pirates looked foolish and marched away to talk it over.

As soon as they were alone Sweet Marie walked up to Roy and placed a shining piece of metal in his hand,



A Hot Fish Down His Back.

"I got it from the hole they are digging in the woods. There is lots of it there, and, unless I am mistaken, it is gold. But, remember, you must say nothing about it."

Just then the pirates returned, and Sweet Marie stuck out her tongue at Roy and Roy scowled and shook his fist at her, and the pirates grinned because they thought they were bitter enemies.

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OUR LOLLIPOP LADS.

[Reports from Paris indicate that the latest flair is cosmetics for men.]

By W. M. Schwimmer.

They tell me that quite long ago
the men were all athletic,
The chaps were hardy, husky
hods with methods energetic;
They went in for pugnacity
And trained their brawn capacity,
They would not act effeminate
or feign to be aesthetic.

The papas, so I understand, used
measures harsh and drastic,
So boys would practice feats of
strength and learn to be gymnastic;
They emphasized virility
And physical agility;
And exercised to make their
muscles lusty and elastic.

But now it cuts me to the quick
when I am forced to mention
That styles have changed and
yielded to the dictates of convention;
And dandies think it dutiful
To make themselves look beautiful,
For elegance and vanity now
claim a man's attention.

No longer have we he-men from
the great wide open spaces,
Instead we're forced to watch
some dapper dudes go
through their paces;
Quite openly and daringly,
They dab and daub unsparingly
Abundant rouge and lipstick on
their mollycoddle faces!

It seems to me the fashion that
this giddy gang expresses,
Will cause a transformation, if
this policy progresses;
These simps will mock formality
And show originality
By brazenly discarding pants
and wearing women's
dresses!

Chicagoans Gather in Mississippi

BILOXI, Miss., Dec. 31.—[Special.]—Chicagoans are beginning to gather in large numbers along the Mississippi coast. This section has become a mecca for prominent midwesterners. Ample accommodation is afforded at the hotels constructed during the last several years at an outlay of $5,000,000. Added to the attractions this winter are the six sporty golf courses within a radius of twenty-five miles, where professional instructors from Chicago preside. Various other entertainment is afforded the visitors each season, all of which is becoming more popular with the increasing number arriving.

Among Chicagoans in Biloxi are Mrs. T. E. Blake and daughter, Miss Blanche Blake, and Samuel Insull Jr.

ACTIVITIES OF WOMEN

Miss Fridl Kutzner, Germany's leading woman agriculturist, is now in the United States to study our farming methods.

Miss Agnes M. Royden, known as England's greatest woman preacher, celebrated her 51st birthday recently.



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The Last Word in Paris Fashions

The Four Piece Ensemble Provides a Labor Saving Chic for the Busy Woman.

By Bettina Bedwell.
[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

PARIS.—(Special Correspondence.)—A good many women are traveling light this season, whether they go south or do their journeying on the home boulevards. Clothes, charming as they are, mean work. It isn't alone the original cost in time, worry and weariness; it's the upkeep of expenditure of these three vital qualities which is driving many ladies to some kind of labor saving chic.

The experienced traveler allows the amateur and the thoughtless to pound the pavements in a never ending job of getting something new. She knows well how devastating are the results of this continual assembling of dresses, coats, and the multitude of details to complete them. Fewer and smarter clothes are more satisfying and far less of a strain to the nervous system, in the long run. No single garment can be chic if it is not complementary to all the other garments that are worn with it.

This is why so many of the fashionable women in Paris are choosing four piece ensembles this winter for all-day wear. These ensembles may be worn all together, or in a group of three or two. Each item is in perfect accord with all the others, in line, in material, in detail and in character, because the ensemble is the work of one creator. Hats, shoes, hosiery and other accessories chosen for the outfit are entirely suitable to any part of it when worn alone. The first cost of careful and intelligent selection covers the entire outlay that provides several costumes appropriate to a good many occasions.

It is true, of course, that the four-in-one costume hasn't the novelty which so often dazzles the amateur chic hunter. It has instead a surer cachet, and it does end a lot of worry about details. And for the traveler the four piece ensemble means much less parking space, which is also an item worthy of consideration.

Usually the four piece ensemble is composed of coat, jacquette, waist and skirt. Many women expand it by having several blouses and perhaps a slipon sweater, so that the ensemble has more variety and greater usefulness without in any way losing its priceless quality of complete harmony. According to the character of these units is the ensemble made suitable for street, sports or afternoon wear.

A four piece ensemble that is a great favorite of the Parisienne is shown on our first figure at the left. This model is from Jeanne Lanvin, who creates an exquisite balance between the flared lines of the coat and the straight lines of skirt and jacquette by the use of gray and black diagonal kasha-bure as the material. The coat has the Lanvin dropped shoulder line, with a yoke in back made by inset sun-ray bands. The front closing of this coat is trimmed on the inside by bias bands of the diagonal fabric, and the top opens to form revers that are not attached to the black marten collar.



The four piece ensemble from Jeanne Lanvin shown at the extreme left is made of gray and black kasha-bure, with a long, loose coat collared and cuffed with marten, a jacket and skirt of straight line simplicity, and a blouse and scarf of gray crepe.

Next, the four-in-one afternoon ensemble is often made of broadcloth. Redfern makes this coat, jacket and skirt of plum brown broadcloth, the jacket being banded with beige and the coat with beaver fur.

Third, the two piece frock worn beneath the Redfern coat shown on the figure immediately on its left has a straight skirt of plum brown broadcloth and a blouse of crepe de chine trimmed with tucked bands and having a collar and jabot of beige crepe de chine.

Fourth, the first three-quarters of Beer's latest four piece ensemble are cardigan jacket of navy blue broadcloth banded in lighter blue, sweater blouse of blue and white jersey, also banded in two tones of blue, and navy broadcloth skirt plaited in front with a double series of stair-step plaits.

The last quarter of the Beer ensemble is this coat of navy blue broadcloth collared with beaver, sketched last.

The skirt is a double wrap-around, giving the utmost freedom with the slenderest of lines. The straight jacquette buttons down the front from throat to hips with black bone buttons. The original ensemble has a simple jumper blouse of gray crêpe de chine, and the big scarf, which ties in a bow at the throat, is also of gray crêpe. The blouse has a yoke in back similar to that of the coat, achieved by a fan of small tucks.

Our second model is a four piece ensemble from Redfern, which may be worn for almost any daytime occasion in town. Our second figure shows the coat of this ensemble, which is made of satin-finish broadcloth in that most beautiful of the smart winter colors, plum brown. This coat is of seven-eighths length and is very straight in line. Inset pockets are placed at the hipline in front. The cuffs are of beaver, and the full length revers, which meet at the back of the neck and replace a collar, are also of beaver.

Under the coat is worn a cardigan jacquette which is banded with beaver colored crêpe, and which fastens with bone buttons. These buttons are placed only half way up the front, so that the beige crêpe de chine jabot on the waist may be draped over the jacquette.

A straight skirt of plum brown broadcloth is worn with the jacquette, and when the latter is removed or worn open, the blouse of beige crêpe de chine is visible. This effect is shown on our third figure, which represents the ensemble without the coat. The straight blouse has a square plastron effect, created by a band of tiny tucks. Another band of tucks is placed at the bottom of the blouse.

The jacquette is sleeveless, so that the straight sleeves of the blouse with their narrow flaring cuffs show when the coat is not worn. The blouse collar may be worn closed as it is shown on our second figure, or open as it is shown on the third.

Any chic that hopes to qualify in the labor saving category must be one that is extremely careful about both colors and fabrics used. Simple fabrics of fine quality and sober, or at least discreet, colors are best. An ideal shade for winter, and one which will surely be smart in the early spring, is navy blue. Among the fabrics the safest daytime material is broadcloth because it is a favorite in Paris not only for elegant afternoon clothes, but for the simple sports costume, also.

Blue is the color and broadcloth the material of our final model in the sketch today. This Beer four piece ensemble is shown on the two figures at the right of the sketch. The skirt, blouse and jacquette of this ensemble are sketched on the fourth figure. Beer makes the skirt of navy blue broadcloth and gives it fullness by a series of stair-step plaits descending at the right and left side of the front.

The sweater blouse is made of pastel blue jersey crossed by fine lines of white. The asymmetrical neck is edged with a band in navy and lighter blue, this band descending at the left side to a large monogram embroidered in navy blue on a lighter blue oval of jersey. The jacquette, which is of navy blue broadcloth, is banded also in two tones of blue and similar bands replace cuffs on the sleeves.

The coat shown in our final sketch is worn over this three piece suit to complete the ensemble out of doors in winter. It is of navy blue broadcloth, with a Norfolk cut and a belt of self material. Shaped pieces trim the sleeves. The collar, which is made of beaver, is very high in back and attached to the revers in front.

HOW TO GET RID OF EXTRA POUNDS

by Antoinette Donnelly

Cut Down on the Extras and Drink Plenty of Water Between Meals



NEW YORK.—[Special Correspondence]—How about another reducing course?

I think it about time we concentrated on figures again for a while. One thing about them is this: If they are to get into the fashion show, private or public, they've got to be concentrated on every once in a while. And every woman's figure makes her own fashion show. Or unmakes it!

The promised curves of the late lamented nineties are no more on the eve of returning than the full sleeves they helped puff out. So, figures being what they are going to be in this season's dresses and the next season's and the season after that, we had better decide to whittle them down where whittling is needed and make a nice, neat, healthy job of the remodeling.

There aren't going to be any freak measures of ridding the body of its superfluous weight. If anybody wants to get this quicker than is consistent with health, energy and beauty, they'll have to apply at some other reducing parlor than mine, because this course we're going to start on today is going to follow the lines of sane reducing, or there isn't going to be any reducing at all.

No Victims Wanted.

We don't want any victims of passion for excessive thinness in this class of ours. We only want those whose weight is above normal. Because this has to be a health promoting course of reduction first, the beauty automatically following with the sane diets containing proper food elements and the exercises which will be neither too strenuous nor too difficult for the overweight individual.

We don't want any anemic looking girls or women with reserve energy so dissipated that they become easy prey for all manner of chronic ailments. These are the exhibits of foolish measures adopted for the price of a boyish form—common sights of a year or so ago, when the reducing craze reached the point so near insanity that the medical profession was stirred to action and protest and extremely valuable propaganda against the get-thin-quick systems of reducing.

At no time during the campaign of the esteemed medical profession was overweight viewed as anything but what it is—a detriment to health and a detriment to looks. Bear in mind, their campaign was not against reducing, but against excessive reduction and the foolish methods adopted to achieve a boyish form.

Reviewing the Follies.

Perhaps a brief review of the "follies" resorted to (unhappily still being resorted to) and warred upon by the medical profession might not be out of place here.

Thyroid extract was used in many of the reducing drugs. When too much of the toxic substance that acts on the thyroid gland is taken it will reduce weight, but it will reduce at the price of health and, in instance after instance reported by physicians, reduces at the price of life itself.

A method practiced not uncommonly, yet not so widely advertised as other wrong systems, is that of inducing regurgitation after a meal, either by drugs or mechanical measures. This is a repulsive, harmful method, with the stomach an almost sure victim of disease. The high colonic irrigations come in the same class of health destroyers when indulged in with the frequency with which a reducer adopts them. And purgative drugs, another of the less advertised systems, may lead to disease of the intestines most difficult to remedy.

Starving, of course, leads in the sins against the body in the interests of the shadowline silhouette. So much of fat in the tissues is removed that there is no energy left upon which to feed. Exhaustion of this reserve tissue sent more women scuttling to the doctor or to hospitals than the records will ever be able to show. The fatalities resulting from starvation diets were covered up under the names of the diseases the loss of reserve tissue promoted.

No Standard Figure.

A sane reducing diet can neither be too monotonous nor deficient in the proper food elements.

Principally, before we begin our reducing course, I want you to realize that figures cannot be standardized. A fashion plate figure is not for every woman. By that I mean the illustrated fashion figure. But every woman may create a smart figure out of the normal weight for her own individual self. It profits her not a whit if, in excessive reduction, she achieves a wilting slenderness, and her health, her efficiency, and her beauty of face are affected, which invariably happens when less than the normal weight is coveted.

To determine your normal weight there is a simple rule used in many hospitals and generally conceded to be a satisfactory method of determining it. Allow 110 pounds for five feet of height. Measure the height without shoes. Multiply the number of inches over five feet by five and one-half. This is an approximate weight. There may be a variation of from five to ten per cent over or below and still you may be classed as normal.

A bit more human test of the proper weight for the individual is that at which you feel most fit yourself, most energetic, most capable, least crowded in your clothes, and best looking in the face. Lazy folk, however, I've noticed, accept this test and pretend it fits, though their frames may be considerably overweighted.

Two Pounds a Week.

Our ambition is to take off no more than two pounds a week, as that is the healthiest rate at which to eliminate flesh. This is quick enough reduction for the most eager when you figure what that will mean at the end of five or ten weeks. When you have gotten back to your normal weight, we want you to stop reducing and keep an eye on the bathroom scales and let that be your guide at table. Once you get back to normal, you will have learned about foods that can be missed for a meal or two without any damage to your system, but with a great deal of benefit to your figure.

For the first week, the coming week, I'm not going to put you on a prescribed diet, nor am I going to give you any course of exercises.

All I ask is that you weigh yourself first thing and at breakfast, luncheon, and dinner you figure out how much bread you've been in the habit of consuming, butter, cream in your coffee, how many pieces of toast for breckfast, how many rolls at luncheon, how many helpings or spoonfuls of this thing and of that you've been eating. That done, I want you to shave every meal down exactly one-third. That leaves you more than enough to smile on, with two-thirds of your usual intake. But cut down that extra third.

If you've been having three pats of butter at a meal, make it two. Three lumps of sugar, make it two. Three pieces of toast, make it two. If two helpings of these food elements, or of any others is your usual habit, shave the third off.

And NO EATING BETWEEN MEALS. Drink water—but take no food. No afternoon nibble and no midnight bite. Absolutely, positively nothing between meals except water.

Cut Down on Liquids.

Another request I am going to make of you for this first week is to go without liquid at your meals. No alcohol, of course it is understood, is permitted in any course of reducing. By going without liquid at meals I mean coffee drinking, tea drinking, and water drinking.

The reason for this request is that the average person eats less when she takes no liquid with the meal. And another reason is that when you take water with your meals the fluid dilutes the gastric juice so that there is insufficient concentration in the secretion to digest the foods that are eaten. The result is that these foods are compelled to lie in the stomach longer than they should. Then they undergo fermentation and give off gases which cause bloating and distension of the stomach and give the appearance of overweight.

If it is humanly impossible for you to get through breakfast without a cup of coffee, let it be the only meal at which you have a liquid; but it is better if you can get along without it altogether.

You see, I don't intend to make it too easy for you, because reducing isn't one of the most amusing pastimes. Neither is it going to be hard. And this first week is going to get you in the frame of mind for what you will be asked to do next week and the week after.

Be sure to drink water between meals. Six glasses is the minimum amount.

Now, that isn't a very hard week to look forward to, is it?

K. P. N.: ENLARGED KNUCKLES may be improved by massaging the hands. Use cocoa butter or almond oil. A good cold cream will serve. Wash the hands in warm water before applying the cream, then massage from the finger tips backward toward the wrist. Use gentle forcible strokes, and with circular movement work the cream into the underlying tissues.

FRENCHIE: IF YOUR FRECKLES are of the light summer variety, lemon juice is beneficial. Rub a slice of lemon over the face, letting the juice dry on and remain for a time. For sunburn, apply equal parts of linseed oil and lime water. This may also be used as a preventive. Send a stamped addressed envelope for the neck bleach.

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YOU AND YOUR CHILDREN

by Mrs. Gladys Huntington Bevans

Adopted Children.

"OH, so this is the little fellow you took—isn't he fine!"

How often do foster parents, with their beloved adopted child standing at their side, have to listen to such thoughtless—criminally thoughtless — comments from people who have children of their own and who should, because of that, have too much sense and too much sensitiveness to say such things.

Parents who would make remarks like that would probably be equally tactless at home before their own children and discuss freely the fact that this or that child was adopted. With what result? That in a moment of quarreling among playmates, this fact is thrown up at the adopted ones—for children can be very cruel to each other.

Thoughtlessness.

Like many other things which hurt people deeply, thoughtlessness is at the bottom of this situation. If people would use their imaginations a little, much pain would be spared the world at large.

There is an increasingly large number of people who are adopting children, and I think one of the most serious aspects of doing so is this very thing—telling them about their parentage. It is one which should be given careful and courageous thought.

The most usual procedure, especially if they adopt the child when he is a baby, is for the foster parents to let him think they are his own parents, even though he may be surrounded by associates who know that he is not.

This has great perils, I think, though it is natural, since in all but the act of birth they are his father and mother. One peril lies in the fact that some one may plant in them, while they are little, the suspicion that they are adopted. The other peril lies in the moment when they are grown or nearly so, and are told the facts of their birth by their foster parents.

They Always Knew.

I have thought about this a great deal and it seems to me that it is something that might be handled in another way. At least, it has been done in a few cases I know of, and I don't see how any children could love parents who bore them any more dearly than these children loved their foster parents.

The way it was managed was that the children always knew they were adopted. In some cases they did not even call their foster parents father and mother—though it would be hard to deny one's self the music of these names, and not especially necessary, I think. These children grew up knowing that the parents they loved so dearly were their foster parents. It would be a hard thing for many people to do, but it is worth thinking about. And it has the great advantage that neither the child nor his parents can be hurt by the thoughtlessness or cruelty of grown people or children.

MARRIAGE PROBLEMS

By Doris Blake

These Open Letters Reveal More Marital Snags Than Many Theoretical Lectures Could



IT is said that there is probably no greater test of the world's progress—or otherwise—than in a contemplation of how husbands treat their wives and how wives treat their husbands, for the relationship between them is the relationship from which all else springs.

A study in marital relationships would reveal among other specimens the husband who is afraid of his wife; the husband who despises his wife; the husband who tolerates his wife; the husband who does not know what to make of his wife; the husband who is disloyal and the husband who is true; the husband who is kind and the husband who makes life miserable, and for every husband, good, bad and indifferent you will find a wife who is neither better nor worse. There are wives who are cheats, wives who are cold, wives who are mean, wives who are cruel, wives who are affectionate, loving, kind and fair in all things.

From my mail I present a few examples of the treatment of husbands and wives as I meet them, with the plea that if they need to serve as an awakener to some thoughtless mate they be permitted so to do.

Hard on Mother.

"I am the mother of three children. They are just blossoming into young manhood and womanhood. In the earlier years of my marriage my husband was away from home a great deal and consequently I had the control of my offspring much in my own hands.

"My husband is a good enough provider. His fault is that if I correct one of the children or try to make them see the wrong of certain actions, he pounces upon me before them and berates me in a manner I cannot understand, because I am not a nagger. But I do want the children to turn out creditably.

"More than this, he makes sarcastic remarks about me to the children. The consequence is they feel they have his backing and are becoming impudent and unmanageable. The oldest girl, whom the father defends against the slightest criticism from me, is really getting out of hand entirely. Heaven knows it is no pleasure to me to hear myself correcting the girl or any of the children, but I want them to turn out right.

"MRS. A. M."

That's a relationship from which all manner of trouble may spring and the father will be the one to blame. In matters of correction, where correction is justly due, no interference should be advanced from the other side of the house. And the father or mother who destroys the authority of the other parent or the confidence of the child by belittling remarks may well expect to live to see the day that his crime will come home to roost. With maturity the child understands which was the better guide and to that one will go the credit for having sown the seeds of helpfulness.

Not a Square Deal.

"I am a married woman of 32," writes another. "I have had four children in my fourteen years of married life. I am no picture gallery, but I am neat, clean, of lively disposition and do make a nice appearance. I keep the children in excellent condition and look after my husband in the same manner. I try to do my utmost, but it is discouraging to think I've been married these many years and the times my husband has offered to take me anywhere, even to a movie or for a walk, you could count on one hand. Christmas, birthday or wedding anniversaries are the same as every other day to him. Never a remembrance or a good wish. But he goes out when he feels like it.

"MRS. SQUARE DEAL."

Mrs. Square Deal is not getting one. Advising her to take herself off to a theater or movie isn't the answer to her problem. It is thoughtfulness, just an occasional sign of it from her husband, that would make her happy. And the number of Mrs. Square Deals that aren't getting it are simply legion, as are the wives whose pleasant relationships with their husbands are stifled with unfairness about money settlements. This class of wife and the neglected lead in numbers the army of disgruntled wives.

I'd be willing to make a wager that happy marital relationships would be increased by 50 per cent were men more fair with their wives on the financial end of their partnerships and did they remember them more often with remembrances at holiday and anniversary seasons and occasional invitations to amusement centers. Or, with words of appreciation spoken in terms of endearment. Many a bitterness would be smoothed out of a woman's soul with just one word of kindly appreciation.

The Other Side.

As a test of her own progress in such an intimate relationship as marriage a woman has but to note the responsiveness with which an agreeable nature is met. There are few men who will quarrel without encouragement. And the quarrelsome woman is one of the banes of the perfect matrimonial state. When you have that disposition coupled with a slatternly appearance you have a creature with whom agreeable relationship cannot be carried on.

Complaints from husbands involve her more often than any other type, unless it be of the woman who refuses to take up the burdens of housework.

"She lies abed mornings and she feeds me out of a delicatessen shop." are complaints registered frequently. Which isn't even treating a husband as a meal ticket. And the relationships that spring out of delicatessen or restaurant fare are as thin as the cream that goes into the preparation of the foodstuffs.

Bright Sayings of Husbands and Wives

The snappy comeback of the better half when cornered has often been a source of wonder to husbands and wives! The husband or the wife has come across with a bright saying that will never be forgotten by the other half of the matrimonial sketch. What was that bright saying, Mr.? Mrs.? Send it to us, and we'll pay you $1 for it if we print it. Address Bright Sayings of Husbands and Wives, The Chicago Tribune, Chicago.

Fool, Not Face.

"Don't bring me any more bills, Alice. I can't face them."

"I don't want you to, John. I want you to foot them."

C. B. T.

Necessary Money.

Mr. C. [after listening to his wife complain about never being able to see a show]—Why, I wanted to take you to a show last night, dear.

Mrs. C.—Well, that's news to me. When did you invite me?

Mr. C.—Just after dinner last night—don't you remember? I said I'd love to take you to a show if I had the money?

MRS. C. C.

The Finder.

Wife—You always were a faultfinder.

Husband—Yes, dear, I found you.

M. W. S.

HIST

Watauga and Kentuck

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Watauga and Kentucky.

WHEN the picture of the Watauga Old Fields marker shown in the illustrations was snapped it was a Monday morning in October. The term of court was opening, and the courthouse is just back of the marker in a square of green. The veniremen had come out of the Tennessee hills and the valley of the Watauga river in their cars and were grouped about the green.

The Watauga is nearby. The town is Elizabethton, eastern Tennessee.

The Watauga is a part of a region or system of mountain valleys and rivers important in the frontier movement and history and in the lives and achievements of some of the great American pioneers. It includes the French Broad, the Nolichucky, the Holston, the Powell, the Clinch, mountain head waters of the Tennessee.

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To Cumberland Gap and Kentucky.

To the north and west is the Boone trail to Cumberland Gap and thence north to the Kentucky river and the blue grass of Kentucky. A few miles out of Elizabethton on the Watauga is Sycamore Shoals, where the state of Transylvania had its inception in the treaty Richard Henderson of Carolina negotiated with the Cherokee Indians for a quitclaim on Kentucky and Tennessee land which should thus be opened peacably and honestly to settlement organized from the Carolinas.

Watauga was a frontier post before the revolution. It was a gathering place for adventurers, land seekers, home makers, hunters, fur traders, rebels, nonconformists, and pioneers who had gone so far from established government as to feel the injustice of both its oppressions and its neglects. Therefore having felt this, having rebelled and having been punished as at the battle of the Alamance, they had moved farther on and a distinguished colony of southern pioneers from the Carolina piedmont was in or near about Watauga in 1771.

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Call for Nathan Hale.

When the sheriff or his deputy or the bailiff of the Circuit court came out on the courthouse balcony overlooking the Watauga Old Fields the October Monday this picture of lounging Tennessee mountain and valley men was taken, he came to summon the veniremen for jury selection and the first name he was heard to call was:

"Nathan Hale., Nathan Hale."

It is an association with a far away Connecticut roll of hills and with British military gallows in New York, and yet it had its fitting consistency with the tradition of the Watauga valley and the background of the migration which had put these men in the lowlands and the hills of a country far away geographically, but intimate politically.

The most enthusiastic popular response to Lexington and Concord outside of New England was in North Carolina, where now the Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence of May 20, 1775, a document and action unauthenticated, to treat both most kindly, are still celebrated as valid and of enduring consequence.

Although it is a long way from Connecticut to Watauga in northeastern Tennessee, it did not seem so far a cry, considering the record of these valleys, hills and mountains to hear the call for Nathan Hale at the opening of court.

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Boone and John Finley.

The most celebrated explorer, trail blazer, and hunter who helped connect the Watauga, Nolichucky, Holston, Clinch, and Powell valley frontiers with Kentucky was not its first explorer, but popularly he has remained its best known. Daniel Boone had the advantage of an early and romantic historian to build his legend.

He was not the first to find Cumberland Gap and the trail through it is not his trail, although it bears his name, a tribute well enough deserved. He blazed the way for Henderson's Transylvania through it, even if he did not find it.

Boone, it is reliably related, first heard of Kentucky from John Finley. Both were teamsters recruited to get the exasperated Gen. Braddock's supplies across the Pennsylvania mountains for him over the way partly cut for Washington the year before. Finley had been in the blue grass. He had heard of its wonders from Indians on the Ohio, and with several companions had gone by canoes to the falls of the Ohio in 1752 and on his way back some roving Shawnees took him and carried him into the interior in central Kentucky. In the winter of the following year he escaped and in 1755 he was a driver in Braddock's baggage and supply train going over the mountains to take the French fort at the forks of the Ohio.

Boone was in the same train and it is indicated that the two had campfire talks which filled Boone with desire to get into the wonderful country which had been traveled by mastodons whose bones littered the ground at Big Bone Lick and which still was a wonderland of game.

The baggage and supply train was not involved in the defeat and destruction of Braddock's front column, but it involved itself in the rout. It started and led it, the teamsters cutting their traces when they learned that the combat part of the expedition was being butchered in the ravines.

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War Checked Pioneers.

That was Boone's introduction to the frontier wealth of Kentucky. Both the Ohio company and the Loyal Land company had been investigating the rumored possibilities before this. Dr. Thomas Walker for the Ohio company, a London and Virginia enterprise, had gone through Cumberland Gap in 1750, but his luck was poor. When he was through the gap the blue grass was on to the north, but he did not go far enough and when his party returned to Virginia it was with discouraging reports. They had been in the least promising section of the state.

Christopher Gist for the Ohio company came down the Ohio river and in March, 1751, his exploring had brought him to Big Bone Lick, where he saw the mastodon bones. He carried a five pound tooth back with him when he returned. He went through the blue grass and from heights of land saw the plain of central Kentucky. The Ohio company had a different report. Gist had seen the plains. Walker had seen the mountains and hills.

But the activities of land companies had the check of the French war. It was to require seven years of fighting to determine whether French or English should have possession of the Ohio valley and the Mississippi and the regions which they opened. When war had determined that they should be English, the crown reserved them for the Indians and the fur trade, or endeavored to do so temporarily by the proclamation of '63 restraining colonists from going into them and occupying them to the disturbance of the natives and of the production of furs.

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The Watauga Marker.

A proclamation could not have held back the tide of wishful land seekers, pushing pioneers and rough aggressors in the way of whose excursions the Indians were, but the break of the colonies with the home government came, and again the energies of the country were occupied in a struggle as the revolution was taking form in New England. He intended to extinguish Indian titles by purchase, and in the spring of 1775, just as the Massachusetts farmers were shooting at the British troops, the wagons carrying £10,000 value of goods desired by the Indians reached the Watauga river to seal the bargain with the Cherokees.

The purchase was made at Sycamore Shoals, and the Indians deeded lands in central Kentucky and Tennessee to the Henderson Land company. Boone was commissioned to blaze a trail for the settlers. The adventure established itself on and about the Kentucky river, not far from Lexington. For several reasons it was a failure, and one of these reasons involved an interesting conflict of ideas as to Indian possession, the rights of a mother colony and the validity of a transfer of land by native possessors or claimants to private individuals.

One difficulty was that Kentucky, of all the regions available for purchase and settlement, had the most shadowy Indian titles. The Shawnees on the north claimed it. The Cherokees claimed it. The Iroquois claimed it because they had defeated the Shawnees and professed to hold them as vassals, and their lands as their feudal overlords. The English had claimed it by virtue of a treaty made with the Iroquois at Fort Stanwix in 1768, and Virginia claimed it by charter rights as a sea to sea colony and state.

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Laws on Title Grants.

There had been an earlier English decision with respect to East Indian land holdings that a title granted by natives to individuals was valid, that the natives had the right to transfer possession to private persons without the intervention of the state. Virginia held that only a state could make treaties with Indians and acquire possession of new territory, and that consequently no citizen could obtain title to lands in which there was a transfer of sovereignty. Indian titles could be acquired only by government act.

Henderson found sympathizers in the east, but the revolution was on, and states which did not object to Virginia losing its pretensions to so much territory and did not object to Henderson creating a new state nevertheless could not afford to add more discord to the union and confederation for the war.

The price Henderson paid for the land was huge for its day, and it was honest in the quality of goods which represented the sale price, but the region transferred was a real empire. The promoter who mixed determination with honest dealing was compensated eventually in a fashion by grants of land, but the animosities which the state of Transylvania aroused have not even now completely vanished. There are historians who slander George Rogers Clark because as a Virginian he opposed Henderson, and there are historians who still blister Henderson because he had the audacity to undertake such a venture.

Richardson Henderson brought his Transylvania plans to Watauga just to determine possession before new lands could be developed.

The Watauga marker is a memorial to the formation of the Watauga Association at Watauga Old Fields, "where," as the inscription reads, "the Watauga association was formed in 1772, being the first place west of the Alleghenies where men joined together in a written compact for civil government and the preservation of their ideals of government."

The pioneers had come beyond the reach of government. None of its functions extended to their new homes, its claims of sovereignty reached them, but none of its machinery. For some of them it was deliberate escape from a North Carolina government which had oppressed them, against which they had rebelled, which had defeated them at the battle of the Alamance, which had executed some of their leaders, and from which they had withdrawn into the mountains.

In establishing a mode of living which would protect order and maintain their principles, they reverted to the plan of the Pilgrims in Provincetown harbor and agreed by compact to an order of conduct. The marker carries the names of the thirteen commissioners elected under this agreement: Charles Robertson, James Robertson, Zachary Tobell, John Sevier, John Carter, James Smith, Jacob Brown, William Bean, John Jones, George Russell, James Womack, Robert Lucas, and William Tatham.

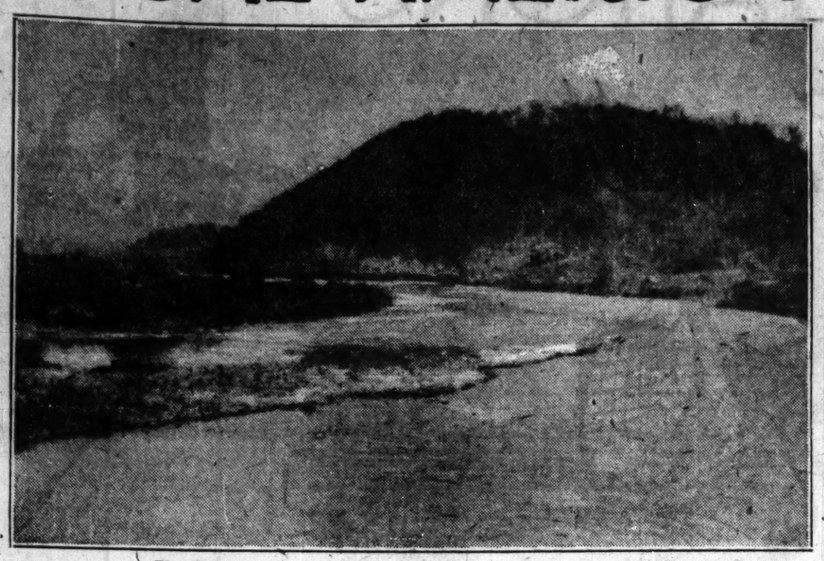
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Henderson and the Indians.

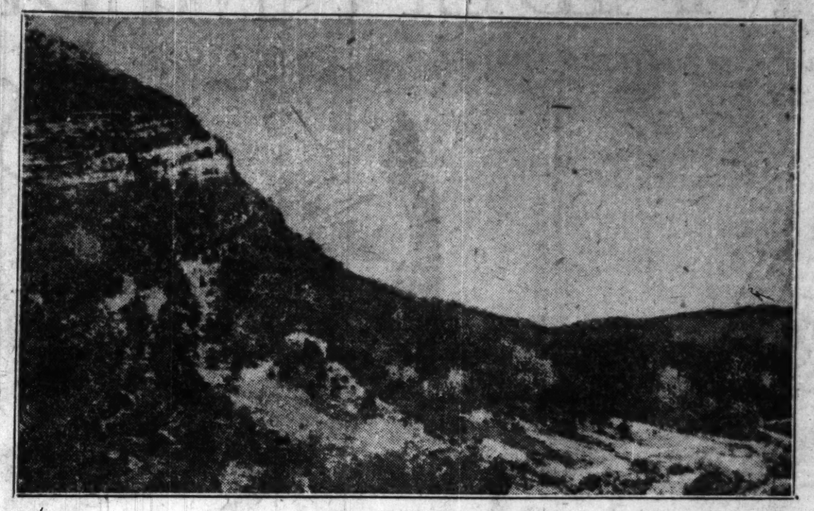
These were the representatives of the men by whom or among whom were begun the aborted states of Transylvania and Franklin, and by whom Kentucky and Tennessee were settled and brought to statehood. They also guarded the left flank of the revolution, and they and other men like them stopped the western advance of Cornwallis in North Carolina by coming out of the mountains to defeat Ferguson at King's mountain on the South Carolina line.

Richardson Henderson brought his Transylvania plans to Watauga just

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The Watauga river at Elizabethton, Tenn., Watauga Old Fields.



A mountain scene at Cumberland Gap.



The Watauga Old Fields marker at Elizabethton, Tenn.



The monument to Fort Watauga at Sycamore Shoals.

HOW TO USE THE PATTERNS



3198.—Woman's and misses' dress. Sizes 16 and 18 years and 36, 38, 40 and 42 inches bust measure. Size 36 requires 3 yards of 40 inch material with ¼ yard of 40 inch material, or 4½ yards of 1 inch wide ribbon.

3159.—Woman's dress. Sizes 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46 and 48 inches bust measure. Size 36 requires 3¾ yards of 40 inch material with ⅝ yard of 40 inch contrasting.

871.—Girl's dress. Sizes 6, 8, 10, 12 and 14 years. Size 8 requires 1¾ yards of 40 inch material with ⅝ yard of 36 inch contrasting.

THIS unusual model for the larger woman, pattern No. 3159, is a semi-sports design. The back is straight and in one piece, and is crossed at a normal waistline by three narrow belts that fasten on either side of the front panel, giving a snug fit through the hipline. The deep V in the front is completed with a vestee and helps give length to the figure. The pressed plaits at either side of the front panel flare gracefully when walking, and give the needed width to the hemline.

Crêpe satin, flat silk crêpe, velvet, crêpe Roma, angora jersey and silk twill are suitable fabric from which to choose for this attractive design.

The vest, collar and sleeve bands will look well cut from a contrasting material. Two pieces are required for each of the parts. After the vest is cut out, lay the two pieces together, with the right sides together. Run a basting thread down the exact center, and mark the small perforation that shows on the pattern.

Then stitch from the neck down to the perforation each side of this center basting, starting at the neck with a ¼ inch seam away from the basting and run the seam off to nearly nothing at the perforation. Then cut through the basting as far as you have stitched and turn to the right side. Set the vestee in place on the front panel, turning in the panel edges. Stitch close to the turned-in edges, first overcasting the raw edges.

Don't make the sleeve bands too close a measure, for they are not comfortable so, and you must remember that the sleeve fullness that is set into the band takes up a little from the size of the cuffs. After the three belts have been stitched together slip a tape needle into one end of a belt, sew through the eye of the needle to one thickness of the cloth and push the needle quickly through the belt. This is an easy way to turn each one right side out. It is an excellent idea in these belts to turn the ends in carefully, basting them down before seaming the belt.

After the belt is turned to the right side it will be an easy matter to slip or blind stitch the ends together. Use your needle to bring the stitched seam to the edge, and baste carefully before pressing into shape.

Pattern No. 871 is for a cunning one piece dress that is decidedly new and different. The lower part of the front has plaited insets, with trimming straps just above the plaits, through which the belt is slipped. The dress is so attractive yet so simple and easily made that mothers will not hesitate to attempt it.

The back is cut in one piece, and the front also. A line of perforations each side of the lower center front shows where the front is cut to allow the plaited sections to be set in, and the directions with the pattern tell exactly how to go to work.

Plaid woolen in red, green, and black, with a red silk crêpe collar, belt, cuffs, and jabot, is shown in the sketch and is very pretty. Jersey flannel and velveteen in becoming colors will also be smart. Of course the belt straps are lined, and if buttons are used they should be sewed on before setting the lining in place.

Pattern No. 3198 is one of the new, smart designs that will assure the wearer individual chic. The diagonal neckline and the low placed circular flare in the front give graceful movement when in motion. The sleeves are full length, close fitting, and quite unadorned. The neck of the dress will look well bound or faced, but if binding is used to finish the bottom of the skirt, the neck should be finished to match. The ribbon bow at the neck, and the matching ribbon sash ending in a bow, worn at a low waistline, are all the trimming this pretty frock needs.

Printed velvet, satin, sheer velvet, faille crêpe, cashmere, challis, flat silk crêpe, and novelty woolens are all fashionable materials.

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Dreams

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Are sure to come true, be they never so old. —*Old Saying.*

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The Lost Recovered.

I dream often therefore pay little attention to dreams, but a year ago I spent several weeks in the south. My last evening there I wore on my blouse three little diamond pins held together by tiny gold chains. They had been my mother's and I valued them highly.

The maid, who was in the room while I was changing my dress, admired them and asked me to give them to her. That night I packed hurriedly and left early the next morning. After reaching home I missed the pins. I was certain the maid had taken them. I wrote the hotel, but they had not been found.

Last spring, on my mother's birthday, I went to bed thinking of her and of the lost pins. Suddenly my mother walked through the wall at the foot of my bed and smiling said, "child, why are you troubled about those pins? They are still on your blouse."

I sat up in bed wide awake. I could not believe that it was a dream or that I had been asleep. I was so impressed that I did not wait for morning to look in the trunk of summer things that had not been disturbed since my return, but opened it at once and there were the pins still on my blouse.

H. C.

Shown the Way.

A wealthy English manufacturer from London sent to the engraving company I was employed by an original drawing of his family's coat of arms, and from this drawing we were to make an engraved die for stationery stamping.

In the process of the work the original drawing was lost. We moved heaven and earth to find it, but no trace of it could be found. The Englishman was angry over the loss. He refused compensation and finally stopped at our offices and threatened suit.

Just at this time I was leaving to get married and went south on my honeymoon. While in Pensacola I came face to face with the Englishman in a hotel lobby, and for an instant thought of the coat of arms.

That night in my sleep I dreamed that the drawing was filed away under my own name at the blue print company. I was excited. I couldn't get back fast enough. I gained permission to go through the blue print company's file room and I actually recognized the old filing cabinet I had dreamed about, and, sure enough, under my name, the drawing was filed, yet no writing appeared on it.

Everybody wondered and had to believe that dreams do come true.

K. C.

The TRIBUNE COOK BOOK

The Secure Cold of January Makes Nine Day Cookery Easy and Practical

All recipes have been scientifically tested by Miss Eddington with current market materials and are indorsed by her.

By Jane Eddington

WHEN the fathers of New England went into the woods to do their winter chopping down of trees for the year's fuel supply, one of the luncheon items they took with them, or that some of them took with them, was frozen pea soup. The soup had been frozen to a string and all that was necessary was to put it into a tin dipper and melt it to get a hearty luncheon dish. It had been well seasoned with fat in the making, was rich and palatable, and easily made boiling hot. It goes without saying that this soup was far more nourishing than a cup of coffee or tea with some flapjacks. The modern sandwich was more or less unknown in those days.

The staples, like dried peas and beans, have been an enormous resource to people living in climates where real winter weather binds the earth. They are meaty foods, for a dried bean may contain twenty-two per cent of protein, which is the main constituent of lean meat. Just as meat may be dried up and toughened by too much fire, so may beans. Beans boiled are half spoiled, because the protein in them is turned to a stick or a product that one may as well not eat, as far as nourishment is concerned. Besides that, it is a liability when eaten.

But twenty-two per cent is not all of the food in a bean. It has sixty per cent of true energy food or fuel—namely, starch, so, you see, it is bread and meat in one small package. Besides that, fat is usually added in the cooking to make it further complete, and then a yet more complete dish may be compounded by adding vegetable seasonings, which furnish the protective elements. A large number of people in cooking beans treat them as though they were all starch.

Some methods of cooking beans enough all but ruin the protein in them. Slow cooking is right for the protein, and is really best for the starch.

Water with Beans.

A newly dried bean contains about twelve per cent of water. A fresh bean contains about sixty to eighty per cent of water. A finely cooked dried bean contains about seventy per cent of water. This shows us another thing, or part of the business necessary in protecting the protein. If the protein is hardened by boiling [simmering is the thing], the bean cannot swell to the fullest and take up as much water as it might, and, because it cannot, it will take much longer to cook even the starchy part so that it will be soft. If even soaked beans are scalded at the start of cooking, one may have to allow two or three times as long to cook them as when this is not done. To scald parboiled beans as a preparatory process is to harden the outer protein, and, besides this, it leaches out some of the valuable solubles in the beans, and leaves them not only less pleasant of flavor, but less valuable as food.

By hardening the protein and dissolving the mineral elements, the beans as an edible are reduced nearly to one thing, starch. They may be further deprived of nourishing elements by adding baking soda to them. Here is the way of it: Some people boil beans, which hardens them and makes them strong of flavor. Then they add baking soda to do something that they ought not need to do, and cases have been known of people who went on bleaching the beans to dissolve even part of the starch by parboiling them in seven waters, each and all thrown away.

Soaking Beans.

Eight hours of soaking with water to cover, or with two cups of water per cup of beans in the more accurate formula, has been a universal direction for the little white or navy bean. Because of the germ in the bean they need to be kept in a cold place, or in an overnight soaking, or they will ferment. They may take up all the water in which they are soaked, but if they should not any extra should not be thrown away. It is as absurd to do so as to attempt the impossible task of throwing away what they have absorbed already.

If they have been soaked in two cups of water per one cup of beans, two cups more of water will be sufficient for the right type of cooking, which is cooking with a cover to prevent the escape of steam after they come slowly to a point where steam will be given off. But large beans, especially, can be cooked without any soaking at all if they are brought slowly enough to near a boil.

Bean Recipes.

It is difficult to give dependable recipes for cooking beans, because people will not cook them with the minimum fire. It is harder to give the necessary attention to keeping it so, and besides this there has been a lot of dead sureness and setness on how to do the work without any knowledge of the chemical composition of a bean.

Stewing Beans and Peas.

Kidney beans, Lima beans, and green split peas, sieved, make an excellent dish of themselves and a good base for other dishes, such as soups, etc. The kidney bean, not soaked, can, by the method described below, usually be cooked as soft and mellow in three hours as almost any food needs to be. The Lima bean rarely requires a longer time than that and the green split pea cooks in about the same time.

But if a kidney bean is boiled hard at the start the protein in it will become so hard that after a whole day of cooking it will not be truly soft nor truly good food. The starch in these legumes can be reduced almost to a jelly. It is easy to get that starchy effect with the right cooking with the green split peas. Cook slowly and without soaking.

Recipe for Stewing Legumes.

Pick over and wash the kidney beans, Lima beans, or green split peas. Add four cups of cold water for each cup of dried legumes. Start them to cooking over a fire so small that the water will not reach the boiling point for an hour. This is really a quick soaking process, but for large beans and perhaps for small ones it is not too quick, because the skin of the bean will not be broken by it.

As soon as the water has reached the boiling point let it simmer for three hours, the utensil closely covered. Then the beans should be tender and the liquid around them like a thickened sauce—thickened with starch—but should these be cooked too rapidly the water will evaporate. Any water added toward the last as a necessary protection of the beans or peas will not have the same savory quality as that has which has been gradually thickened with some of the starch of the product cooked. Under a close cover—we repeat this for emphasis—and with a gentle fire, very little steam escapes. It remains in the utensil as a real cooking force to swell and soften the beans.

To emphasize further, let us say that beans will swell more in an hermetically covered kettle and one of the right size than in one with a loose cover. The beans or peas may be variously seasoned to either the kidney beans or Lima beans or peas. One onion per cup and one carrot cut in slices will make an excellent seasoning. This, with the addition of salt, will be enough to flavor green split peas without the slightest addition, as will show when the whole is sieved and heated up for a vegetable. But a great many people like to add butter to make them more savory and beans are universally more palatable when buttered after they are cooked or seasoned with salt, or whatever else is used. It is always possible and sometimes advisable to cook a piece of salt pork or bacon with the beans.

With peas cooked English fashion, some dried mint is usually added, especially if they are to be used for a soup. Cooked kidney beans need no special heralding because they are delicious and almost universally acceptable.

Kidney Bean Salad.

Well cooked stewed kidney beans are rather handsome and generous seeming and even beautiful in color. In many cases it seems rather a pity to mash them to make them into purées, although this can be done, and when blended with mayonnaise one may get something that looks like a chocolate sauce in a salad. When served plain on a lettuce leaf with a dressing of mayonnaise well mixed with them, they are appetizing and a pretty side dish for any luncheon, or for the salad course. They are even more appetizing if, in addition, they are mixed about half and half with leaf lettuce cut slaw fashion.

Some people might like chopped green peppers with them, but the lettuce seems most palatable and its crispness is desirable and encourages mastication. The stems of leaf lettuce, washed and sometimes peeled and then cut out into disks, are as good as the lettuce tops with the beans and they can be used with the mayonnaise. Next to lettuce, perhaps chopped parsley lends the most of piquancy to a mixture of beans and mayonnaise dressing.

Lima Bean Soup.

Sieving peas and beans is perhaps not so good a thing to do as to mash them when one can. By the latter method we get a smooth purée, but green split peas can be sieved by merely stirring them through a strainer, and Lima beans, cooked sufficiently soft, may be sieved in the same way.

Then, if they are thinned with celery water, with perhaps a tablespoon of cream per person, one can get a delicious soup, and its ingredients will not easily be recognized—that is, the beans will more or less lose their identity.

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MAIDEN MEDITATIONS

by Sara Moore



THAT QUESTION OF TIME.

If it were not for dour rent collectors
Father Time, himself,
Would get confused.
He finds
A message sent across the seas
In seconds.
He learns
That symphonies as played in Gotham sound
In Maine and far Alaska.
And when he meets Mamma, my dears,
Fresh from a swim,
Doing her daily ten mile sprint
To waiting beauty parlors
Or wearing out two orchestras at a night club,
Does he feel that, after all,
His Days and Months and Years
Have gotten mixed?
If it were not for the rent collectors
Father Time, himself, might
Muff his dates.

THAT NEW LEAD.

I have wasted twelve months,
Folly made me a butt.
Opportunities snubbed,
I have lived in a rut,
But tonight I reform.
Here dull lethargy halts—
I shall strive, from now on,
For at least some new faults.

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MAMIE STANDS HER GROUND.

[Mamie Hickey is invited to New Year's dinner by the rich angel who backed the Broadway show in which Mamie made a brief appearance as a chorus girl. Sam, the friendly press agent, and Mrs. Sam, a vaudeville dancer, interfere and chaperone the date to death.]

We're dining, now, on mustard,
On Weinerwurst and kraut,
For Sam and Mrs. Sammie
Have scared my prospect out.
And as I light the gas plate,
I know that, after all—
No girls with brains are "betrayed"
If they slip down—they fall.

THE HOME HARMONIOUS

Glazed Chintz Is Both Practical and Charming and Has a Wide Variety of Uses.

By Phyllis Marsh

ONE of the most attractive and modish fabrics of the season is glazed chintz in all its crisp smartness. When one considers the numerous purposes to which it may be put, its possibilities as a decorative fabric in the home seem without limit.

Glazed chintz has an interesting history, for it is an echo, so to speak, of the past. Coming from India originally, it was introduced into England in the early part of the 17th century. It met with instant favor; in fact, so much so that the British government enacted a law (later repealed) forbidding the use of any printed chintzes which were imported from India, Persia or China, fearing that its popularity would be detrimental to the woolen industry in England.

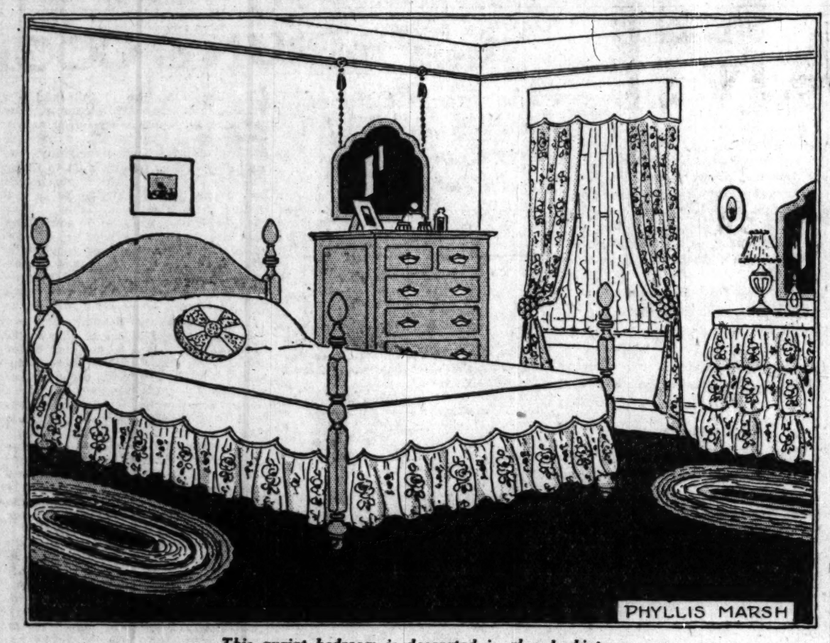
Modern science and industry are producing various kinds and qualities of glazed chintz, not the least of which is the washable variety. Though the surface of practically any glazed chintz has the excellent and redeeming feature of being impervious to dust and dirt, it is preferable to select that which is washable rather than that which is not. In washing glazed chintz, it is advisable to lay the material on an absolutely flat surface. Then take a soft cloth or sponge and dip it into a bowl of lukewarm water and wring it out almost dry. Then the next step is to apply a little neutral soap to the cloth or sponge and begin cleaning the material in the usual manner, working from the top down, taking care to remove all the soap with each application.

For the convenience of the home decorator who is interested in glazed chintz and its many uses we will discuss how and where to apply it in the various rooms of the home.

For the small, dark apartment dinette we find a perfect panacea in glazed chintz. With its brilliant transparency of color and the reflective quality of its surface, it is an ideal drapery fabric, capable of transforming the most gloomy of rooms into brightness and cheer. For instance, in a room of Georgian colonial character, a colorful, large patterned semi-glazed chintz is most attractive when trimmed with a band of plain colored glazed chintz and hung from behind a painted wooden cornice. Painted wooden poles are equally attractive for the less formal window treatments.

It is usually unnecessary to line a glazed or semi-glazed chintz, for the filtration of light through the fabric enhances its brilliancy of color, while its particular kind of surface treatment gives it body, helping to keep perfect the folds in the drapery, thus eliminating any possible "stringiness" in appearance. Whether hanging glazed chintz from a plain brass rod or a painted wooden pole, the heading should always be pleated, never shirred.

Then, we have the smart type of little bedroom that may contain a cheerfully colored enameled suite or one of early American inspiration in its mellow tones of maple or cherry wood. Here is where glazed chintz may serve its purpose in several interesting ways. First, there are the draperies to be selected in a quaint pattern and in gay and appropriate colorings. This same pattern may cover the little unfinished kidney-shaped dressing table in a three tiered scalloped and ruffled skirt. The scallops of both the dressing table skirt and the draperies can be edged with a ready made glazed chintz corded piping in a plain and contrasting color.



This quaint bedroom is decorated in glazed chintz.

If semi-glazed chintz is being used, it is also possible to make it up into unusually attractive looking bedspreads by combining it with plain colored glazed chintz to match the trimming on the draperies and dressing table. For upholstering purposes glazed chintz is an excellent fabric and will be found to stand up admirably under hard usage. So for the "easy" bedroom chair select a different patterned glazed chintz to the draperies in either a colored or neutral background. Then, for the bedroom screen, there is no material as economical or as sanitary as washable glazed chintz.

Again, it finds a place in living rooms of quaint simplicity and in those of elegant and dignified character. A simple design, not too large in pattern and suitable in its various hues, as well as in color value, should be selected for the living room of quaint simplicity. However, a living room of the latter type may boast a larger patterned fabric of more detailed design but of colors equally as fitting to the type, size and exposure of the room. It must be borne in mind that if the room is in rather low color value, one should not make the mistake of selecting a glazed chintz of extremely high color value. The contrast will prove too great for the fabric to harmonize pleasingly with the rest of the room.

Scarcely anything more dainty and practical can be imagined for draperies in the model kitchen of today than a waterproof glazed chintz. In its many suitable patterns for this purpose and the numerous ways in which it may be made up, no kitchen window need look unattractive or colorless. If there is a little breakfast room just off the kitchen, it, too, may be adorned with glazed chintz at the windows and on the breakfast table in place of a regular cloth. Various ready made glazed chintz trimmings are to be had in plain colors and figured effects and are practically necessary in adding a touch of interest and color contrast to draperies, table covers, cushions, screens, etc.

In the bathroom, glazed chintz may hang at the sides of the window in straight style or may be draped back with loops of self-material. A still more practical window treatment is the glazed chintz roller shade, scalloped and fringed or piped at the bottom with contrastingly colored chintz and a colored glass shade pull. Dainty ruffled glass curtains in white with colored figures or dots to harmonize should be used with this type of roller shade. It is quite essential that the glazed chintz which is selected for the bathroom should be of waterproof quality.

A similar window treatment is equally as effective if used in the average rear sleeping porch, always proving practical, economical, simple and decorative.

It is also possible to carry out this same effect in a sunroom, especially if the home is of the simple bungalow type and the furniture is of wicker or reed, either enameled or in natural finish. Glazed chintz in its bright colorings lends itself admirably to the making of pillows and chair cushions for use in a sunroom or on the summer porch.

As a fabric, impervious to dust, it is ideal for making up into clothes protecting bags. They can be easily made at home and will be found superior to the usual type of cretonne bag used for the same purpose. It is also quite the fashion now to edge clothes closet shelves with plain and small patterned glazed chintzes as well as covering the inside of open cupboards with them.

Three and four paneled screens for the bedroom, the dining room and a simple type of colonial living room may be covered with both plain and figured glazed chintz in combination, covering the upper one-fourth portion of the screen with the figured chintz while the lower three-fourth portion is covered in the plain material. The same may be reversed, if desired, using the plain fabric at the top and the figured at the bottom.

Today's illustration displays the use of glazed chintz in an attractively planned bedroom of early American inspiration. A medium sized design in a glazed chintz was used for the draperies, draped dressing table, and the flounce of the bedstead, the background of which is a soft toned light green. The flounce of the bed is attached to an underslip or foundation of sateen over which is a scalloped rose-hued rayon taffeta spread, piped in a gold colored rayon.

The smart looking dressing table is of the same chintz made in three tier ruffled effect, and the draperies of the same fabric are banded with plain rose colored glazed chintz to match the spread, and valance of rayon. The walls are in a delicate tint of rose with woodwork in the ivory tone.

Activities of Women

Mrs. Frank B. Freyer, wife of a United States navy captain, has been decorated with the order of "El Sol del Peru" by the Peruvian government. She is the only American holder of the decoration.

Mrs. W. Maben of Pachena bay, near Victoria, B. C., has an eight mile trap line each winter, running from Marion lake, at the mouth of the Pachen river. Last year she trapped eighty-six fur bearing animals, most of them raccoons, minks, otter, and marten.

FRIEND IN NEED

By Sally Joy Brown.

I want to be the medium through which the friends in deed and the friends in need may be brought together. It may be you have some discarded article which has not outgrown its usefulness that will make some less fortunate one happy and you would gladly give it if you knew how to go about it. Write to me and I shall be happy to be of service to you. Please write on one side of the paper.

When information is wanted by mail, a stamped, addressed envelope should accompany the request. Please do not send article to The Tribune but write for the address of the applicant and send direct.

THE NEW YEAR OFFERS OPPORTUNITY TO SERVE

NEW YEAR'S day with all its hopes and plans for the year to come is a time of particular happiness to this department—happiness born of what has been done, and of prospects for good deeds to come.

The close of each year brings to an end a long record of wants, troubles and hardships endured by the unfortunate of our community. But alongside this record, and the brighter in contrast with it, it is a record of helpful sympathy, of swift response to need, of human kindness as broad and as far reaching as human need, and for that kindness and this unfailing response to every request for help, this department wishes to thank all the friends in deeds who during 1927 have made its work possible.

Because of you, of what you have done and what I know you will do in the year to come, I am looking forward happily to another year of helpfulness. I know that in 1928 we shall continue to make life happier and better for thousands who have encountered it in its harsher aspects. I extend heartfelt thanks and best wishes for a happy new year.

Widow's Request.

"Last year my husband was killed. I am left with one small daughter, 13 years old. It is hard for me to earn enough to get along and this winter I have been sick in bed for three weeks and I am just able to go out to work again. I am back in my rent and my daughter needs dresses for school. I can't take care of either of these and I wonder if you could help me.

"Mrs. C. A. R."

With worries such as she is having this woman will have a difficult time regaining her health. Won't you relieve her by coming to her assistance with some of the things she and her daughter need?

Old Couple Ask for Aid.

"We are an old couple, and my husband is blind. We lost our son and because we couldn't meet the payments we had to give up the little home we were trying to buy. Now we would like to furnish two rooms and start a home again, but we can't buy the furniture. Would you ask your readers to help us with a bed, rug, chairs, stove and dresser? Mrs. K. S."

What is more pitiful than old age accompanied by poverty? This poor old couple losing the earnings of a lifetime has been left almost helpless. Most of you have an article or two of furniture not being used, I know, and here's a splendid opportunity to put them to use.

A Simple Request.

"I am writing this request for an old woman who is 75 years of age and crippled with rheumatism. She is trying to support herself by making fancy pillows and cushions but it is hard for her to get the pieces she needs. If your readers have any scraps of velvet, silk or wool, she would appreciate having them. Mrs. M. M."

Those of you who indulge in a bit of sewing now and then are sure to have bits of materials you'll not mind parting with. This old lady could make splendid use of them in the work she does.

Carrying a Heavy Burden.

"Will you kindly make an appeal for much needed furniture for a shut-in and his sister and mother? The boy has been paralyzed for 16 years and has not been out of the house for 3 years. His sister, who is 34, is not well enough to work, but is obliged to take care of her brother and 73 year old mother. They are moving and will need a three-quarter size bed, a single bed, and a comforter, blanket and heater. B. L."

These articles would add a great deal to the comfort of this family and if you have even one of them we'll be glad to hear from you.

Practical and Fancy Needlework . . .

By Clotilde



These Head Bands for Evening Wear Will Be a Joy to the Woman Who Is Letting Her Hair Grow

THE smart little head band shown at the right is made of small pink gardenias, and is worn by the debutante who is letting her hair grow, as so many of the smart younger set are doing. Two bunches of gardenias are used in making this band. There should be about fifteen small flowers and six or seven buds. The latter are also used placed here and there through the band. The flowers are bunched a little closer together on the right side, making it a bit more solid there and then tapering off at the left side.

Wire the flowers down the full length of the stem, with a fine uncovered wire that is used by florists. This wire comes on large spools and can be bought at any florist's supply store.

Make two loops at each end of the band of silver frame or shirring wire. Wire these loops down firmly to the flowers that are already arranged in position. Hairpins are slipped through these loops and used for fastening to the head. Wind dark green sida-floss about the uncovered wire flower stems so that the finished effect is that of solid green stems.

Have the band long enough just to fit the back of the ears, and wear it low down on the nape of the neck. Any kind of a small flower can be used in the band. Moss roses and forget-me-nots work up well together.

The other band shown is for the matron or older woman and is worn across the front of the head just above the ears. The foundation is of silver wire covered with one thickness of white maline. Small rhinestones are sewed to all the wires, and a small design is made with the rhinestones on each side of the front.

The front wire measures 2½ inches from top to bottom; the side wires 2 inches, tapering down to 1 inch at the back. The inside of the band is finished off with a bias piece of white China silk, slip stitched all the way around. Small loops can be made at each end of this band, as in the one described, for the hairpins.

Pearls can be used in place of rhinestones, or both can be used, as the result is attractive.

Leap Year Proposals

The year 1928 spells hope for the aggressive maiden who wants to change her name. Do you know of any girl who invited a man to leap into matrimony with her? Was her proposal met with eager acceptance or graceful refusal? What was the aftermath? If you'll send us a brief account of the affair we'll be glad to pay $1 if we print it. Address Leap Year Proposals, Chicago Tribune.

Wish Came True.

While walking with my lover along a path through our orchard, I found a four leaf clover, wished and put it in my shoe. In a tone of curiosity he said, "Prithee, maid, what did you wish?"

Having kissed the Blarney stone some years ago, it did not take me long to find an answer and I said: "I wished for a new diamond ring."

He was quiet and thoughtful after that, but the next day my wish came true, as a new diamond ring adorned my left hand.

A garden wedding near this city where the four leaf clover grew was the climax of my proposal. This happened nearly thirty years ago, but we still admire the picture of Cupid and that diamond ring and the old plain gold band have never lost their luster.

M. M. F.

Seized the Opportunity.

My girl friend, Ellen, aged 18, thought she was going to be an old maid. She met a fellow she met in the restaurant where she was a waitress.

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E. S.

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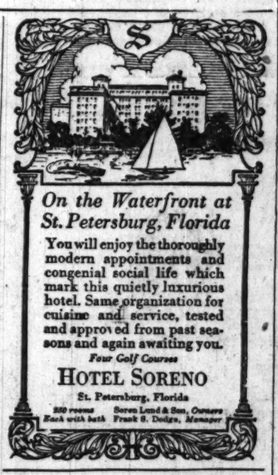
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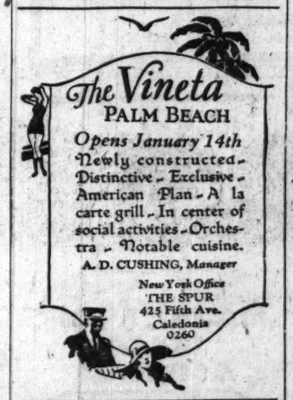
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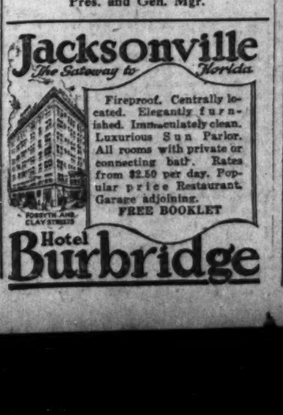


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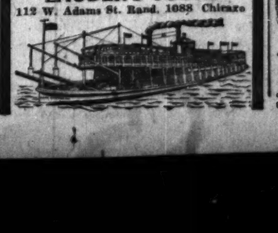
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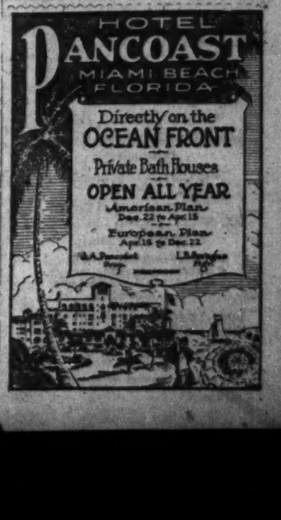
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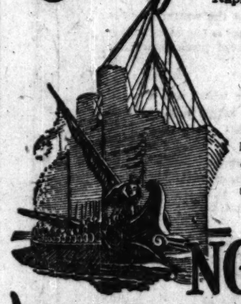
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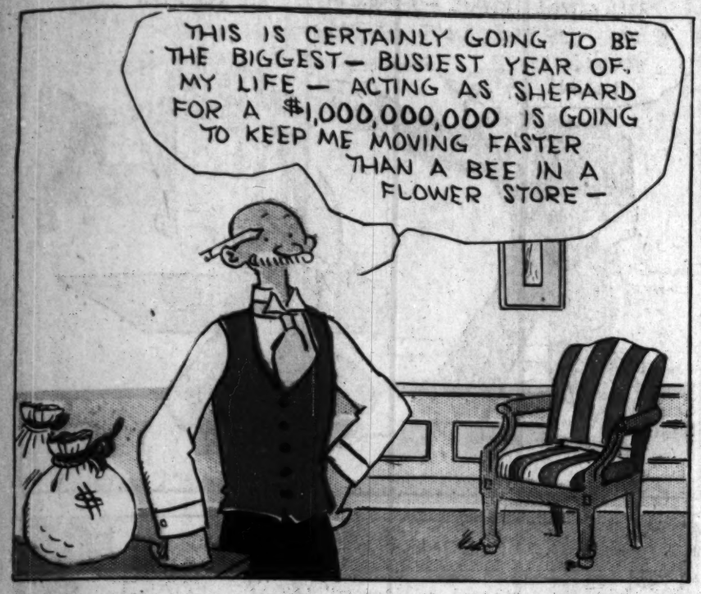
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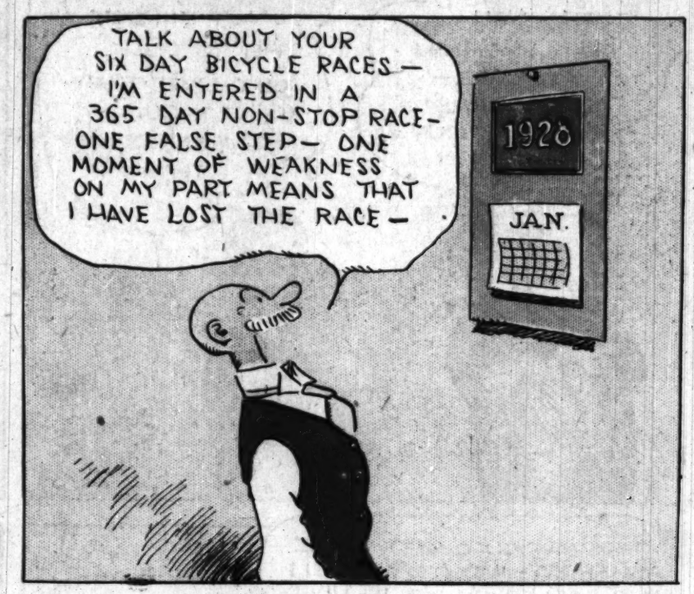
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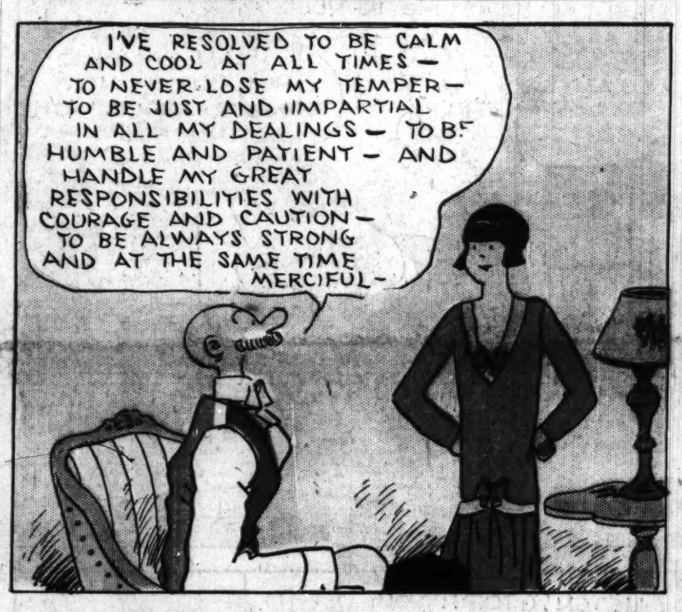




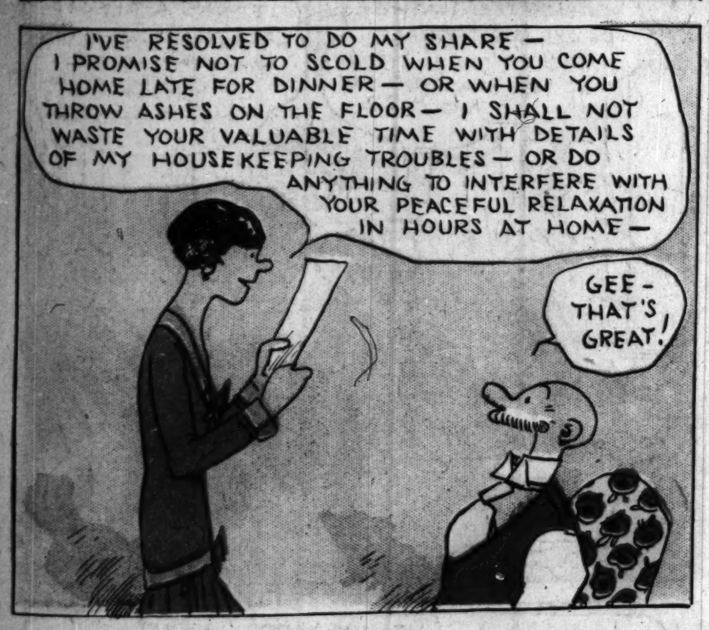


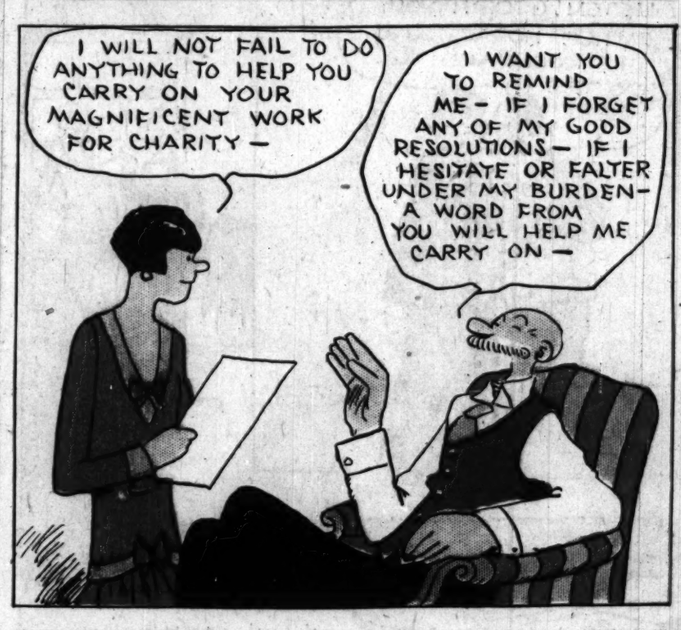




















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Harold Teen

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MAKE HIM STAY IN PA!

BUT I PROMISED TO ATTEND A SHINDIG AT BEEZIE BINK'S HOUSE—I'M SORRY DAD.

I EXPECT YOU HOME RIGHT AFTER MIDNIGHT—WHEN I WAS A BOY ETC!!—

HOLY CATS, PA—I CAN'T—THEY DON'T SERVE LUNCH UNTIL 12 15—

VERY WELL, THEN—YOU SHALL REMAIN AT HOME—TAKE YOUR CHOICE, YOUNG MAN!

YE GODS! YOU CAN'T EXPECT ME TO DUCK OUT LIKE THAT—WHAT WOULD EVERYBODY THINK?

IF YOU CAN'T PROMISE TO COME HOME AT A SANE HOUR YOU STAY HOME—MARCH RIGHT UP TO YOUR ROOM, YOUNG MAN!

I'D RATHER DO THAT THAN TO MAKE A CHUMP OUTA MYSELF!

OH! GOODIE—PA GOT MAD AND MADE HAROLD STAY HOME!

THOMAS—YOU OUGHT TO BE ASHAMED—INDEED? WHEN YOU CALLED ON ME IN YOUR YOUNGER DAYS YOU WEREN'T SO ANXIOUS TO LEAVE AT "12"!

VER' WELL! I CAN HANDLE HIM, BUT I'M NOT GOING TO ARGUE WITH BOTH OF YOU LET HIM GO!

DOGGONE! Y'MIGHT KNOW JUST BECAUSE I'M LATE TH' DARN "COOKIE" WON'T START, I'LL HAVE TO HOOF IT!

AH! SWEET! I KNOW I'M LATE BUT I WANT THIS DANCE AND MANY, MANY OTHERS!

HAROLD? I'M SORRY—I THOUGHT YOU WEREN'T COMING AND I GAVE THEM ALL TO HORACE!

LISTEN! GOOFY! YOU ENTICE HORACE INTO THIS ROOM AND I'LL DO THE REST!

I THINK IT'S RATHER PECULIAR, HORACE DIDN'T TELL ME HE WAS GOING OUT??

IT WAS A RUSH CALL, QUEEN—MIGHTY WHITE OF HIM TO SLIP ME HIS HOPS!

STOMP!

STOMP!

LILACS MUSTA SLIPPED THAT GAG OUTA HIS MOUTH—HE'S YODELING TH' PRISONER'S SONG FOR ALL HE'S WORTH BETTER TEND TO HIM QUICK!

SAY! WOT'SA 'IDA'—I'M MISSIN' OUT ON TH' EATS N'EVAHTHING!

MY! MY! SUCH A TEMPER—IT'S AFTER TWELVE LILACS—HAPPY NEW YEAR OLD SWEET!

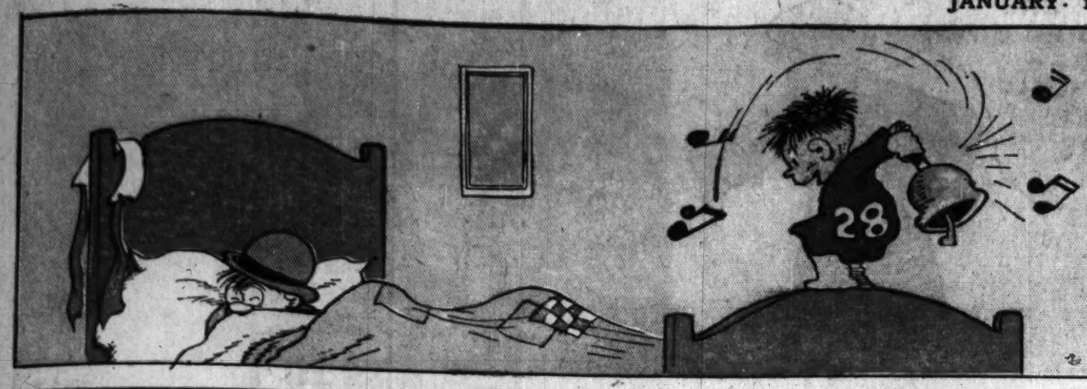
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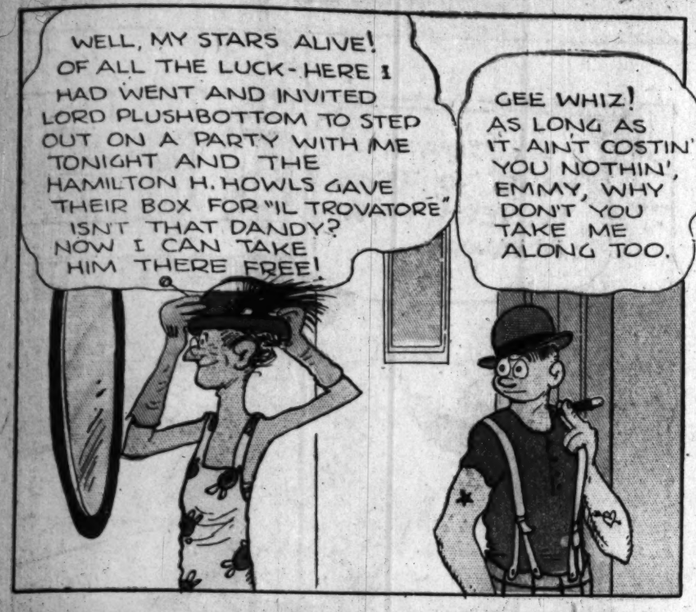
HE WAS YAPPIN' ABOUT MISSING OUT ON TH' EATS SO I STUFFED HIS MUSH FULL'A CAKE AND TIED TH' GAG ON AGAIN—

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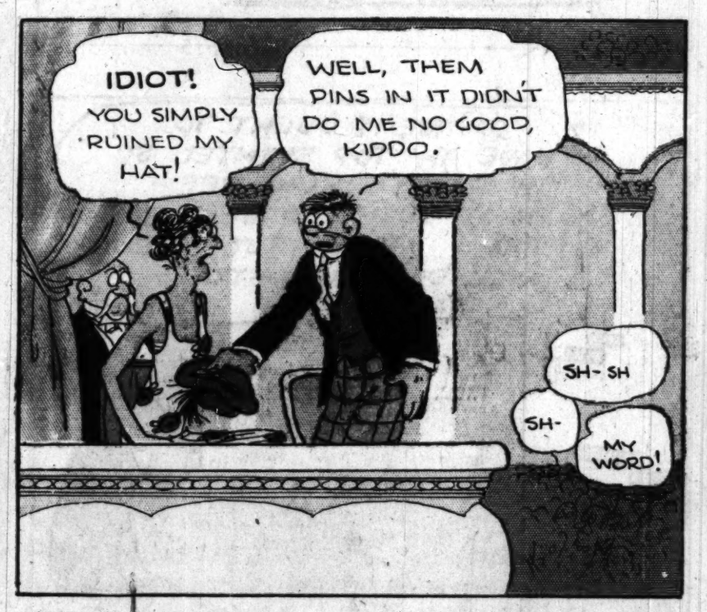








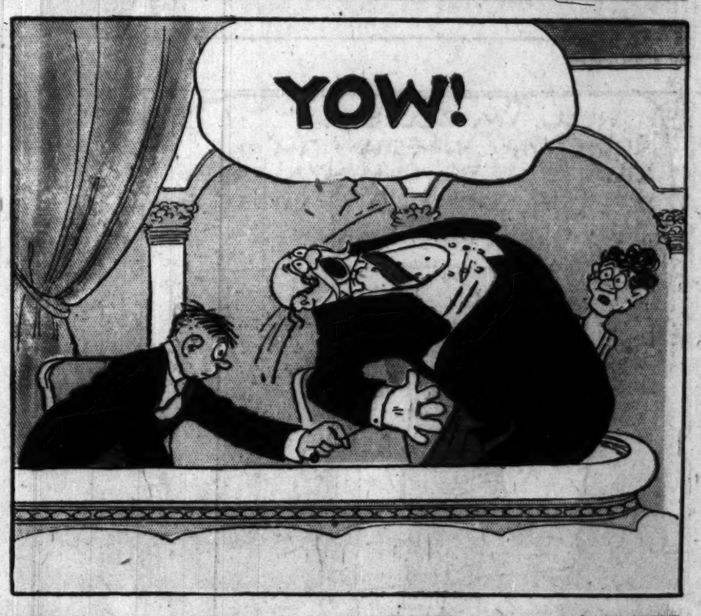




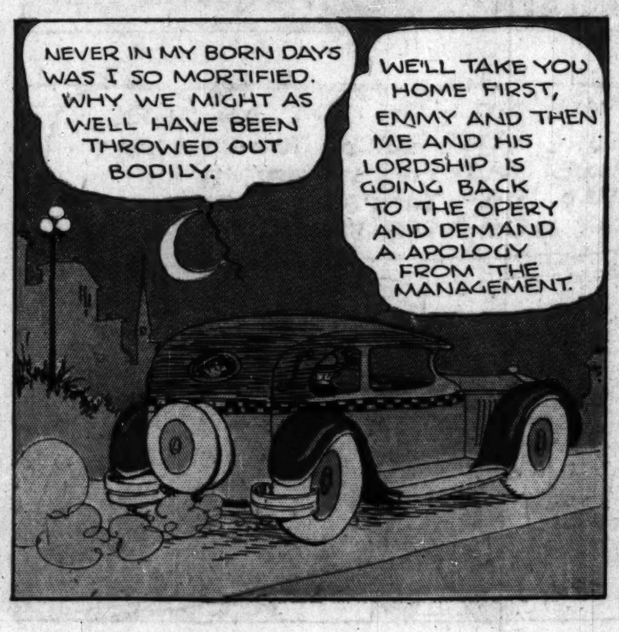














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Little Orphan Annie

FOR A BIRD NO OLDER'N YOU ARE, YOU'VE SURE GOT YER CRUST TO GO OUT WALKIN', IN THAT RIG— WHADDYUH THINK YUH ARE? ONE O' THESE SYNTHETIC DANCERS, OR SOMETHIN'?

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HAROLD GRAY

YESSIR, SANDY, THIS IS JUST TH' KIND O' BOX I'VE BEEN LOOKIN' ALL OVER FOR—

IT'S HEAVY AN' HARD TO MOVE, BUT IT'S REAL SOLID, AN' JUST TH' RIGHT SIZE—

I DON'T HAVE TO TAKE IT VERY FAR, ANYWAY—

THERE, NOW— GUESS THAT WON'T MAKE A SWELL STAND, EH?

COURSE IT OUGHT TO HAVE TH' TOP SLANTED SO TH' RAIN'LL RUN OFF— AN' IT OUGHT TO BE PAINTED, TOO, I S'POSE— BUT THIS WILL DO FOR A START—

A SARDINE CAN FOR A CASH REGISTER AN' TWO BRICKS TIED TOGETHER TO KEEP TH' WIND FROM BLOWIN' AWAY TH' PAPERS— AN' THESE BRICKS MIGHT COME IN HANDY IF ANY BIRD TRIES TO SWIPE MY PAPERS AGAIN, TOO— YUH CAN USE GOOD BRICKS FOR LOTS O' THINGS—

WELL, I'M ALL SET— COME ON, WAGON— TH' CROWD'LL BE COMIN' ALONG PRETTY SOON, AN' I WANT TO BE OPEN FOR BUSINESS—

'LO, JOHNNY— I'LL TAKE AN EXTRA TWENTY-FIVE THIS TIME.

HELLO, ANNIE— SOME STAND YOU'VE GOT THERE—

THE DAILY REFLECTOR

BY LETTIN' FOLKS WAIT ON THEMSELVES, WHILE I HUSTLE, I OUGHT TO BE ABLE TO SELL LOTS MORE PAPERS— WELL SEE—

DAILY R'FLECTOR! FINAL 'DITION— 'ALL 'BOUT TH' RAIDS LAST NIGHT—

SOLD OUT— OH, BOY! AN' THEY SURE WENT QUICK, TOO— I COULD HAVE SOLD FIFTY MORE IF I'D HAD 'EM— THAT'S SURE STARTIN' TH' NEW YEAR RIGHT—

YUH DON'T MIND WORKIN' WHEN YUH CAN SEE YER MAKIN' GOOD— BET THIS IS GOIN' TO BE A BIG YEAR FOR US, SANDY— TH' WAY I FEEL NOW I COULD SAY "HAPPY NEW YEAR" TO TH' MEANEST GUM IN TH' WORLD, AN' MEAN IT—

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WE WON'T DO—

Smitty.

WHO'S CHASING YOU, HERBY? FATHER TIME?

NO-JUST FATHER

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FIVE MINUTES MORE AND THE NEW YEAR WILL BE HERE

HURRY UP, HERB-WE GOTTA GET THE DISHPANS AND SEE THE NEW YEAR IN RIGHT

JUST A MINUTE, THERE JUST A MINUTE-PUT THOSE THINGS BACK

NOTHIN' DOING WITH THAT TINWARE! WE'RE NOT GOING TO HAVE ANY RACKET LIKE THAT IN THIS HOUSE

ALL THAT NOISE MAKING IS NOTHIN' BUT A LOT OF SILLY NONSENSE-WE CAN SEE THE NEW YEAR COME IN, WITHOUT GOING CRAZY OVER IT

PEOPLE GO WILD AND MAKE FOOLS OUT OF THEMSELVES, BLOWING HORNS, RINGING COW-BELLS, AND BANGING DISHPANS-IT'S STUPID

WE WON'T DO--

IT'S TWELVE O'CLOCK! HAPPY NEW YEAR EVERYBODY!!

HAPPY NEW YEAR TOOT-TOOT WHEE WHOOOO

WHEEEE RING OUT THE OLD YEAR GOOD LUCK BANG BANG RICKETY RACK

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HAPPY NEW YEAR OH YOU 1928 TOOT-TOOT WHEE

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TOOT TOOT TOOT YEAR BAM BAM BANG BANG CLUNK CLUNK

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A WONNE WINKLE

The Breadwinner.





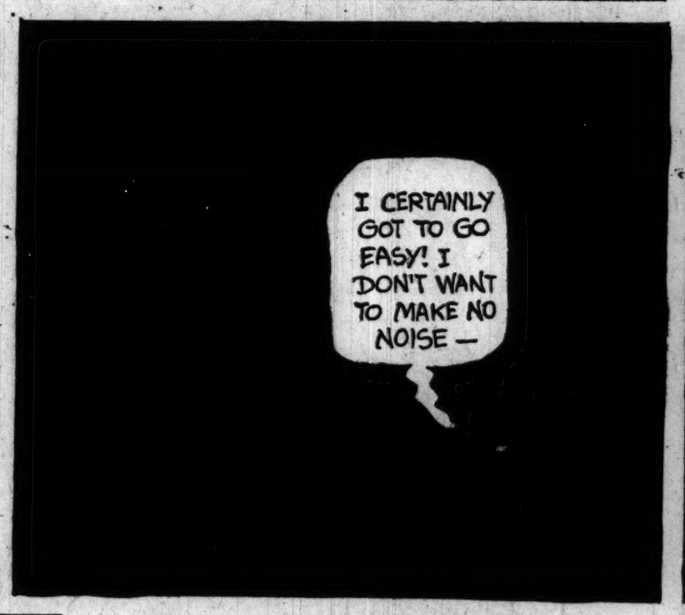






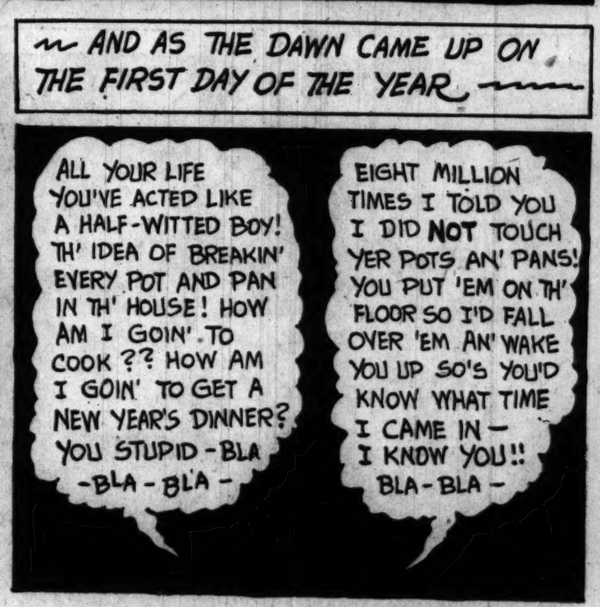














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BRANNER

TEXAS SLIM RUINS DIRTY DALTON'S HOLIDAY SPIRITS

HAPPY NEW YEAR

YEP - MR. AKERS SAID FOR ME TO KINDA PEP THINGS UP AT HIS NEW YEARS PARTY TONIGHT, DIRTY.

YEH - I GUESS YOU'RE THE GUY THAT PUT THE HAPPINESS IN HAPPY NEW-YEAR, AIN'T YOU.

TEXAS, DADDY HAS INVITED A FEW OF HIS MEN FRIENDS OVER TONIGHT AND I'M MAKING THEM SOME PUNCH.

CAN I HELP YOU ANY, JESSIE?

SURE, TEXAS - POUR THAT BOTTLE OF FLAVORING INTO IT WHILE I RUN DOWN TO THE DRUG STORE A MINUTE.

DADDY SAID THAT WAS OVER TEN YEARS OLD.

WELL, I'LL TASTE IT AND SEE IF IT'S SPOILT ANY.

UGH!

WHOOEEE — THAT'S TERRIBLE - GIVE THAT BOTTLE HERE!

YEH - IT'S A GOOD THING I THREW THAT STUFF OUT.

YES - IT MIGHT HAVE MADE SOMEBODY SICK.

WELL - SOMEBODY IS GONNA BE SICK FROM IT —

GOOD GRIEF, TEXAS, WHERE DID YOU GO?

POW!

WELL, HAPPY NEW YEAR FOLKS - SWELL PARTY YOU HAD.

YOU BLEW THE PARTY DIDN'T YOU, KID -? - WELL YOU'RE JUST AS WELL OFF, YOU MISSED SOME OF THAT PUNK PUNCH OLD MAN AKERS HAD.

JERD JOHNSON

I DIDN'T MISS IT - I GOT IT RIGHT IN THE EYE!

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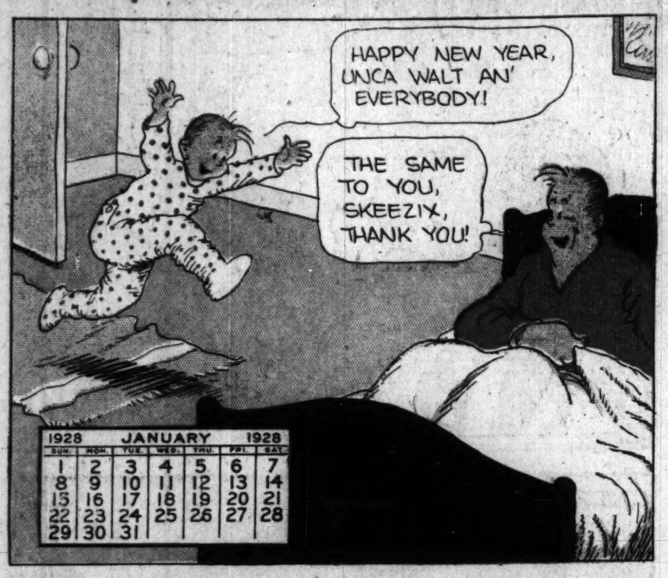
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Gasoline Alley

BOYS! ALSO GIRLS! THESE SQUARES CAN BE CUT APART AND PASTED AT THE TOP AND THEN ALL PASTED ONTO A LARGER PIECE OF CARDBOARD TO MAKE A SKEEZIX CALENDAR FOR 1928

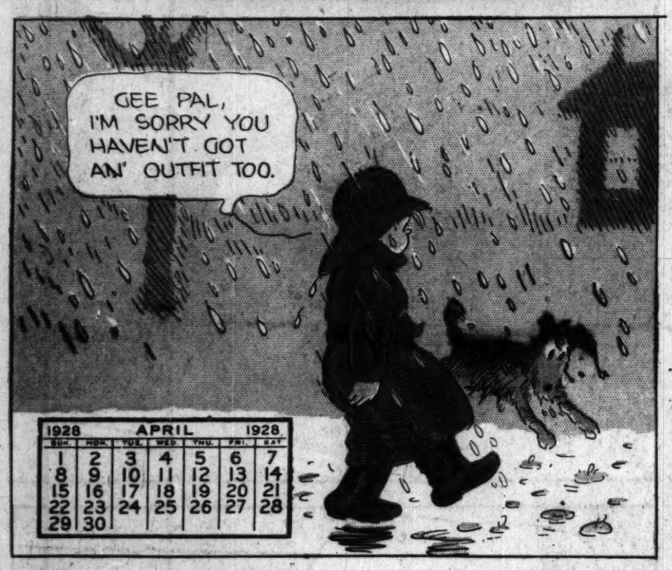


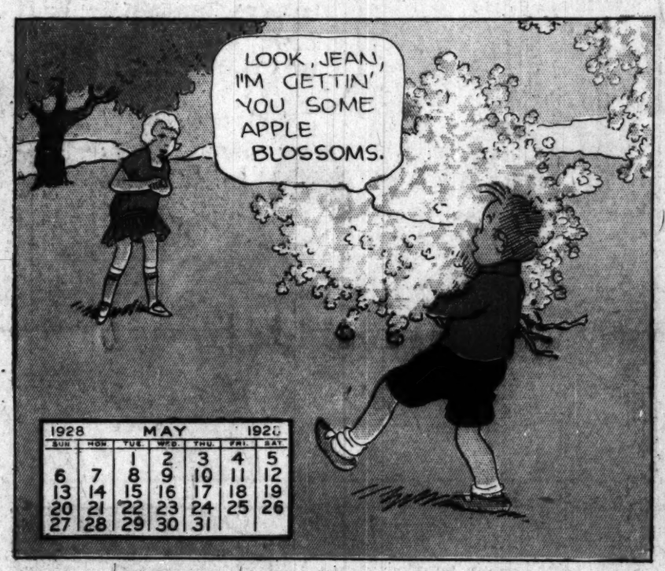






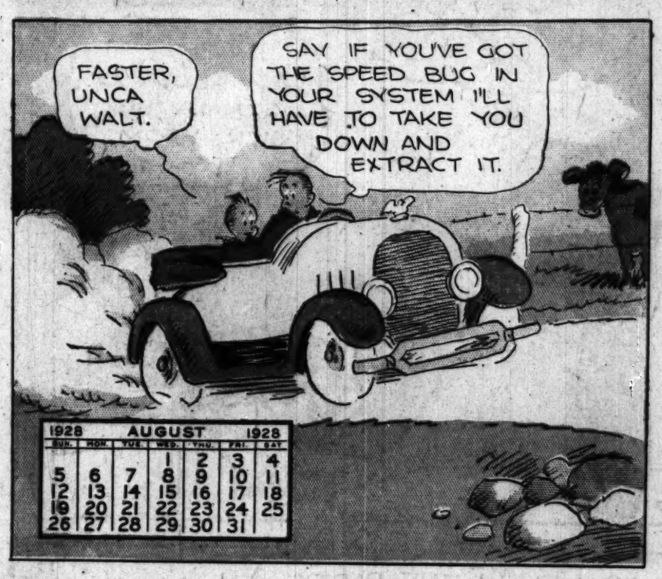






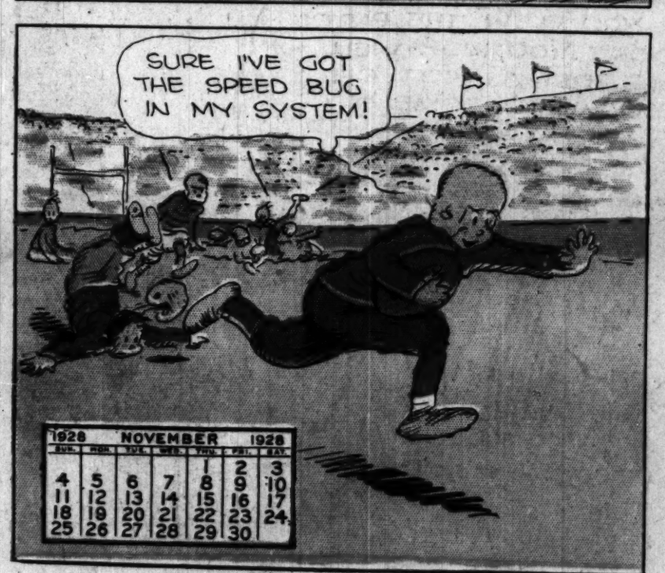












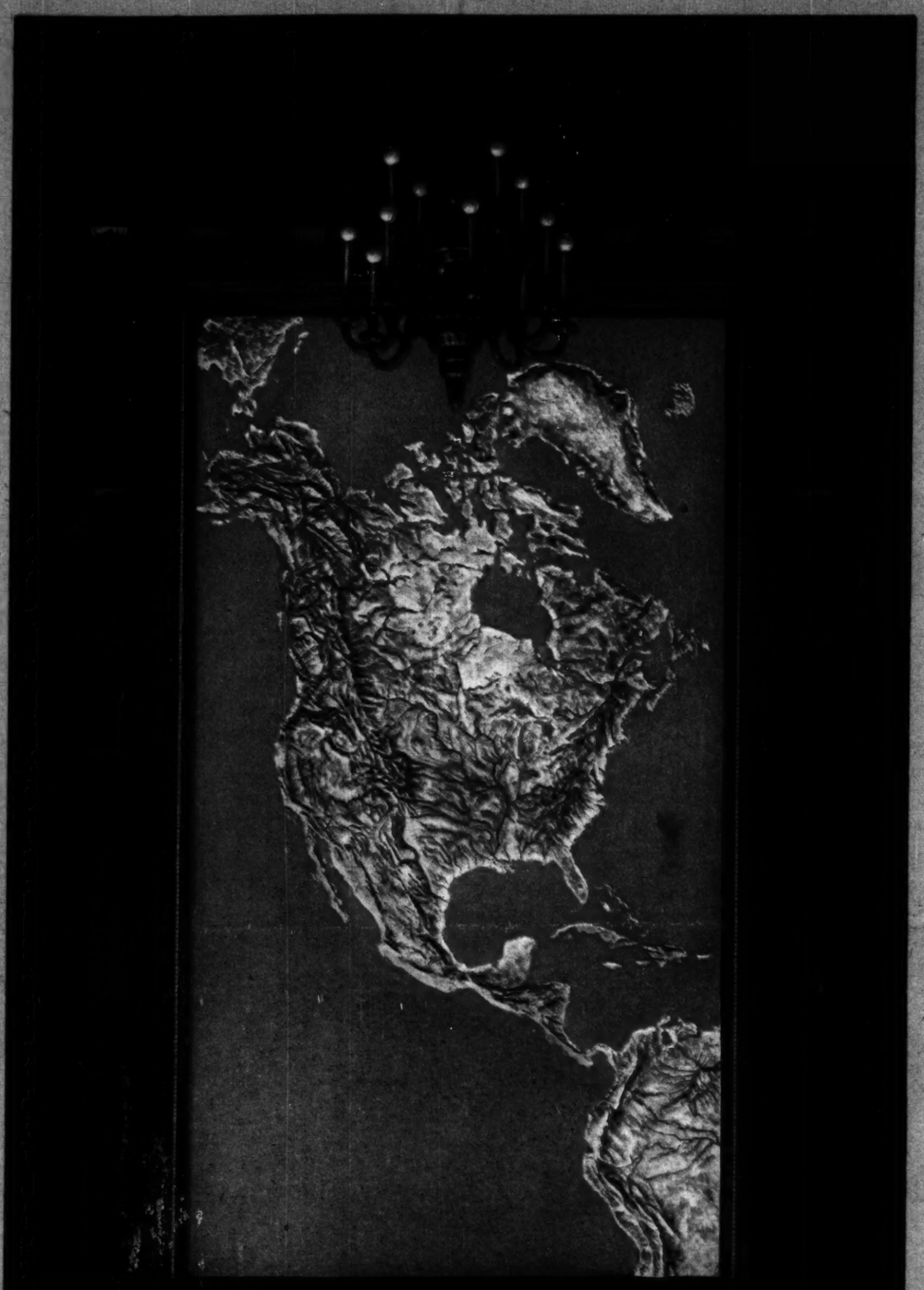


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"Tongues in trees, books in the running brooks, sermons in stones"—and, by that token, volumes of eloquence in the greatest relief map of North America ever made, hung in the lobby of Tribune Tower and here reproduced. In its portrayal of mountain and plain and river and lake, of the paths of destiny nature has carved for man, it delivers a tremendous pronouncement on the future of a mighty continent, on the reasons for things; it beckons the observer to read and, reading, to understand.

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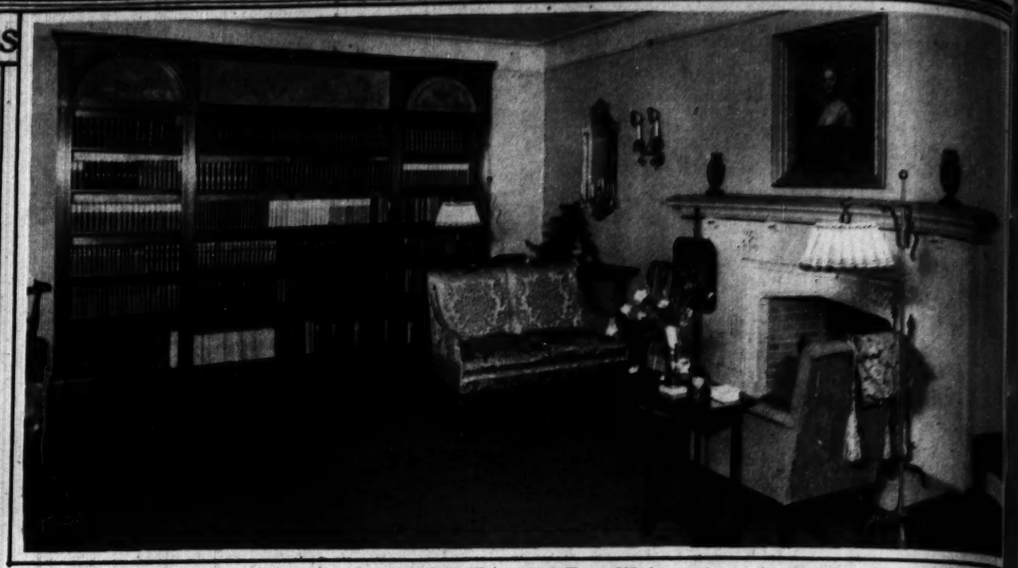
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Chicago Homes



A CHOICE OLD SECRETAIRE in black lacquer, the gold console, and the old Adam settee are interesting features of the living room in the Laurance H. Armours' Lake Forest place, "Two Gables." The chintz in the hangings and furniture covering has a green ground with bunches of roses and snapdragons.



IN THE OREN E. TAFT APARTMENT at 220 East Walton place, the architectural bookcase is one of the most admired appurtenances. The love seat by the fireplace is upholstered in the same blue damask of which the curtains are made. One of a pair of rare balancing antique mirrors is shown in the illustration.



THE LIVING ROOM of the D. Mark Cummings' apartment at 1550 State parkway boasts a fine old Georgian mantel. The love seats are covered in hand made loom material, and the mirror pictured is an important piece with blue glass bands painted inside the gold frame.



THE WINDOWS looking out on Lincoln park from the D. Mark Cummings' apartment are curtained in chartreuse colored brocatelle. The pair of chairs illustrated are in black lacquer, and the antique fern standard is in a greeny blue.

(All four photographs courtesy of Miss Gheen, Inc.)





DORNFORD YATES . . .
author of "Perishable Goods," an adventure serial which will appear in The Tribune soon, has had an eventful career . . . first Oxford . . . then law . . . the World War . . . marriage to an American girl . . .

Harold Teen . . . self-appointed campaign manager for Pop Jenks! . . . Pop is badly smitten with the charm of the Widow Hazzit and Harold gives him the benefit of his experience with "wimmin" —especially Lillums.



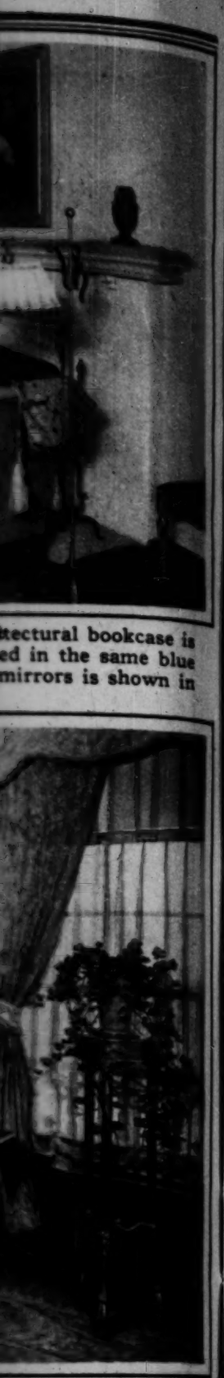
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Among the authors whose novels will be read first as Tribune serials in 1928 are Mary Synon, Henry C. Rowland, Alice Campbell, Gerald Mygatt, Winifred Boggs, Allan Raymond.

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THE LONE SURVIVOR of this group of legislators, photographed at Springfield about the year 1873, is David Warren Clark, who recently was installed for the 65th successive year as a Masonic officer in William B. Warren Lodge No. 209. Mr. Clark, 87, vice president of a Chicago bank, is sixth from the right. Reading left to right through the picture, are John J. Montague, Edward F. Gale, R. W. Dyball, John M. Smyth, Enfield Moore, P. R. Corcoran, Charles K. Herrick, John L. Brennan, Mr. Clark, Frank Beidler, William B. Ives, J. M. Gettneau, James Stewart, and William Hale Thompson, father of Chicago's present mayor. The picture hangs in the mayor's unofficial office in a loop hotel. (Tribune photograph.)

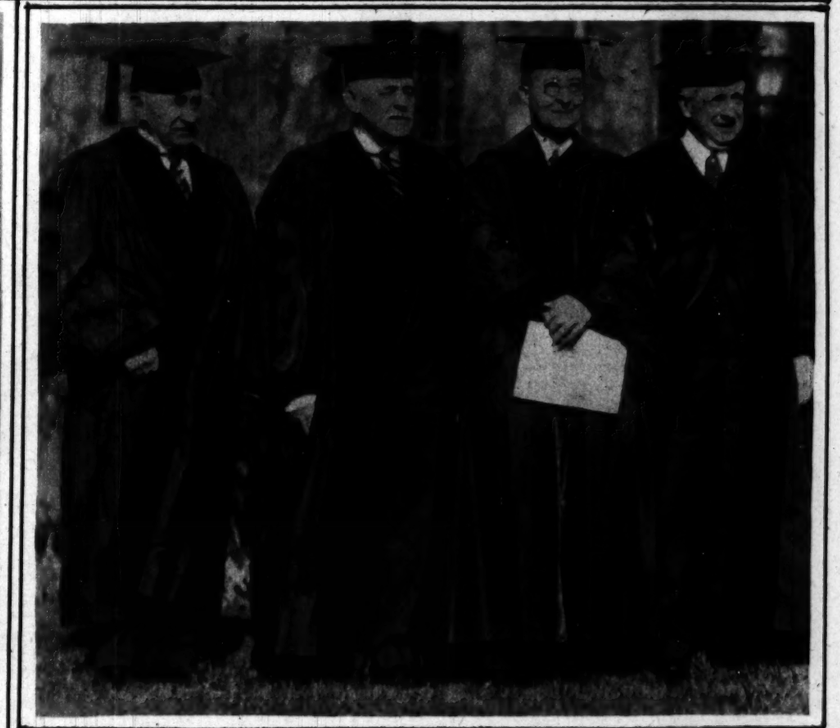


A ROYAL DOLL—This effigy of baby Princess Elizabeth was carried by Queen Mary of England in a procession at a London "doll ball." As you may remember, Elizabeth, twenty months old, is the daughter of the Duke and Duchess of York, and thus the granddaughter of the queen. (Photograph from Wide World.)

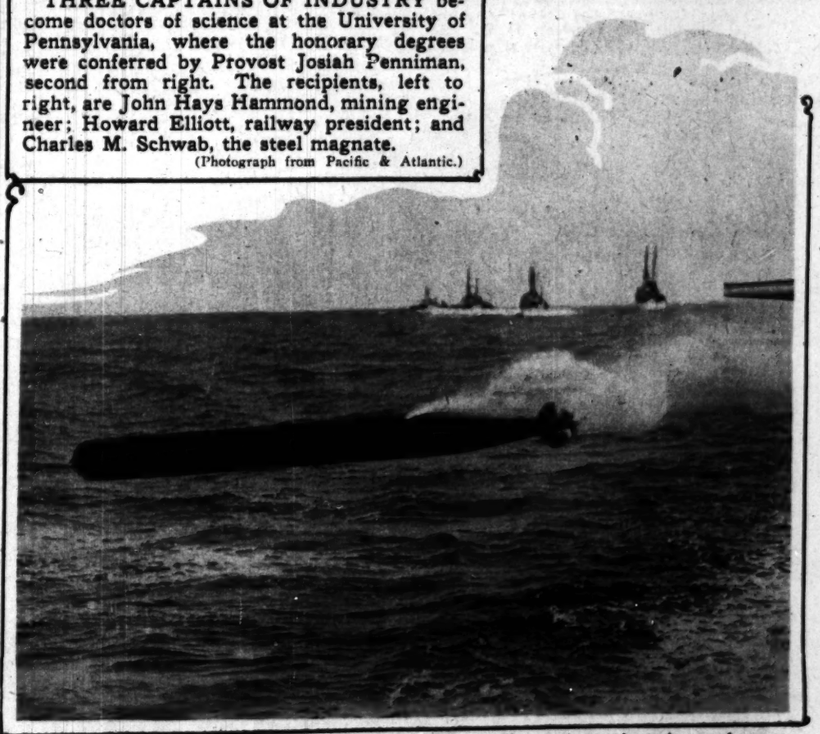
THE AMAZON—Phillips R. Holmes, son of Taylor Holmes, stage and screen comedian, dolls up for the leading feminine role, that of the czarevna, in this season's Princeton Triangle club production, "Napoleon Passes." Written and enacted entirely by Princeton graduates, the production is scheduled for a 4,100-mile trip. (Photograph from International.)



WHEN THE CLOCK STRUCK 12, right out from among the works popped Miss 1928—a pert and saucy lady, with 'n important piece to speak: "Happy New Year to you all!" (Photograph from Pacific and Atlantic.)



THREE CAPTAINS OF INDUSTRY become doctors of science at the University of Pennsylvania, where the honorary degrees were conferred by Provost Josiah Penniman, second from right. The recipients, left to right, are John Hays Hammond, mining engineer; Howard Elliott, railway president; and Charles M. Schwab, the steel magnate. (Photograph from Pacific & Atlantic.)



EXCITING THE PACIFIC—It looks like a cigar, but it packs a tremendous kick. It's a torpedo in the act of taking its lightning-like departure from the U. S. S. Cincinnati. The picture was made during Pacific ocean target practice. (Photograph from Underwood & Underwood.)

The University as a Workshop



PROF. ARTHUR H. COMPTON of the University of Chicago, winner of the Nobel prize in physics for 1927, in his laboratory at Ryerson hall. The X-ray tube he is holding was used in verifying the spectacular "Compton effect," which proves that X-rays collide with objects in their path, bouncing back with reduced energy and increased wavelength. Prof. Compton is an expert glass blower and he blew all the glass for his original experiments.



ALBERT A. MICHELSON, professor of physics at the University of Chicago, winner of the Nobel prize and one of the foremost physicists of the world, with one of his remarkable devices, the ruling machine. This machine will draw 10,000 to 50,000 absolutely parallel lines to an inch on a hard polished surface of speculum metal. A diamond point furnishes the cutting tool. The metal so ruled is known as a diffraction grating, and is used in spectroscopic work.



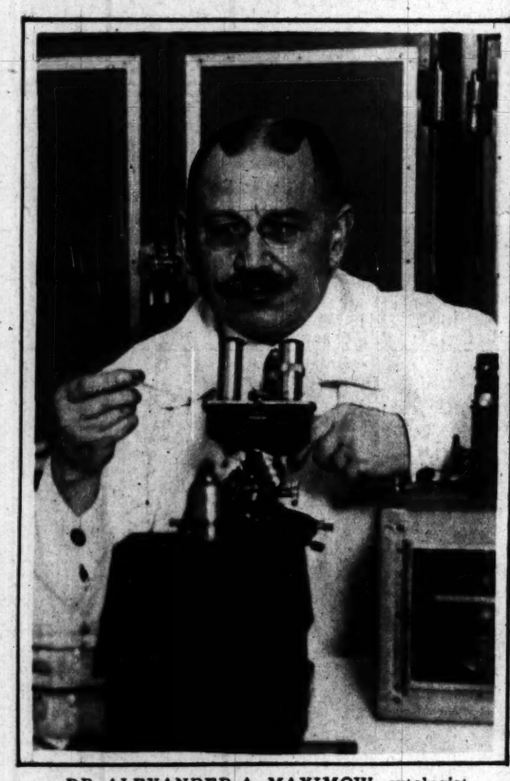
PROF. WILLIAM D. HARKINS of the department of chemistry was the first to separate an element into its constituent atoms. He did it with the apparatus which he is inspecting here.



TWELVE THOUSAND MICE whose ancestors have been in the laboratory for over one hundred generations are helping Prof. Maude Slye, a foremost cancer authority of the west, to determine the rules for the inheritance of cancer susceptibility. Each mouse is examined daily for the appearance of cancer, which in mice closely resembles the cancer in humans. Miss Slye lives in the laboratory and, with six assistants, takes the greatest possible care of the animals, keeping the laboratory at constant temperature and guarding against infection and epidemic.



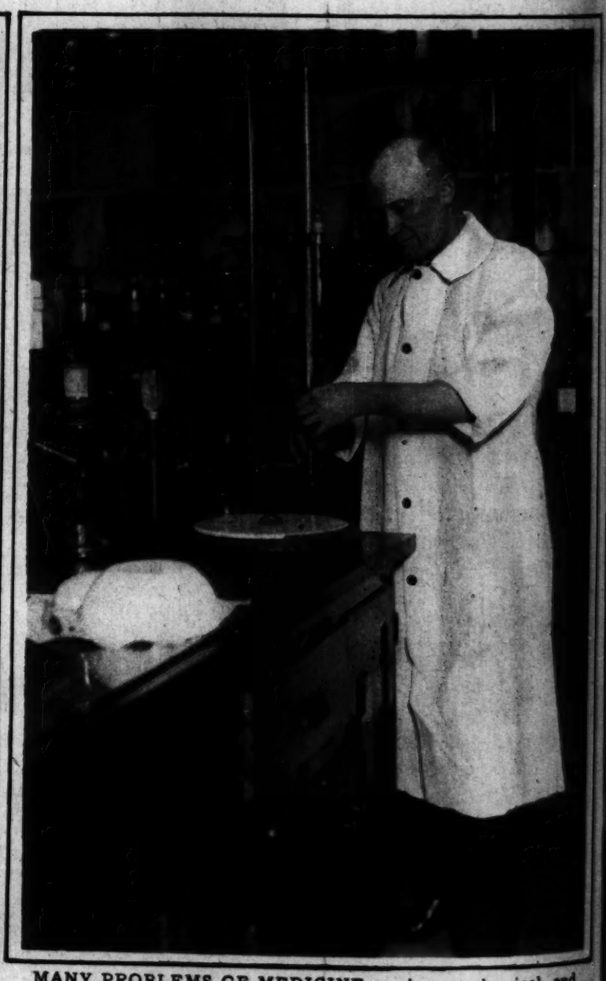
MORE THAN 2,000 GUINEA PIGS are housed in this annex to the Whitman zoological laboratories. The breeding of the guinea pigs is for a study of inheritance traits, which is being made under the direction of Prof. Sewell Wright.



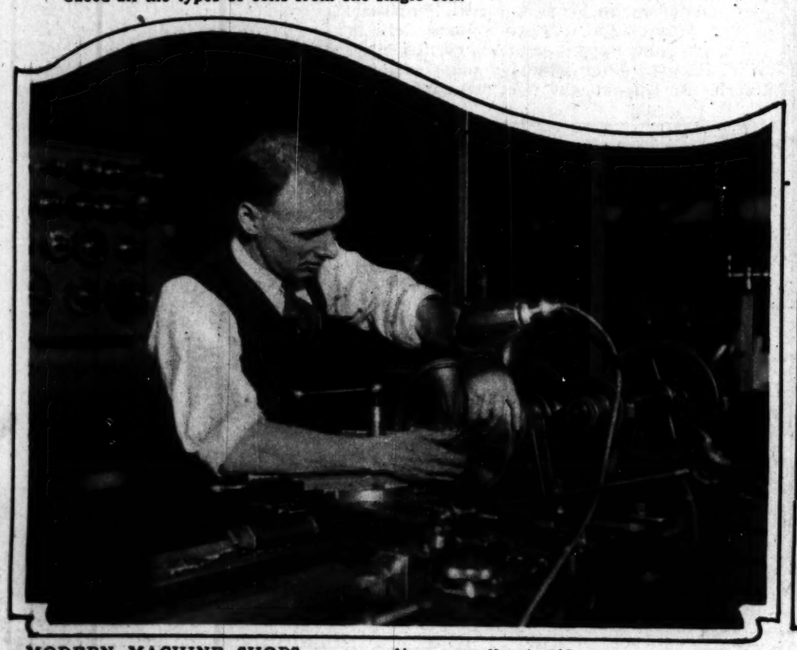
DR. ALEXANDER A. MAXIMOW, cytologist of the University of Chicago, has made distinguished studies of the changes in blood cells and the interrelation between types. He has produced all the types of cells from one single cell.



THE ASTRONOMER must remain at his work for hours, sometimes night after night for months. Here Prof. S. B. Barrett of Yerkes Observatory of the University of Chicago at Williams Bay, Wis., is working with the huge 40-inch telescope.



MANY PROBLEMS OF MEDICINE are in part chemical, and the physiological chemist is called on to go behind the surface facts and determine the chemistry of a diseased condition. Dr. Frederick Koch of the physiological chemistry department of the university is one of many investigators engaged in an unceasing laboratory attack on disease.



MODERN MACHINE SHOPS are an adjunct to all scientific work. Here T. O. O'Donnell, foreman of the Ryerson physical laboratory shop, is operating a precision lathe, forming a pectrometer table for use in research apparatus. Many of the delicate and ingenious machines which the famous Albert A. Michelson uses in his researches are made here.



PHYSICISTS at the University of Chicago last month obtained evidence that there is argon in the corona of the sun. Harvey B. Lemon of the physics department is shown with the laboratory apparatus with which he is attempting to excite the same spectrum as the one discovered in the sun, to check on the previous experiment. Argon is used commercially to fill incandescent lamps.

(All photographs from Pacific and Atlantic.)

NINE YEARS AGO

Christmas Week with the Yanks Overseas



CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS! AND GOIN' HOME!—Dec. 25, 1918, was a glorious day for the boys of the 311th field signal battalion. Here we have them attending a Christmas community program at Les Montils, Loir et Cher, France, just before leaving for America.



THE DAY BEFORE CHRISTMAS IN LUXEMBOURG—Wirtgen place, Diekirch, Luxembourg, pictured as men of the 108th field signal battalion, formerly company A, Illinois signal corps, were busy stringing telephone wires.



SANTA CLAUS MOTORIZED—Trucks of the 108th supply train, an organization made up of detachments of the former 7th Illinois infantry, at their headquarters in Diekirch, Luxembourg. The picture was taken Christmas day after the trucks had returned from delivering Christmas supplies to other organizations in the neighborhood.



BOY, WHAT A DINNER!—The American soldiers enjoyed their after-dinner cigars and cigarets in one of the extra dining rooms thrown open in the Hotel de l'Europe in Diekirch, Luxembourg, after the main dining room had been filled. The men were from the 33rd division, an Illinois organization.



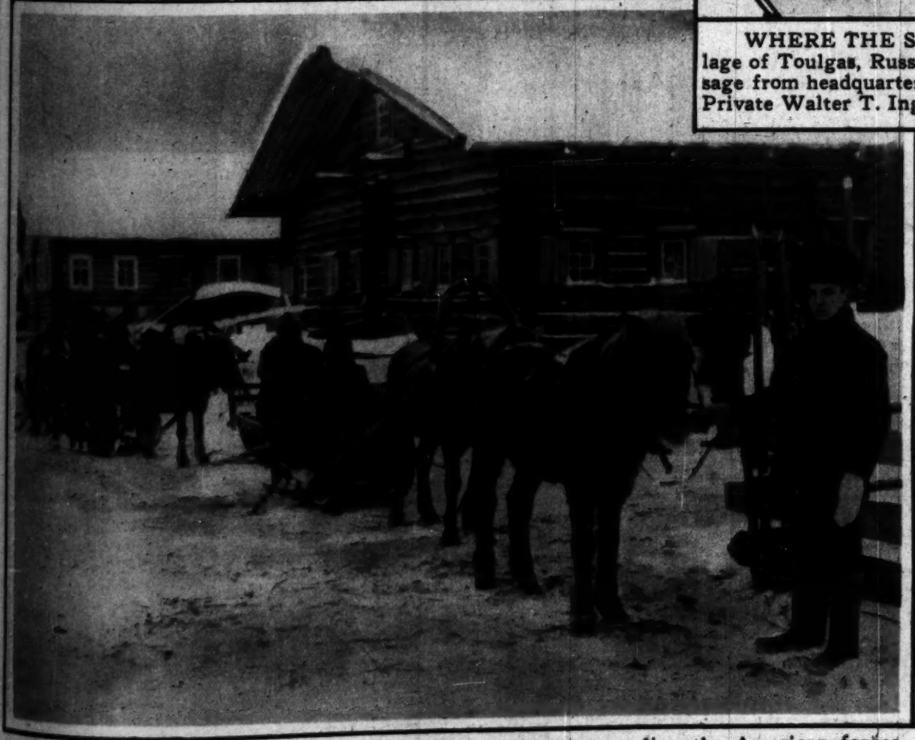
IN RUSSIA—Santa Claus, impersonated by the Red Cross, was good to the boys of the 337th Field hospital, stationed at Berezniki, Russia, each man in the detachment and each patient in the hospital receiving a stocking containing sweets and cigarets. The photograph shows Paul Rupright joshing Olga Carelina, a Russian nurse attached to the hospital, as Leonard E. Doeren, Arthur H. Sluyter, Adolph Schneeberger, Charles E. Pooley, Peter J. Elazjewski, Alexander J. Mazur and Carl L. Duda examine their stockings.



WHERE THE SNOW WAS DEEP—A listening post near the village of Toulgas, Russia. Private Andrew T. Nelson is delivering a message from headquarters to Corp. Anthony Ross, in charge of the post, as Private Walter T. Ingham stands by.



'TIS MORE BLESSED TO GIVE—A little Russian boy, cold and hungry, wandered into the quarters of the 337th Field hospital detachment at Berezniki, Russia, Christmas morning, 1918, and discovered there was a Santa Claus after all. When W. E. Bails, Gilford W. Stevens, Joseph K. Piastupa, Carl Duda, Peter A. Howard, Henry C. Reinhardt and Irving Henderson got through with him he had a new sweater, socks, skates, sweets and even cigarets.



RUSSIAN TAXICABS—Col. George E. Stewart, commanding the American forces in Northern Russia, passing through the village of Chamova on his way from an inspection trip to the Dwina river front at Toulgas. These typical Russian ponies and the queer sleds were the only means of transportation between Archangel and the Dwina river posts.

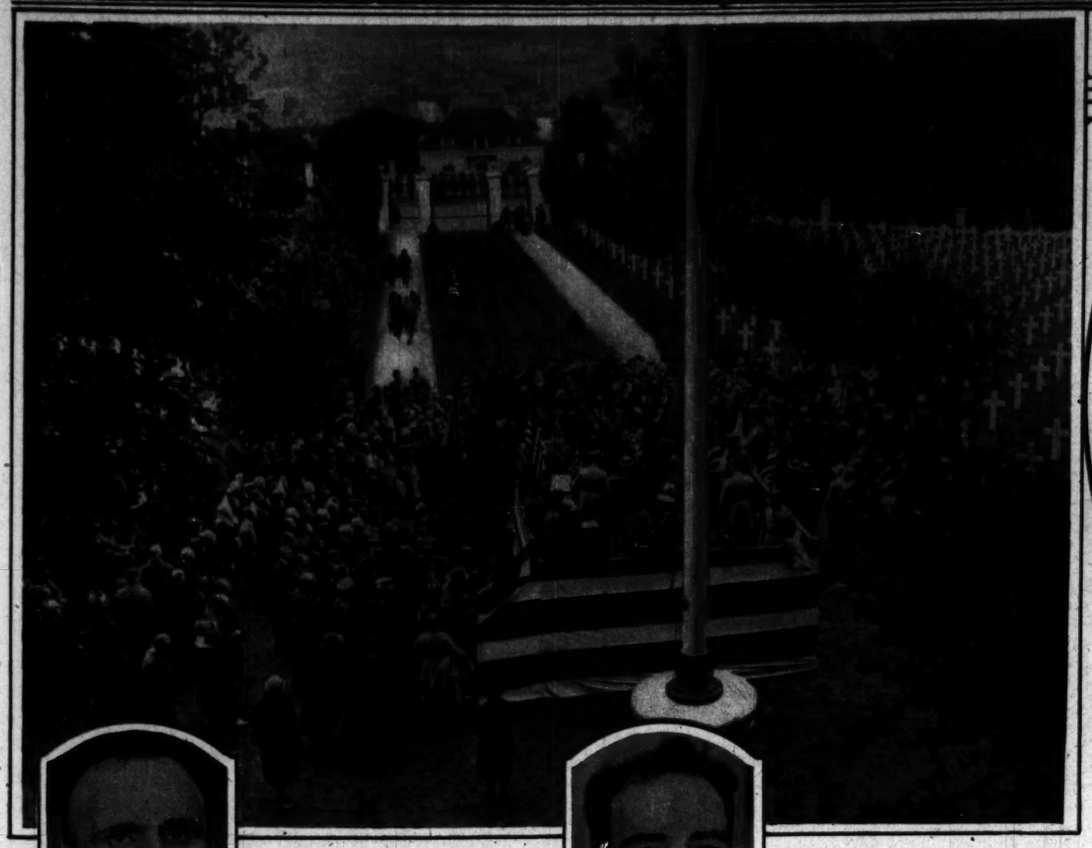


CHRISTMAS IN BED—Sister Olga Carelina, a Russian nurse, acting as Santa Claus to Private Dale L. Wilson, company B, 339th infantry, who was a patient in the 337th field hospital at Berezniki, Russia.



AT THE OFFICERS' MESS—Christmas dinner being served officers at the 337th field hospital, Berezniki, Russia. Left to right, Lieuts. T. B. Jones and L. E. Cote, James H. Howell, acting dental surgeon, Capt. R. M. Martin, Lieut. Eugene Sexton, Sister Olga Carelina and Lieut. Charles I. Reid. (All photographs from the U. S. Signal corps.)

The Old Year in Pictur



THE LEGIONNAIRES WENT BACK to the battlefields of '18 for the Paris convention of "the second A.E.F." Portrayed: Americans and French joining at Suresnes cemetery, near Paris, in tribute to Yanks who never came back from over there.
(Photograph from Pacific and Atlantic.)



DEATH TOOK THE DEAN OF ACTORS, John Drew, who passed away at San Francisco June 9. He had lived nearly 74 years, and had given fifty-four years of that time to the stage.
(Photograph from Freudy.)



THE SACCO-VANZETTI CASE ROCKED THE WORLD. Riots of radicals around the globe preceded the execution of the two in Massachusetts for murder after a legal drama seven years long. Pictured, a New York mob of 10,000. Inserts, Bartolomeo Vanzetti, at left, and Nicola Sacco.
(Mob picture, Underwood & Underwood; Sacco and Vanzetti, Pacific and Atlantic.)



THE MARINES LANDED IN NICARAGUA to protect American lives as that stormy land seethed with political revolt, and still remain as guarantors of peace effected between the warring factions. The rebel capture of this ship in a forbidden zone was one of the incidents that precipitated intervention.
(Photograph from Pacific and Atlantic.)



JAPAN BURIED AN EMPEROR with rites handed down from antiquity, rites that amazed the western world with their picturesque and lavish splendor. Here, "the banner of the sun," at the right, and "the banner of the moon" in the funeral procession.
(Photograph from Pacific and Atlantic.)



A SHIP WENT DOWN AT SEA, the Italian liner Princess Mafalda, and carried 314 to their doom following a boiler explosion off Bahia, Brazil. Rescue of 945 is pictorially recorded here.
(Photograph copyright by Pacific and Atlantic.)



CHICAGO BUILT A TWO-LEVEL CROSSING, pointing the way to safe treatment of overloaded highway intersections. Observe the tunnel and overhead road of the grade separation in Lincoln park.
(Tribune photograph.)



LINDBERGH, the young, the audacious, the lovable, fi... imagination of the world with his solo flight to Paris and ... captured its heart with his unpretentious charm. And the ... responded by heaping adulation and countless honors upon th... of the flying age.
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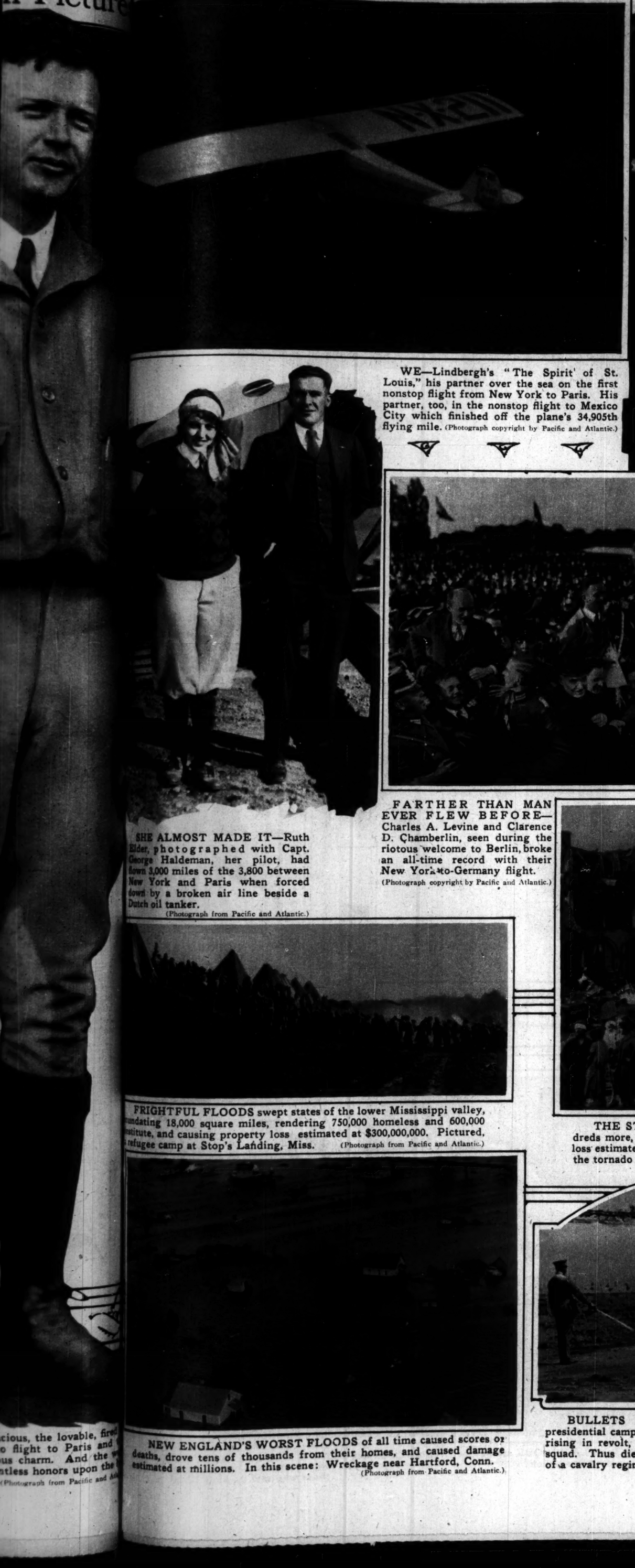


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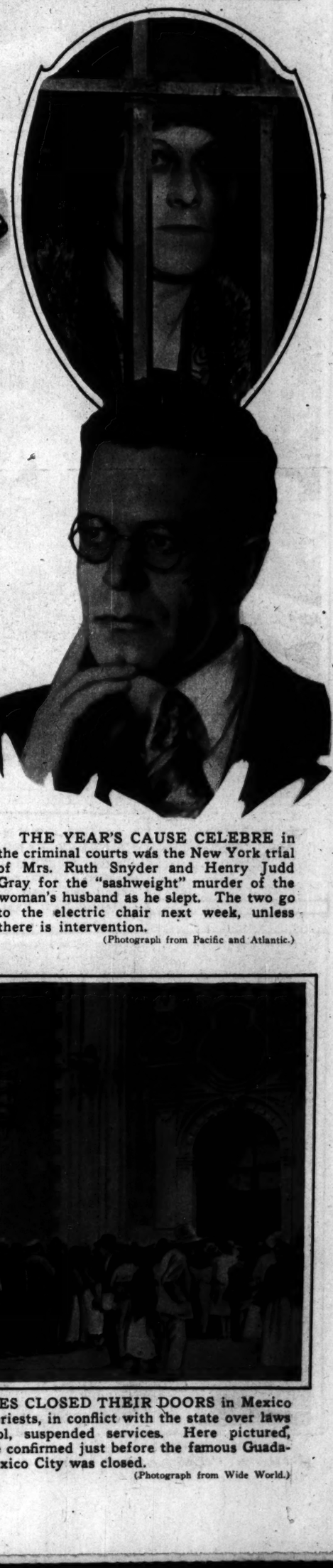
WE—Lindbergh's "The Spirit' of St. Louis," his partner over the sea on the first nonstop flight from New York to Paris. His partner, too, in the nonstop flight to Mexico City which finished off the plane's 34,905th flying mile. (Photograph copyright by Pacific and Atlantic.)



HE DOES NOT CHOOSE TO RUN—President Coolidge spent a summer in the Black Hills, where he was photographed beneath the ten gallons of hat, and then precipitated a national head-scratching with his famous decision on the 1928 presidential race.
(Photograph from Pacific and Atlantic.)



A BOY KING, Michael—and hence, "King Mike"—ascended the Roumanian throne at the age of 6 upon his royal grandfather's death. And his majesty's first remark was, "Mother, I'm hungry. When do we eat?" (Photograph from Pacific and Atlantic.)



THE YEAR'S CAUSE CELEBRE in the criminal courts was the New York trial of Mrs. Ruth Snyder and Henry Judd Gray for the "sashweight" murder of the woman's husband as he slept. The two go to the electric chair next week, unless there is intervention.
(Photograph from Pacific and Atlantic.)



FARTHER THAN MAN EVER FLEW BEFORE—Charles A. Levine and Clarence D. Chamberlin, seen during the riotous welcome to Berlin, broke an all-time record with their New York-to-Germany flight.
(Photograph copyright by Pacific and Atlantic.)

SHE ALMOST MADE IT—Ruth Elder, photographed with Capt. George Haldeman, her pilot, had flown 3,000 miles of the 3,800 between New York and Paris when forced down by a broken air line beside a Dutch oil tanker.
(Photograph from Pacific and Atlantic.)



THE ST. LOUIS TORNADO killed nearly a hundred, injured hundreds more, and laid waste six square miles of homes and stores, causing loss estimated at $100,000,000. It was the city's most terrible disaster since the tornado of May 27, 1896, in which 450 died. (Photograph from Pacific and Atlantic.)

FRIGHTFUL FLOODS swept states of the lower Mississippi valley, inundating 18,000 square miles, rendering 750,000 homeless and 600,000 destitute, and causing property loss estimated at $300,000,000. Pictured, a refugee camp at Stop's Landing, Miss. (Photograph from Pacific and Atlantic.)

NEW ENGLAND'S WORST FLOODS of all time caused scores of deaths, drove tens of thousands from their homes, and caused damage estimated at millions. In this scene: Wreckage near Hartford, Conn.
(Photograph from Pacific and Atlantic.)



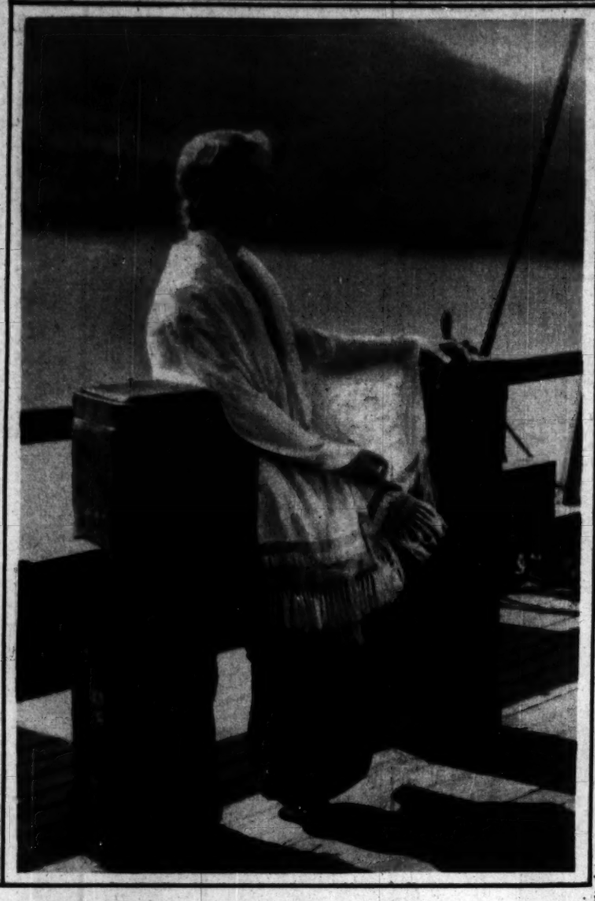
BULLETS REPLACED BALLOTS in the Mexican presidential campaign; candidates opposing the Calles regime, rising in revolt, were captured and eliminated by the firing squad. Thus died Gen. Alfredo Rueda Quijano, commander of a cavalry regiment, as this extraordinary picture records.
(Photograph from International.)



AND CHURCHES CLOSED THEIR DOORS in Mexico as Roman Catholic priests, in conflict with the state over laws for religious control, suspended services. Here pictured, crowds waiting to be confirmed just before the famous Guadalupe cathedral in Mexico City was closed.
(Photograph from Wide World.)

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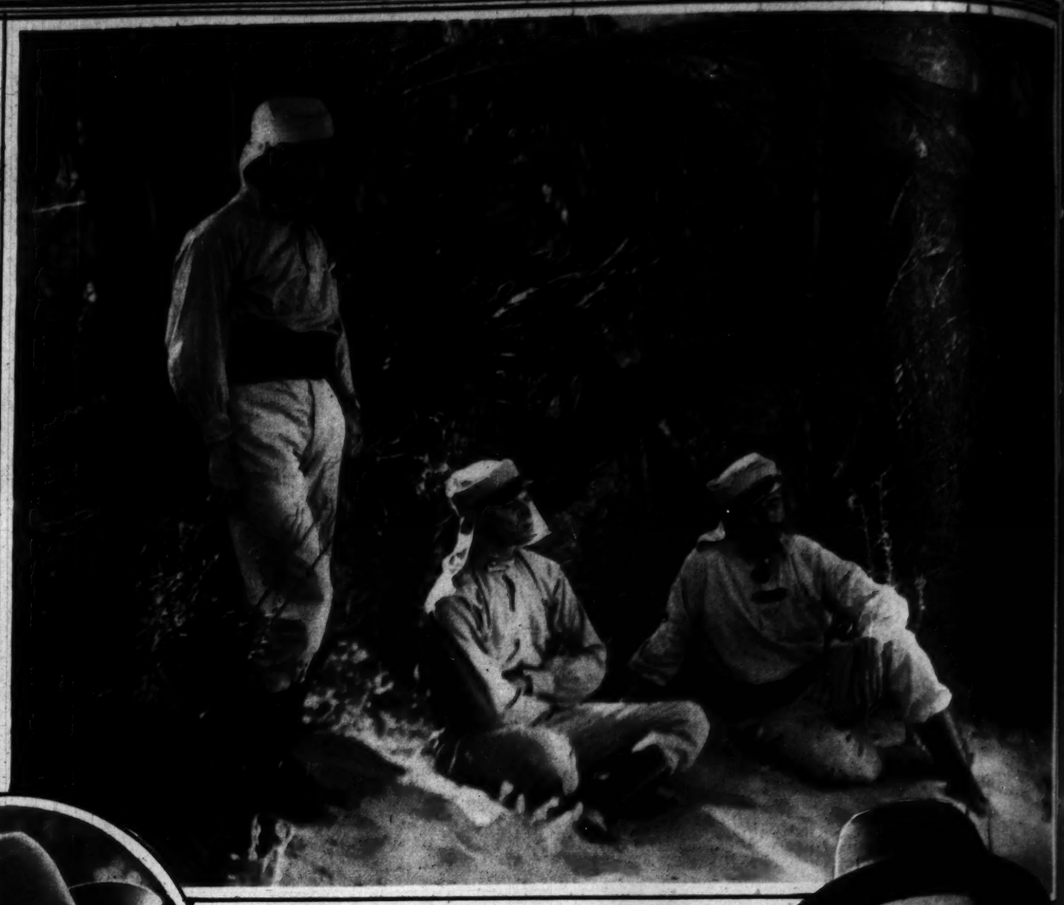
In the BEST MOVIES *of* 1927



ESTHER RALSTON is the beautiful lady here. The scene is from "Old Ironsides," which was, as you know if you saw it, one mighty fine movie.



LILLIAN GISH was the charming heroine in "Annie Laurie," another of the year's banner offerings. This is her latest and loveliest photograph.





FRANK HOPPER, after a nation wide search, was chosen for the role of Theodore Roosevelt in "The Rough Riders." Looks just like Teddy in this pix, doesn't he?

RONALD COLMAN'S performance in "Beau Geste" is one great reason why the picture is to be named as among the best of 1927. Here he stands, looking all so cryptic.

Captions by Mae Tinee, whose annual review of last year's best movies appears in the drama section of today's Tribune.



PHYLLIS HAVER, all so coy, smiles in the face of a bearded boy—who is none other than Emil Jannings. Of course you know that this scene is from that world beater of a picture, "The Way of All Flesh."



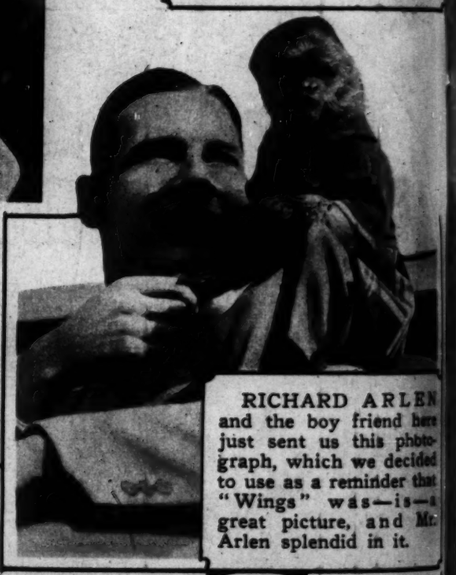
WILLIAM HAINES, center; Lon Chaney, right; Eddie Gribbon, left—in "Tell It to the Marines." There was a film that marked time!



JANET GAYNOR AND CHARLES FARRELL were the two delightful stars in "7th Heaven." This new photograph we hand you with a "Happy New Year!"



RICHARD BARTHELMESS AND MOLLY O'DAY are here discovered powwowing in a scene from "The Patent Leather Kid" which—didn't you like? We did.



RICHARD ARLEN and the boy friend here just sent us this photograph, which we decided to use as a reminder that "Wings" was—is—a great picture, and Mr. Arlen splendid in it.



RALPH FORBES, about to pay and pay and pay at the hands of Lon Chaney in "Mr. Wu." One sad—and beautiful!—movie.



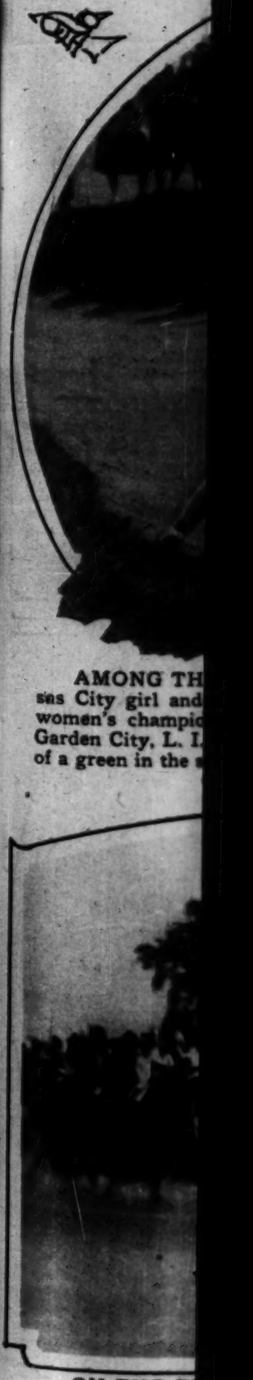
DOLORES DEL RIO AND ROD LA ROCQUE are gay here. But O, how differently they look in after scenes of "Resurrection"!



AL JOLSON, full of pep and pathos, made "The Jazz Singer" a film that will linger long in the memories of those who saw it. Here he is!



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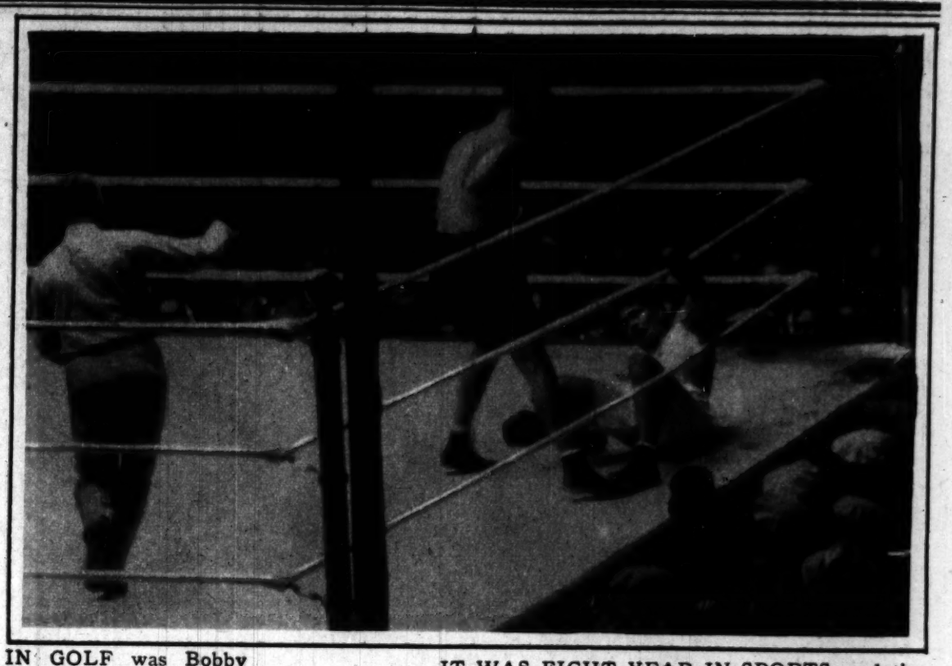
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BASEBALL'S KING—Babe Ruth, the New York Yankees' slugging outfielder, who broke his own home run record of fifty-nine, made in 1921, by knocking sixty circuit drives in or out of the various parks on the American league circuit. (Photograph from Wide World.)



SUPREME IN GOLF was Bobby Jones of Atlanta. He rose to superb heights by winning the British Open championship with 285, the lowest score ever recorded in an open championship in the United States or England, and then wading through America's best players to win the U. S. amateur title.
(Photograph from Pacific and Atlantic.)



IT WAS FIGHT YEAR IN SPORTS, and the ring peak was reached when Jack Dempsey, fighting to regain the heavyweight crown, dropped Gene Tunney in this seventh round of their battle at Soldiers' field in Chicago. This was the now famous knockdown which brought that long count that is still being argued wherever fight fans gather.
(Photograph from Pacific and Atlantic.)



CHICAGO TURNED OUT FOOTBALL'S GREATEST CROWD when 117,000 fans saw Notre Dame beat the Trojans of Southern California, 7 to 6, at Soldiers' field. The season was one of upsets, apparently strong teams falling, week after week, before apparently weaker ones, and as a result no eleven could lay claim to the mythical national championship. In the east, Yale and Pittsburgh went through the season with the best records, while Illinois was triumphant in the Western Conference or Big Ten, and the University of Missouri won the Missouri Valley title.
(Tribune photograph.)



AMONG THE WOMEN GOLFERS, Mrs. Miriam Burns Horn, Kansas City girl and former Northwestern university co-ed, won the national women's championship by defeating Miss Maureen Orcutt in the final at Garden City, L. I. Here you see Mrs. Horn playing from a trap at the edge of a green in the semi-finals of the big tourney. (Photograph from Pacific and Atlantic.)



FRANCE SUPREME IN TENNIS—The Davis cup, emblematic of the world's team tennis championship, was captured by these invaders, and Rene La Coste, a member of the triumphant team, also won the American singles championship. The French invaders, pictured above, are La Coste, Henri Cochet, Pierre Gillou, non-playing captain, Jacques Brugnon, and Jean Borotra.
(Photograph from Pacific and Atlantic.)



TENNIS QUEEN—After months of inactivity because of illness, Helen Wills journeyed to England and won the women's world singles championship; then, partnered with Miss Elizabeth Ryan, she also won the women's world doubles title. After which Helen came back to America and regained the American singles crown (Photograph from Pacific and Atlantic.)



ON THE TURF—Whiskery won the racing feature of the year by nosing out Osmand in the historic Kentucky Derby at Louisville.
(Photograph from Pacific and Atlantic.)

New Year Fun-Makers *in* Chicago



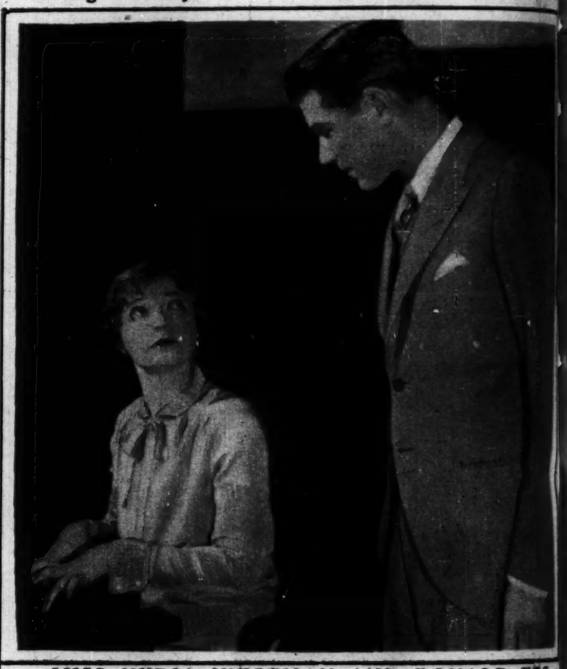
MISS ETHEL BARRYMORE, making her first visit (other than in the two-a-day) since she acted here in "The Second Mrs. Tanqueray." She is in the Harris in Maugham's "The Constant Wife," in which she had last year a long run in New York.



MISS KAY McHUGH, whose eminence consists in being regarded as the leader of the girls in "A Night in Spain" when they are singing and dancing as the belles of Seville, where the barbers come from.



GLENN HUNTER, who may be observed in his impersonation of a misunderstood painter in "Behold This Dreamer!" in the Blackstone. He was here last season in "Young Woodley."



MISS NYDIA WESTMAN AND DONALD FOSTER are pictured in a scene in "Two Girls Wanted," in the Cort. She was last here in "Pigs," and he in "Alias the Deacon."



H. REEVES-SMITH AND MISS IVY SAWYER in the final act of "Just Fancy!" wherein he, as a courtly British nobleman, is explaining to her, as a New York society girl of the 'Sixties, why it would be all wrong, all wrong for her to wed with the Prince of Wales, although she loves the P. of W. (Miss Sawyer is Mrs. Santley.)

MR. AND MRS. JOSEPH SANTLEY are here pictured *in propria persona*, as it were. Or, if it be not as it were, they are shown as they are when not in their new conveyance, "Just Fancy!" which is in the Olympic.



HARRY K. MORTON AND MISS ERNESTYNE JEANNE in "Countess Maritza," whereof he is the principal cut-up. He has been popular in Chicago since the run, some years ago, of "The Sweetheart-Shop." (It seems well to add that Miss Jeanne is, offstage, Mrs. Walter Woolf; and Mr. W. W. is the handsome baritone in the operetta.)



THE SIX, as they are known in the best photographic circles, are from the line-up of young women told, when the wardrobe-woman hands their costumes to them each night, that they are to impersonate Argentinian beaux in "A Night in Spain," which is the current nonsense in the Four Cohans.



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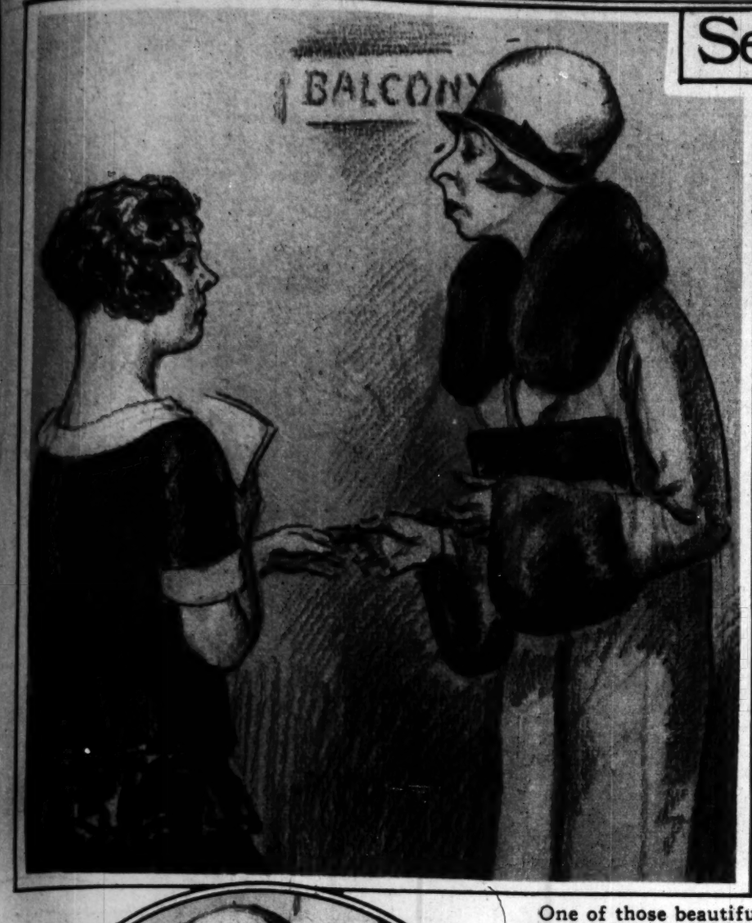
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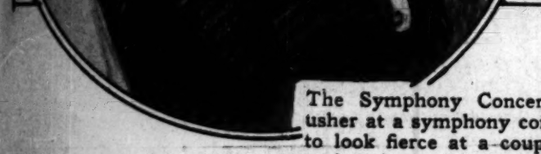


One of those beautiful but unintelligent blondes who bring gray hairs to the most hardened ushers. She has slipped past the doorman with tickets for a matinee at another theater, and simply can't understand the mixup.



The Revue. And here, if you please, is none other than Miss Ida Krausbergen, who is lending a little atmosphere to the center aisle pending a performance of Artists and Frolics of 1928. Being shown into an orchestra seat by Ida is almost like knowing an actress.





The Symphony Concert. Just an usher at a symphony concert trying to look fierce at a couple of whispering late arrivals—and succeeding very well.



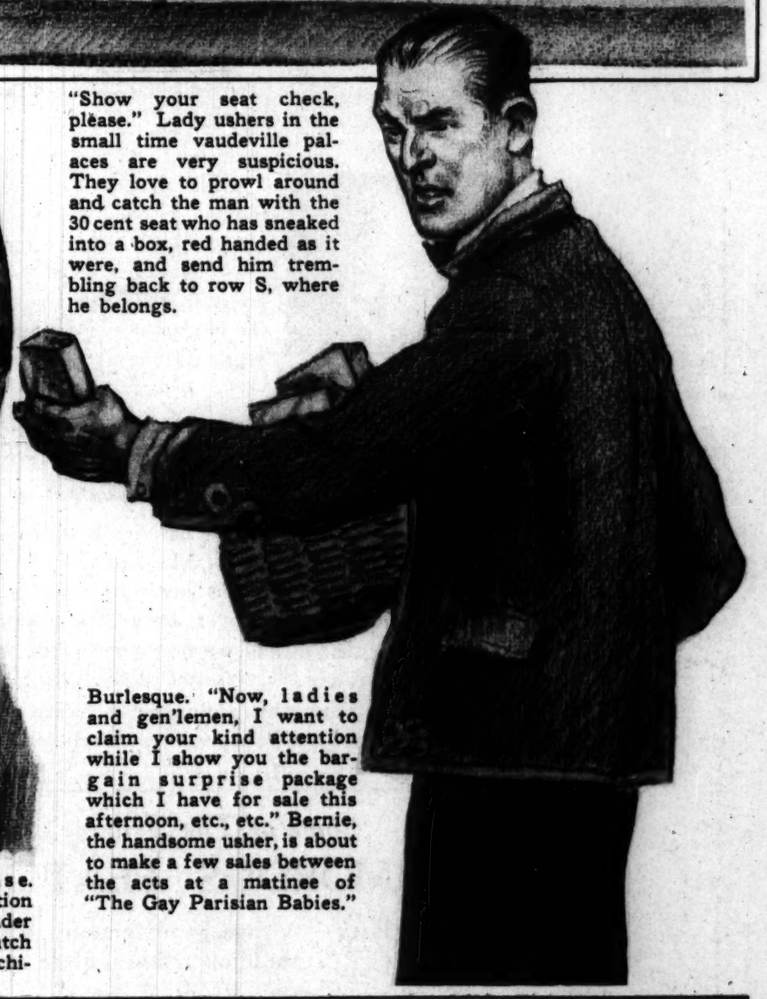
The Supper Show. From 5 to 6 P. M. is a terribly difficult hour for the usherettes in a picture house. Nothing to do but sit in the dark back in the orchestra, or on the balcony stairs, and think and think. Naturally a girl gets unhealthy and introspective just sitting in the dark, thinking and thinking of this and that.



The Society Benefit. Lois, the debutante, is ushering and selling programs at the amateur benefit performance. The proceeds are for the destitute widows and orphans of Hollywood extras. Lois is here, there and everywhere this evening, getting people seated wrong, short changing everybody right and left, and being generally useful.



The Presentation House. Ushers in the presentation houses are getting grander and grander, having to match up as they do with the architectural trappings.



"Show your seat check, please." Lady ushers in the small time vaudeville palaces are very suspicious. They love to prowl around and catch the man with the 30 cent seat who has sneaked into a box, red handed as it were, and send him trembling back to row S, where he belongs.

Burlesque. "Now, ladies and gen'lemen, I want to claim your kind attention while I show you the bargain surprise package which I have for sale this afternoon, etc., etc." Bernie, the handsome usher, is about to make a few sales between the acts at a matinee of "The Gay Parisian Babies."



Four problems which a young lady usher has to grapple with in the course of the evening, showing, from the left, the couple who are in the wrong seats and won't be ousted; the lady who has dropped something and wants the usher to get everybody in the rows ahead to crawl under the seats and look; the noisy gentleman who has imbibed over freely, and the timid girl, who suspects said bibulous party of nefarious intentions.

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JOHN T. McCUTCHEON

. . . dean of American cartoonists . . . "king" of Treasure Island, his winter home in the Bahamas . . . Mr. McCutcheon's new cartoon serial, "The Master of the World," is now appearing in The Sunday Tribune and is even more entertaining and fascinating than his previous cartoon serial, "An Heir at Large." His front page cartoons on the important events of the day appear each morning in The Tribune.



Dean of American Cartoonists

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FRANK KING *(Gasoline Alley)*

Writes About Sid Smith (The Gumps) as follows:

WHEN a stranger enters our hero's studio, he opens with "How do you do, Mr. Smith?" When he departs a few minutes later his last word is "Good-by, Sid." Sidney Smith is known to an army of acquaintances and followers by that stub of his first name. The tailor's kid uses it and so does the president of his bank.

But these are times when a dignified monicker is not essential. Many there are, however, who can tell you of the days when R. Sidney Smith made pictures for the Pittsburgh Post and the Toledo News Bee.

When he was plain Bob, and Sidney was merely a dormant middle initial, he worked as a helper in his father's dental office in Bloomington, the old home town. Finding the dental game as it was practiced something of a daily grind he fitted up a complete outfit of instruments and accessories from father's stock and with a shoe box of them under his arm started out afoot on a house to house tooth pulling and repairing expedition.



SIDNEY SMITH

"How do I know you're an artist?" asked the first editor Sid Smith approached for a position. "How do I know you're a managing editor?" was the comeback. Anyway he got the job.

"I expected beautiful farmer girls to rush madly out to the front gate to meet me and beg me to fill their teeth," says Sid. "But they didn't. None of the homes looked as I had pictured them. They all had dogs or grouchy looking hired men. I walked all day without stopping at a single place."

Thus was a budding dental career cruelly nipped. Art was soon found to be more remunerative than dentistry. One morning there appeared in a Bloomington store window a large painting. "Sheep in a Storm," some eight feet long and accompanied by a placard—"Price $1,000." It attracted considerable attention, but not as much as it did the next morning when, in place of the price tag, it bore a card marked "SOLD." And sold it was. To this day, as you gaze across the melancholy mahogany of a certain soft drink dispensary in Bloomington, you may see the same work of art, colors toned down a bit by time, perhaps, but holding its own very well for house paint, the medium in which it was executed.

Now, just between us, and don't you breathe a word of it to a soul, the actual selling price was not one thousand dollars. It was ten bucks. O, yes, Sid's hobbies. Golf. Sailing. He has almost won several cups and things. But kidding the cop is perhaps his real hobby. Not a speed cop or traffic man but knows "348." And Sidney Smith can talk himself out of a pinch (or into one) more picturesquely than anybody on the boulevard.

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Some of The Tribune's

HUMOROUS FEATURES

W. E. HILL—A page in rotogravure portraying the idiosyncrasies of human nature.

WESTBROOK PEGLER, DUKE BAKRAK, SNOWSHOE AL—Sunday articles.

GAAR WILLIAMS—the vagaries of married life and our secret ambitions. Cartoons that are all fun!



Muray Photo.

ANTOINETTE DONNELLY is The Tribune's beauty editor. Her experience is wide. She has reduced (in size) a group of serious-minded Chicago fat men; she has picked the most beautiful woman in the world; she has helped legions keep their youthful beauty. She is a "newspaper expert" with a different slant, a refreshing style, an original manner. Antoinette Donnelly's daily column in The Tribune is one more reason why The Tribune is the favorite newspaper of Chicago women. Every month two thousand of them write to her.

Twenty millions. . . . Youthful beauty. . . . Secret ambitions . . . a budding dental career cruelly nipped . . . a wine cask beautified. . . . King of Treasure Island.

NEWSPAPER

FRANK WILLARD



CREATOR of the irrepressible Moon Mullins, the determined Emmy Schmaltz, and the exasperating Kayo. During the war, he was in the camouflage company of the 311th Engineers. Willard and several other artistic lights found themselves billeted in an old French inn near Bordeaux. To idle away the dull hours, they decided to decorate the inn in true American style. Willard was assigned the task of embellishing a huge wine cask, the pride and joy of the bar. Photographic studies of this work testify that it was done in the same gusty manner that has made his "Moon Mullins" one of the liveliest comic strips in America today.

A FEW OF THE TRIBUNE'S FEATURES FOR WOMEN

ANTOINETTE DONNELLY	*Beauty*
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MADAME X	*The "400"*
FANNY BUTCHER	*Books*
DR. W. A. EVANS	*Health*

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***SALLY JOY BROWN** is director of one of Chicago's largest institutions of charity—The Friend in Need—a department of The Chicago Tribune. Each week she brings together hundreds of those who request help and those who offer it. In addition she takes groups of children to amusement parks, outdoor opera, baseball games or circus every week throughout the summer. Sally Joy Brown is a sister of charity to the needy and her work is watched with interest and approval by Chicago women.*



Hutchinson Photo.

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BRANNER'S BREADWINNER



MARTIN M. BRANNER, who draws Winnie Winkle for The Tribune, was once an actor. For years he and Mrs. Branner traveled together the uncharted and uncertain seas of show business. . . . Musical comedy, stock companies, vaudeville . . .

"Then," says Branner, "I was elected to do a 'woiking goil' series for The Chicago Tribune and Winnie Winkle has been my breadwinner ever since."

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VIA MADEIRA

By Edgar Wallace



"Um . . . er . . . do you want anything?"

Scotland Yard Spread a Net to Catch a Gem Thief, but Instead It Snared Young Jeremiah Fallowby and a Mystified Little Secretary.

THIS story concerns four people: Larry Vanne, who understood men and lived on his knowledge; Eli Soburn, who both understood and liked diamonds and never traveled without a hundred thousand pounds' worth in a little leather wallet attached to his undergarments; Mary Perella, who understood most of the things that a ladies' maid could teach, and in addition had that workaday knowledge which comes to a girl who has been left penniless and must shift for herself; and finally, Jeremiah Fallowby, who had a knowledge of the world geographically, and who was suspicious of all women who might love him for his wealth alone.

Of these four, only one had a definite objective. Larry Vanne, pacing up and down his hired flat in Belgrave street, a long cigar between his strong white teeth, his thumbs in the armholes of his waistcoat, listened to his slightly bored wife that the North Atlantic trade had dwindled to vanishing point.

"I don't know what's coming over New York," he said despairingly. "We hadn't been tied up ten minutes to the river end of 23d street when Big Jeff came McCarthy with a couple of bulls, and it was 'The Captain wants to see you, Larry.'"

"They had nothing on you," said Mrs. Vanne; "not if I'm to judge from the presents you brought home!"

"Sure they had nothing on me!" said Larry. "But it shows the tendency of the age, Lou. Suspicion, suspicion, suspicion! And I did no more than to sit in a game with that Boston crowd to trim a half-witted cinema boy—my share was less than a thousand dollars. I haven't worked the North Atlantic for years, and things have gone from bad to worse, Lou. There wasn't a dame on board that didn't park her jewelry in the purser's safe."

Lou yawned.

"Any man who works one-handed is asking for trouble," was her dictum. "That's where you're all wrong, Larry. Now suppose you and me—"

"You and I," said Larry gently. "Let's keep the conversation out of the steerage."

It was true that Larry had not lately worked the North Atlantic. He had confined himself mainly to the Pacific trade, and had made bigger pickings between Shanghai and Vancouver, B. C., than any man in his line. He had worked scientifically, allowing certain routes to lie fallow for years, had watched and noted changes in personnel, so that he could tell you offhand who was the captain of the Titanic and just whereabouts in the world you might find that red-nosed purser who nearly jailed him in '19.

He made no or few mistakes; his patience was remorseless. On one occasion he took two journeys to Australia and back and caught his man for £8,000 worth of real money when the ship was in sight of port.

"I'm trying a new trade, anyway, and this time you'll work for your living," he said, but gave no further information.

It was his practice to be frank in general and reticent in particular, and he told his companion nothing of Mr. Soburn and his wallet of diamonds. He could have told quite a lot. He could have traced Mr. Soburn's family history from the day he started peddling buttons in New York; of his legitimate deals in furs, of his questionable transactions in the world of low and high finance. He carried these wonderful cut diamonds of his for the same reason a girl carries a doll or a boy a clockwork motorcar. They were his toys and his comforts, and he had frequent satisfaction in displaying these behind locked doors to his cronies with all the hushed pride that a Japanese virtuoso would display in a carved jade box of the Ming period.

Larry knew his movements past, present, and prospective; but, mostly, he knew Mr. Soburn's chiefest weakness, which was for a pretty face.

Larry's wife was beautiful enough in her hard-cut way, but it was not the kind of beauty that would appeal to Mr. Soburn.

"What I want," he told her frankly, "is something that hasn't lost the bloom: the sort of big-eyed girl who would faint at the sight of a sparkler."

Mrs. Larry nodded her head slowly.

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"That sounds so much like me that you might be painting my portrait," she said; "but I gather you want a different type."

THAT day she sent in an advertisement to two newspapers. On the third day came Mary Perella. Mary walked from Bayswater because she had reached the stage where pennies counted. She had had three jobs in six months. Her three employers suffered from a common misfortune, which they confessed at an early stage of her engagement—they were unhappily married. Unhappily married employers who absent-mindedly paw their secretaries' hands are not so infrequent a phenomenon as many people would imagine.

Mary descended the secretariat scale from rich city merchants to a musical composer who lived in a world of writs, and she had broken her last pound sterling and was owing one week's rent when she set forth to Jermyn street, never dreaming that the lady who required a secretary-companion to travel abroad, at a wildly exorbitant salary, would be likely to choose her from the thousands of applicants.

"She's made for the part," said Larry, who, unobserved, had made a complete scrutiny of the new secretary. "Orphan and everything; no relations in London." He scratched his chin thoughtfully. "Fix her tomorrow. Get her passage booked and our own at the same time. We'll travel on the Frimley passports."

He was very practical now.

"She'll want some money for clothing—give her twenty-five on account. You told her that she was my secretary and not yours?"

Mrs. Larry nodded.

"She bore the blow very well," she said. "I suppose you're sure that Soburn is traveling on that ship?"

"Sure I'm sure!" he said scornfully. "He's got the royal suite, two bathrooms—God knows why—and two of his best pals are traveling. Besides, the next packet is booked up. And, Lou, you can tell that kid to report on board. I don't want to see her till we get to Southampton. Somehow, I don't make a good impression on girls."

Mary Perella came the next morning and nearly dropped when the gracious lady confirmed her in the engagement.

"I'm quite sure you will do, my dear," said Mrs. Larry Vanne sweetly, "and you will find my husband a very generous employer. He is writing a book on rare jewels, but nobody must know this, because . . ."

The excuse, flimsy as it was, convinced Mary.

"What about Dennis?" asked Mrs. Larry suddenly, when she saw her husband after the interview.

Though he was a man who did not usually display his emotion, Larry Vanne was surprised into a grimace. Detective Inspector Dennis of Scotland Yard was an atom in the molecule of uneasiness which never quite ceased to perturb him. And Dennis had met him on his arrival in England, and in his suave, nice way had said, "Don't." He hadn't been quite as terse as that, and had added a sermon, the text of which was "watch out," that had left Mr. Vanne distinctly uncomfortable.

Detective Inspector Dennis does not really come into the story at all, so it would be superfluous to describe that very wise man, who read the minds of jewel thieves and confidence men with such devastating accuracy.

At ten o'clock on the Thursday morning Mrs. Larry Vanne booked stateroom No. 17, the last available accommodation on the London Castle. A quarter of an hour later, Mr. Jeremiah Fallowby also rang up the Castle office, and was answered by a junior who was deputizing for the booking clerk, who had just gone out to lunch.

People often said that Jeremiah Fallowby was good looking. They qualified the statement in various ways: Some said that he would be really handsome if he had a little more expression; some thought that his features were irregular, but he had nice eyes; others were inclined to the belief that it was his mouth which spoiled him. On one point they were all agreed: he could be very dull. He seldom went anywhere—you never met him, for example, dining at the Ambassadors' on the night of the Grand Prix. He certainly went to Deauville—but always in the off season. The month he spent in Venice was the very month that the Lido was a wilderness. He was in town when everybody else was out of town, and Ascot usually coincided with the period that he chose for his stay at Aix.

At the height of the London season he was pretty sure to be somewhere in the country, and when the northbound trains were overloaded with guns bound for the moors, Jeremiah would be writing excuses from Madeira.

"Jerry, you're absolutely impossible!" rasped his aunt. "You never meet a gel worth knowing, and you'll end up by marrying a waitress in a teashop!"

"Which teashop?" asked Jerry, momentarily interested.

"You're coming to us for Christmas," said his

aunt. "I am not going to allow you to wander alone. If you go away, I'll come with you—I warn you."

"Thank you," said Jeremiah gratefully.

"You would like me to come?" asked the astonished lady.

"No," said Jeremiah truthfully. "I'm thanking you for the warning."

None of his many relatives was really very rude to his face, because he was worth a quarter of a million sterling. But the uncles and aunts and cousins who planned to marry him off and who arranged the most cunningly devised house parties, only to receive a letter which began:

". . . most terribly sorry, but I shall be in Venice on the 10th,"

had no scruples in speaking of him in the plainest possible manner.

"It is his damned romanticism," fumed Uncle Brebbury, who had five eligible daughters. "He's got a fairy prince complex. Thinks he'll find a (naughty word) Cinderella. Teashop gel! He'll be bringing home a—a . . . !"

"Bertie!" murmured his shocked wife. "Please! The gels!"

But "the gels" were in complete sympathy.

Jeremiah wrote a little, read much, thought even more. He was modest enough to believe that he was entirely without attraction, sophisticated to the extent of suspecting that most mothers were prepared to sacrifice their daughters on the altar of his fortune.

ONE gloomy morning Jeremiah, having sworn to be a member of Mrs. Leslie Fallowby's Christmas house party, was contemplating the dismal prospect. Healthy men do not love caducity in any expression, and Jeremiah had met the frosts and the mists which lie in the tawny hollows of Burnham Beeches with an uneasy yearning for the moorlands where spring was coming in, with arum lilies growing on the seashore and wild gladioli budding on verdant slopes.

He would rise from his writing table and pace restlessly the worn carpet of his study. And inevitably he would be drawn to the drawer where, with the supreme indifference which summer brought to him, he had thrown the early sailing lists.

For hours this morning he had sat turning them over. He could go to the east coast, stop off at Naples or Port Said. He could spend a week in Nairobi . . . he knew a man who was trying to grow cotton somewhere in Kenya—or was it tobacco?

It would be rather fun to end the sea journey at Biera—push off up country to Salisbury and work down through Buluwayo and Kimberley to the cape.

There was a delightful boarding house at Rondebosch kept by an ex-civil servant with great hedges of blue plumbago. Behind, like the backcloth of a theatrical scene, the ranges of Constantia.

Jeremiah Fallowby made a little face and, walking to the casement window, stared out over the darkening lawn. Rain was falling steadily. Every tree dripped dismally.

He sat at his table again and reached for the telephone, gave a London number, and waited indecisively till the bell rang.

"Is that the Castle line? Good. Have you anything on the London Castle—deck cabin if possible . . . ?"

He waited, the receiver at his ear, his pen drawing uncouth arabesques on his blotting pad.

A voice at the other end of the wire awakened him to realities.

"Good. My name is Fallowby; yes, Jeremiah Fallowby. I'll arrange to collect the ticket right away."

He rang off and immediately connected with a London agent in Threadneedle street and gave him instructions. The ticket arrived by first post in the morning, and Jeremiah went joyously to the task of packing.

If he had only been content to stay at Burnham Beeches he might have been saved a great deal of inconvenience. Within two hours of the receipt of his letter he had left his house with instructions that neither letters nor telegrams should be sent on to him, and had deposited himself in his club in St. James street; so that he did not receive the frantic wire addressed to him by the steamship company, nor yet interview a penitent junior clerk who had booked a stateroom that was already engaged. In complete ignorance he motored to Southampton, had a breakdown on the way, and arrived only just in time to hurl his baggage on board.

The cabin was a large sized one. He was annoyed to discover that there were two beds, and directed the steward to remove one.

"Traveling alone, sir?" said the steward, phlegmatically. (Nothing surprises stewards.) And then: "There was some trouble about your ticket. Another gent was booked."

He glanced at the initials on the suitcase, took the counterfoil of the steamship ticket, made a few inquiries about Jeremiah's taste in the direction of early morning coffee and baths, and vanished.

To the purser, as he handed in the counterfoil: "Seventeen's aboard. The other fellow hasn't come."

"That's all right," said the assistant purser, and spiked the paper.

The ship had cleared Southampton waters and was nosing its way to the channel when Jerry, writing letters at the little desk in the cabin (the usual and untruthful excuses to Mrs. Leslie Fallowby) became aware that somebody was standing in the open doorway.

He looked up and saw a girl.

"Um . . . er . . . do you want anything?" he asked.

MARY PERELLA came into the stateroom a little boisterously. She had that excited pinkness which adventure gives to young skins—the day was unexpectedly mild; there was a blue, cloud-flecked sky above, and the white cloisters of the Needles on the port quarter.

Ahead a summery land, and the immense possibilities of new lands.



"She's made for the part," said Larry.

Jeremiah glared up at her from his writing table.

"O, Mr.—?"

He got to his feet slowly.

"Fallowby," he said, and she looked relieved.

"I've been worrying terribly about the name," she said. "You know when Mrs. Fallowby told me I didn't really catch it, but I hadn't the courage to ask."

Jeremiah frowned.

"Mrs. Fallowby? Which of his innumerable aunts was this? Mrs. Hector Fallowby, or Mrs. Richard—or was it that terrible little Mrs. Merstham-Fallowby with the impossible daughters? He uttered an exclamation, but swallowed its violent end.

"Not Mrs. L.?" he said.

Even in his agitation he thought she was extraordinarily pretty; she at any rate was no Fallowby. Gray eyes, rather big; there was the faintest film of powder on her face, but young girls did that sort of thing nowadays.

She nodded smilingly: he was, she thought, being a little facetious. Husbands and wives spoke about one another in such queer ways.

"It will be rather fun spending Christmas day on board ship," she went on. "We are going to South Africa, aren't we?"

"Unless the captain changes his mind," said Jeremiah, and they both laughed.

Then he became conscious of his remissness.

"Won't you sit down?"

She sat on a sofa under the square window that looked on to the promenade deck.

"I suppose you have a letter from Mrs. Fallowby?"

It wasn't like any of the Fallowbys to give letters of introduction to pretty girl outsiders.

He saw a look of consternation come to the girl's eyes.

"Isn't she here?" she gasped.

Jeremiah blinked at her.

"Who—Mrs. Fallowby? I hope not!"

Mary Perella went pale.

"But . . . I suppose it is all right . . . but she said she was coming."

Jeremiah frowned. If there was one experience in the world he didn't want and which he intended to avoid, it was a tête-à-tête with a female Fallowby. Mrs. Leslie had evidently kept her promise.

"I suppose she's here, then," he said unhappily.

There was an awkward pause. Into Mary's mind crept a doubt.

"She engaged me as traveling secretary, and she said I was to see you as soon as I got on board. Fortunately, I remembered the number of your cabin."

"Really!"

He could think of no comment more illuminating.

"So you're going to South Africa? Do you know the country?"

She had never been abroad. Her father had served in Africa: he was so interested a listener that she found herself telling him about the tragedy of two years before.

"I stayed with an aunt for six months, but it was rather—well, impossible."

"I never knew an aunt that wasn't," he sympathized. "You seem to have had a pretty unhappy time, Miss Perella—that is an Italian name, isn't it?"

She thought it had been Maltese two hundred years before, and he seemed to remember a Gen. Sir Gregory Perella who had done tremendous things in the Abyssinian war—or was it the mutiny?

Suddenly: "What do you want me to do? I have a portable typewriter——"

"Nothing," he said, hastily. "The best thing you can do is to go along and find Mrs. Fallowby—no, I don't think I should do that. If I remember rightly, she is a terribly bad sailor, and won't be on deck for a week. Just loaf around. If there is anything I can do for you, let me know . . . got a nice cabin? Fine! If you see Mrs. Fallowby, tell her I'm . . . er . . . awfully busy. In fact, I thought of writing."

She nodded wisely. "A book—I know."

She left him a little dazed.

He saw her that night at dinner, sitting at a little table by herself, and they exchanged smiles as he passed. There was no sign of Mrs. Leslie Fallowby, but the ship had a slight roll on, and that would explain her absence. After dinner he saw the girl leaning over the rail, and went up to her.

"I haven't seen your——" she began.

"You wouldn't," he interrupted her. "Poor dear, she thinks this is rough weather."

He commandeered a chair for her and they sat down and talked till nearly ten o'clock.

"You're going to let me help you with your book?" she said, as they stood at the head of the companionway before she went below for the night.

"My book?" He started guiltily. "O, of course! Did I say I was writing a book? Naturally, I will be happy for you to help me, but I haven't got very far."

HE found himself awaiting her arrival on deck the next morning with some impatience.

They were in the dreaded bay, but the sea was as smooth as a pond, and, save for the chill in the air, the weather was delightful. Pacing round and round the deck, they discovered mutual interests—she also would one day write a book, which was to be a tremendous affair about life and people. He did not even smile. Jeremiah was rather diffident: possibly he credited her with as extensive an acquaintance with the subject as he himself possessed.

"I can't find Mrs Fallowby's cabin anywhere," she said. "My conscience has been pricking me. Couldn't I do something for her?"

"She's quite all right," said Jeremiah, hastily.

It was time enough to brace himself for an interview with Mrs. Fallowby when she made her appearance. The letter of excuse he had written was already torn up. How like that enterprising lady to discover that he was sailing!

And yet he was puzzled a little. Why should Mrs. Fallowby have taken this voyage without her unpreposessing daughters? He resolved at the earliest convenient moment to discover from Mary Perella a solution to this private mystery.

"We shall be in Funchal harbor on Christmas eve, by which time it ought to be fairly warm," he told her in the course of the afternoon walk. "We will be rather jolly doing our Christmas shopping."

"Mrs. Fallowby will be well enough to come ashore then?" she suggested.

Jeremiah prayed not, but refrained from giving expression to the hope.

THE next night they leaned over the rail together and watched the faint star light which stood for Cape Finisterre sink down behind the horizon; and he told her what a hard life was, and how he hated crowds and people who were terribly gay, resolved to be gay to order. And she reviewed some of her best ladies, and told him of a wonderful restaurant where one could get a wonderful lunch for 3d. or 6d.; and once he squeezed her arm to attract her attention to a passing sailing ship, its white sails looming ghostly in the faint light of the crescent moon, and she did not seem to resent that method. Yet, curiously enough, when he took her arm again to lead her to the companionway, she gently disengaged herself.

"I hope Mrs. Fallowby will be better in the morning," she said, "and I do hope you will do some work—I feel a great inspirator; I haven't done a stroke since I've come on this ship!"

He went to bed and dreamed of gray eyes and very soft arms that gave under his grip.

The night before the ship came into Funchal bay, and while he was dressing for dinner the purser came to see him, and the tone of that officer was rather short and his manner strangely hostile.

"In what name did you book this cabin, Mr. Fallowby?"

"In my own name," said Jeremiah, in surprise.

The purser looked at him with suspicion.

"The name I have on the list is Frimley—the same initials, F.—'John Frimley.' Are you sure that isn't the name in which the cabin is booked?"

"You've seen my ticket—and really, does it matter?" asked Jeremiah a little impatiently.

"It does and it doesn't," said the purser. "Who is this young lady you're with, Mr. Fallowby?"

"I am with no young lady," said Jeremiah with pardonable asperity. "If you mean Miss Perella, she is my aunt's secretary. Nobody knows better than you that my aunt is somewhere on this ship. I suggest that you should interview Mrs. Leslie Fallowby, who, I have no doubt, will give you the fullest information."

"There is no person named Mrs. Leslie Fallowby on the ship," said the purser, and Jeremiah stared at him. "The young lady," went on the officer, "states that she is your secretary and that she is traveling in that capacity."

"My secretary?" said Jeremiah incredulously.

"She says she is your secretary, engaged by your wife."

Jeremiah sat down with a thump.

"Say that again," he said.

The obliging purser repeated his tremendous tidings.

"Now, I don't want any trouble with you, Mr. Fallowby," he said, not unkindlily, "or with your wife. I'm going to read you a copy of a radio we have received from London. Listen:

"'To Captain, London Castle: Believe passenger named John Frimley and his wife are traveling under assumed name on your ship. They booked suite No. 17, but they may be traveling separately to avoid detection. Frimley escaped our officers sent to arrest him at Waterloo and has not been traced. He is a tall, good looking man, clean shaven, may wear horn rimmed spectacles . . .'"

(At this point Jeremiah quickly removed the reading glasses he had been wearing when the purser came into the stateroom.)

"'His wife is pretty, looks younger than she is. If any persons answering this description are occupying suite No. 17, hand them to Portuguese police, Funchal, to await extradition.'"

Jeremiah stared.

"Your wife is already under guard in her cabin," said the purser, "and there'll be a master of arms on duty outside your stateroom to see that you do not attempt to leave until the Portuguese authorities arrive."

Jeremiah gaped at him.

"My wife is what . . . ?"

The purser waved a majestic hand and left the cabin before Mr. Jeremiah Fallowby began the exercise of the colorful vocabulary which he had acquired in his travels.

It was in the bare and whitewashed office of the Portuguese police officer that he again saw Miss Mary Perella. He expected her to be carried in, pallid and wilting wreck whose nights had been

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HIGH CHIVALRY

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THE STORY SO FAR:

LORD CARMYON, penniless, is living in Paris after the war. He calls on his uncle at the British embassy and there meets a lovely young woman who, he learns, is the Sultana Evelyn, whose reign in Kivastan, a small principality of Asia, is threatened by a rival sultan. Carmyon's Russian friend, Prince Tamerlanoff, is no better off financially, and the two live on the bounty of their world war buddy, Hector Aristide L'Hommedieu, a lovelorn bottle washer in a small cafe. Mustaffa Bek, son of the rival monarch, at his father's instance proposes to Evelyn and is greatly relieved when she refuses him. The three ex-soldiers offer the sultana their services, but she replies that she has no money. Mustaffa suggests that the three kidnap him, demand a ransom, and split it with him. He rescues Delphine, a cabaret performer, from an unruly audience, and then submits to the "kidnaping" by gangsters hired by the Three Musketeers. He marries Delphine, takes half of the fifty million francs obtained for his release, and refuses his father's orders to come home. Evelyn leaves for Kivastan by one route, and the Musketeers by another. The Musketeers are arrested as they leave the ship at Calcutta.

INSTALLMENT VI.

Battle and Retreat.

LATER on L'Hommedieu described Lord Carmyon's conduct that morning on the Calcutta water front as magnificent and heroic and superb, while the other insisted it had been nothing of the kind, but merely the result of his intense dislike of garlic.

"You see," he explained, "when that burly Anglo-Indian chap—he turned out to be no end of a way-up brass hat in the Indian secret service—told us we were jolly well pinched and, in answer to my question, growled something about our being political suspects and that he was obeying direct orders from the governor of Bengal, I thought immediately of the Captain Jones person—intrigues—dirty work on the cross-roads, eh what? Even so, being an average, fairly law-abiding citizen, I had not the faintest intention of resisting arrest. Nor had my two pals. Still, it was rather a facer—wasn't it?—to be thwarted so early in our romantic quest, and so I felt—O—disappointed, terribly blue—and I lit a cigaret to steady my nerves, which evidently was contrary to local municipal police regulation No. 1776. For, 'Not permitted, *saheb!*' a native police sergeant barks at me, sticking his ugly face into close proximity to my nose. He must have breakfasted liberally on stewed garlic, and I can't stand the smell, never could. It doesn't make me sick, but angry, indignant. I consider it in the line of a grave personal insult. So, hardly realizing what I was doing, I drew back my right fist and let him have it—*bamm!*—straight on the point of the jaw. He dropped like a log. And at once his colleagues, Hindus as well as British, were upon me."

They closed in on him like hounds pulling down a stag. He dodged and danced and grappled. At one and the same time he was trying to land blow, to parry blow, to sidestep kicking feet and crashing elbows—heard a high, metallic French yell, a deep-throated Russian bellow as his two friends rushed to the rescue—saw anxious steamship officials shoo away the few frightened, chattering, curious passengers who were still on the dock—saw a heavy police bludgeon crash down on Prince Tamerlanoff's head and stretch him unconscious—saw L'Hommedieu buried beneath an avalanche of blue-clad arms and legs and, a moment later, saw him jerked up standing, his wrists manacled, a red, ragged wound across his forehead . . . saw it all vaguely, like pictures in a dream; for he had his own work cut out, fighting off his assailants.

Perhaps there were too many of them for their own comfort. They interfered with each other, tripped and hit each other in their eagerness to get at Lord Carmyon, who was perfectly safe in striking whatever head came within reach of his fists—they went like flails—he had done so much better at Oxford in the noble art of self-defense than in translating Titus Livius and Latin Serpentine verses. He did very well, indeed, bloodying a nose here, blackening an eye there—really enjoying himself.

By this time a crowd of natives had collected; partly honest, hard-working stevedores and lascars and wharfingers; partly the riff-raff of the water front, dock rats, the sweepings of the Calcutta gutters—Bengalis and Madrassis, Afghans and Malays and men from all the Moffusil . . . an ethnographical chart of half Asia's picaresque and ruffianly races.

They hated the police. Too, they hated all *sahebs*. So they were in a quandary as to their sympathies.

For here was a *saheb* fighting the police . . . "fighting," commented a fur-capped Afghan, watching with gleaming eyes, "like a very Rustum!"

"By my own and my mother's honor!" cried another as—biff!—Carmyon's fist found its painful mark—"here is a fine nose spoiled for many a day!"

A third—a Rajput slightly drunk on hashish, thus of a poetical turn of mind—gave as his opinion that this yellow-haired madman was the pick of all the swank, roaring, battling lads—the sort whom a brave, adventurous man, out for foray and raid, would choose to ride with side by side.

A tiny Madrassi hugged himself with glee and yelled: "A tiger has come amongst us! A regal, jungly tiger! *Hayah!*"—encouragingly at Lord Carmyon, his voice rising in a sharp treble—"*Rung hao*, Maharajah Tiger!"

"But a tiger," said the Afghan, as Carmyon was being pressed back toward the cordon of onlookers, "who will presently be pulled down by the little, little jackals!"

Indeed, numbers were beginning to tell. At the Afghan's very feet, straining, wrestling, grappling, clawing, cursing, Lord Carmyon fell to the ground, a policeman sitting on his chest, a second booting him in the ribs, a third dancing about, swinging his bludgeon, watching his chance for a knockout blow. Once he nearly did it, swishing the club sideways and down with a vicious lunge. But Carmyon snapped his head back in the nick of time. The next second, with a sudden, violent bunching of muscles, he pinioned the arms of the policeman who sat on his chest—a lean, hook-nosed Punjaubi—to his sides, spread his strong legs, and tried desperately to pull himself on top. He was succeeding in this when the other, since a British uniform does not necessarily civilize a Punjaubi, gave way to a primitive urge, snarled wolfishly, and sank sharp teeth in Lord Carmyon's left ear.

The latter shrieked in rage and pain. With a great jerk and heave he freed himself, sending the first policeman into the second, the second into the third—who dropped his night stick.

Carmyon picked it up; and—he had been a capital cricketer at Eton and Oxford—threw it with unerring aim and stunning force at the burly Anglo-Indian secret service official who had placed him and his friends under arrest.



"A tiger has come amongst us."

Why at him instead of at the Punjaubi? He did not stop to figure out the psychological reason. Later on he explained it as an instinctive gesture—perhaps because the Anglo-Indian was looking on in such a cool, unperturbed manner.

"O—my word!" he managed to gasp out ludicrously, ineffectually, just as he beheld seven thousand pretty red stars and collapsed on the ground—while at the same time a shrill, hectic whistle summoned the reserves—and while, still at the same time, the Afghan in the crowd of native onlookers made up his mind that his sympathies were with this fair-haired young man, although he was a *saheb*.

So—the policemen temporarily demoralized through the fall of their leader—the Afghan exchanged rapid, guttural words with the mob.

PROSY Behari proverbs, dealing with such unsophisticated, everyday specialties of Indian husbandry as elephants and plows and jackasses; meaningless, except in their straight, rustic sense, to an honest Hindu; but full of subtle, sardonic significance to the criminal castes of Calcutta when exchanging confidences about snatching a purse, slitting a throat, rifling a bazaar—or helping a *saheb* who is battling the police.

"*Pet bhari se manth bhari* . . ."

Laughter.

"Hai—hai—hai . . ."

The laughter of the orient, riotous, exaggerated, Gargantuan, unrestrained; and, as the blue-clad defenders of law and order were rallying to the attack, the Afghan suddenly reached out, grasped Lord Carmyon by the arm, and jerked him into the mob of natives that closed about them like a brown sea.

"Come!" he whispered. "Quick!"

For a moment the Englishman resisted. He tried to pull away. There were his friends. He could not leave them in the lurch. Then, rapidly, he reconsidered. Better one at liberty, he thought, than all three in jail. Besides, in a broad belt next to his skin he carried the letters of credit and large packages of bank notes. And he laughed, laughed rather hysterically, while the brown sea surged into motion, carrying him along, away from the docks.

Turbans and tarbushes and shaven polls bobbed crazily; ragged cloaks and torn burnooses flared out like flags in a wind; muscular, naked legs moved up and down grotesquely—faster and faster, on and on, off and away into a spider's web of dark, dirty, cobble-paved alleys, a sinuous, ironic winding of narrow passages, a maze of cheap bazaars where everything was for sale, including the owners, the owners' wives, and the owners' daughters—while the policemen began their lumbering pursuit, swearing, blowing whistles, shouting:

"Stop! Stop! In the name of the law! In the name of the King-Emperor's Majesty!"

They might have saved their breath. Few, if any, in that particular part of town cared a tinker's curse for either the law or the King-Emperor's Majesty. And so, since bare feet can run faster and trip less in slimy puddles than booted feet, the view-halloo cries of the police grew fainter and fainter while the mob continued at top speed, finally splitting and deploying as it entered a packed, greasy wilderness of nameless streets . . . and you may, though I hope you do not, know their English and American counterpart: the Scotland Road division of Liverpool, New York's Bowery and Hell's Kitchen of a generation ago, or Chicago's First ward during the legendary days of Hinky Dink.

Here the water front spilled over with taverns and dives, with sailors' boarding houses and crimps' places and ship-chandlers' and second-hand stores where every last mildewy curio a sailor, for reasons known only to himself, packs in his dunnage, can be bought. Too, men from all Asia; men who go down to the sea in ships and come up from the sea, as often as not, in rickety cabs and lordly flivvers to spend the bitter wages of six weeks' battling with storms and rotten timbers in one night's vicious, scarlet spree amongst the yellow liquor and yellower girls of Calcutta—wrongly called the City of Palaces by those British residents who know only the meretricious splendors of the Maidan, Dalhousie square, and the Bengal club.

Delightful—Dalhousie square—makes you think of London—London on a perfect day in May when the tulips show shy little heads in Regent's park. And the Bengal club? Perfect. As good as any club in St. James', and the champagne even better.

Quite different from the docks—"black-town"—the real Calcutta.

Smell of offal there, of hashish, filth, unwashed bodies, cloying perfumes, pestilence, blood, vice hectic and vice drab. All that and—safety, as the Afghan, who was still holding on to Lord Carmyon's arm, explained to him:

"Safety for those who need it, *saheb* of my heart."

"I do need it," laughed the other. "Where shall I find it?"

"Anywhere here—as long as you can pay the price. Here—the first house!"

He knocked loudly at the door of a sailors' dive whence came a confused mingling of sounds, peaking up as if in an unbridled display of Asia's passions: a shriek of laughter, clinking glasses, a woman's high pitched cry—other voices joining in with harsh gutturals, and a scraping of stringed instruments, the portentous staccato of a tomtom.

So presently Lord Carmyon thanked his good Samaritan, reinforced his thanks with money, and had a short, satisfactory talk with the proprietor of the dive, an individual by the aristocratic Portuguese name of Don Leopoldo Maria da Sousa Machado, who was a walking, living, and quite unsavory proof of the biological theory that the white, the black, and the brown should not mix.

Still—a man willing to do his fair share if you made it worth his while.

He winked at Lord Carmyon; smiled at him with a flash of superb, white teeth: "A private room? Certainly, sir. You wish—ah—to receive no callers? Certainly, sir. In fact you are not here, in my humble establishment, have never been here? Certainly, sir."

For each "certainly, sir" he held out a slim, clever hand, received each time a gold sovereign, bit it each time before pocketing it; and, shortly afterwards, preceded the other up a dark corridor and ushered him into a small room.

Lord Carmyon was tired. He barricaded the door with all the furniture, locked the single window high up on the wall, and lay down on the narrow cot.

It was not a very clean cot, and the room was alive with innumerable flying and crawling horrors that feasted on his flesh and sucked his blood with little triumphant smackings.

Decidedly a most ridiculous and undignified predicament for this romantic young man to find himself in, though not a jot more ridiculous and undignified than the predicament of the other two romantic young men.

For they were in jail.

THEY had been arraigned before a bullying, purse-mouthed British magistrate—the sort unable to forget that here, in India, he was a great and powerful *saheb* to be bowed and scraped to while, had he remained in his native Liverpool, he would never have risen above third assistant floorwalker at some draper's shop, with the bowing and scraping the other way around.

"Political suspects—arrested under the Defense of the Realm Act!" he had barked at them, after studying a paper that carried the initials of the governor of Bengal; and, in reply to Prince Tamerlanoff's question: "There'll be no trial. We'll dispense with that little formality. You'll be deported on the next ship."

"Do you call this British justice—the much advertised British fair play?"

"Do you believe everything you read in advertisements—even national advertisements? Great God—you must be young!" For the magistrate had a certain harsh sense of humor. "Besides, this is India. We've damned little use here for kid glove methods and all that variety of sentimental poppycock . . ."

"But you'll have use for my rights—my rights as a French citizen," the Gascon had interrupted. "I demand that my consul be notified."

"He'll be notified—don't you worry on that score. But by that time—due to a regrettable error for which we shall handsomely apologize to the French government—you'll be in mid-ocean, going west—and, I'm afraid, seasick. Hey, there—" turning to a court attendant—"Bannerjee!"

"Yes, *saheb!*"

"Off to jail with them! Next case!"

And in jail they were now, in a steel-barred cell, watching the hours pass by in a maddening, monotonous procession, speculating in a whisper if Carmyon was still at liberty—if he was going to help them—and how. They were not very optimistic; indeed grew despondent when, a few hours later, a Babu jailer came in with their mid-day meal of curry and rice and told them that arrangements for their deportation had been made.

"When?" asked Tamerlanoff.

"The boat sails Wednesday, *saheb*."

And this was Monday . . .

Tamerlanoff sighed with Slav resignation. L'Hommedieu swore wickedly.

Then they were silent.

For there was nothing to be said; nothing to be done; so little to be hoped.

SO little to be hoped!—the same thought in Carmyon's mind as he, too, watched the hours pass by in a maddening, monotonous procession; as he asked himself over and over again:

"What shall I do? What can I do?"

And he remembered how he had boasted to the little sultana about the days of chivalry and the many grand, glittering, storied deeds he would do for her sake . . . and here he was now, a fugitive from the police, in this stinking, dirty room, and his freedom more or less at the mercy of a half-caste's greed.

"What shall I do?" the maddening refrain in his brain. "Dear Lord—what can I do?"

Perhaps she had already arrived at that little Persian port beyond the border. Perhaps she was thinking of him, waiting for him. "O—damn the damned luck!" as he squashed a large, bloodthirsty mosquito, then wiped his perspiring forehead.

His boast! His foolish, arrogant boast! Horse he was going to spur, lance to tilt, sword to draw for her sake. And instead he was fighting insects—insects—O—it was so silly—would have been funny if it had happened to anybody else.

Wouldn't she laugh if she could see him now! He remembered her laugh—such a jolly, attractive laugh—so low and soft—and so brave . . .

Yes—how brave she was; and yet how needful of protection—his protection.

His protection—because he loved her.

Love! What an unsatisfactory word for a great, haunting, penetrating mystery . . . and so Lord Carmyon stared into the void and—it was so futile, so useless—tried to analyze love's ineffable secret.

Finally he gave up. He just accepted the fact with a plunge of complete self-abandonment.

He had been a fool not to tell her.

Because she was a sultana, a queen?

No, no—that wasn't it.

Because he was—well—silly, but true—because he was shy. Never had been shy with women before—women with whom he had flirted in passing.

Why with Evelyn?

"Because you love her, old chap!" he said to himself.

He would tell her all about it the next time he saw her. O—the strange blessedness of telling her!

And she—what would she reply?

He remembered how she had looked that last day in Paris, walking up and down the station platform with such harmonious grace, as if she were moving to some charming music on the violin. He remembered—which, after all, is rare in a man, even a man in love—her dress, her hat. He remembered her mouth so sweet and red—her strong, white, small hands—her little feet in their little shoes.

He remembered every last word she had said to him at parting—every last word . . . This she had said and that and . . .

"By Jove!" he exclaimed suddenly, excitedly. "That chap she told me about—her father's best friend."

And he took out the piece of paper which she had given him and looked at the name and address: Shukri Ali, Colootallah section, beyond the Machu bazaar . . . "He may be valuable in case of need," she had told him.

"Case of need all right," he said to himself. "Presently I'll find out how valuable he's going to be."

And, in a much happier frame of mind, he opened the door, called softly until the landlord heard him, ordered food, paid for curry-and-rice at champagne-and-caviar prices, and lay down to sleep in defiance of mosquitoes.

. . . . . .

Hours later he awakened. He left the house.

Evening had come, with the third quarter of a copper-red moon showing its edge in the east. Below it, Calcutta gleamed like a purple pool, while a thick, palpable darkness settled over the native quarter.

So Lord Carmyon went toward the Colootallah section in search of Shukri Ali.

So, by the same token, he went toward the outer rim of a grim, coiling, cruel mystery which, in spite of oft repeated denials from a most pompous viceroy down to the last, least, greenest member of the Indian secret service, will continue to weave its bitter spell across Hindustan as long as—and this, of course, means forever—three hundred million Aryans will bow in worship before Vishnu the Creator, Shiva the Preserver, and Doorga the Great Mother, the Six-Armed Reverence, the Emblem of Lust and Destruction.

It was a good many years since he had been in Calcutta, and the Calcutta he had known in those days had been a very high-hat one, bounded by the exclusive bar of the Bengal club and the equally exclusive pews of St. Andrew's church. The Calcutta he was entering now was not high-hat at all, but entirely turban—and ragged, ruffianly, occasionally verminous turban.

Several times he had to stop and ask directions from natives or from a stray European or two. In each case he received warning that the Colootallah was not safe for whites, chiefly at night, and that if he was out for a bit of a spree, why—this information from an American sailor—"what about them joints near Howrah railway station, Mister? The liquor there's O. K.—take it from me—and all the janes there ain't got a touch o' the tar-brush. Awright"—as the other insisted—"it's your own funeral. Sure I know the way. Went there once with a cop—durin' day-time. Turn to the left—over there—see?—past the Jura Bagan. So long. Personally I think ye're a damned fool, mister."

"Thanks," smiled Lord Carmyon, and he went on

his way, presently skirting the Jura Bagan and boring into a rabbit's warren of alleys.

ALLEYS teeming with a riotous, fantastic, lawless motley of oriental life—cursing, spitting, laughing, bickering, fighting, gloriously free—where policemen were conspicuous, and therefore safe, by their absence.

Alleys so narrow that, overhead, the roofs on both sides seemed to mingle and interlace like rigging in a fishing harbor, with hardly a glimpse of smoky, discouraged sky; the roadway ankle-deep in squidgy, squishy, blue slime; beggars and roughs and lepers slinking and pushing past; and a fetid odor—perfume and sweat, opium and hashish and sandalwood—over it all like a cloud.

Alleys plunged into bitter, blotched darkness, yet with sudden, brutish flickerings and stabbings of light that showed sights which a man would rather not see.

Alleys like a grotesque, incredible setting for a grotesque, incredible play.

Alleys where those who wish can buy many a thing difficult to purchase across the counter of a *saheb's* department store. Such things, for instance, as a dagger and the fist that holds it to stab your enemy between the shoulder blades—and the price fairly reasonable; a vial of quick poison—and the price varying according to market conditions of supply and demand; a vial of slow poison—and the slower the poison, the higher the price; a girl, black or white or yellow—and you'll regret the bargain whatever the price.

Alleys of vice. Alleys of lust.

Dirt and splendor. Rags and silk. Scent of musk and scent of pestilence.

Lips there greedy for kisses since hands, pretty, henna-stained hands, were greedy for gold . . .

"Come with me, *saheb*," a soft voice called; and there was a rustle of silk, a clanking of bracelets, and slim fingers with gilt nails clutching Lord Carmyon's sleeve.

He spoke in Hindustani:

"No, no, O my gazelle."

"*Hayah!*" shrilled the voice, no longer soft. "Infidel! May pigs defile your mother's grave! May . . . Ah!—" as, a moment later, the tinkle of silver rupees dropping into her palm changed the curse into a blessing: "May the road of the world be wide to you, O my lord!"

"Delightful people!" thought Lord Carmyon. "Not at all like my cousin the duke!"—and so he went on, farther and farther away from the white man's Calcutta, from High Church and High Tory and old port wine, from plus-fours and respectability and the gospel according to Saint Luke, and at every corner there were new scenes, new faces, new smells, and the same old vices, until at last he reached the Coloottallah.

And he knew that he had reached it by the happening of a very queer thing.

For as he stopped to light a cigaret and the spurt of the match brought his features into vivid relief, a white-turbaned native came suddenly out of the trooping, purple shadows of a postern, directly into his path; and when the Englishman instinctively clenched his fists and squared his shoulders for battle, the other salaamed deeply and said:

"Be pleased to follow me, *saheb*. Shukri Ali is waiting for you."

Lord Carmyon drew back a step. He gave a short, low whistle. He was amazed and rather nervous; and so, because of it, typically, his words were flippant:

"I say, my dear old cherub! I'm not sure I heard right. Would you mind repeating?"

"Be pleased to follow me, *saheb* . . .

"Because Shukri Ali is waiting for me . . . is that it?"

"Yes, *saheb*."

"By jove—then I did hear right!" Lord Carmyon shook his head. "Look here," he went on, "I've had my share of quaint and incongruous experiences. Why—I've heard a nightingale warble in the mud of a Flanders trench. I've talked to Armenians who didn't claim that their nearest and dearest had their jolly old throats cut by the unspeakable Turk. I've met actresses who had never once lost their jewels. I've dined with a royal highness who dropped his h'ches and lunched with a ragpicker who told me all about Eleatic philosophy and the Copernican system. I've even come across Scotch Jews and an Irish Buddhist by the name of Sarsfield O'Shea. But this thing you're trying to pull—popping out of the dark, my dear old thing, and telling me calmly that . . ."

"Be pleased to follow me, *saheb*," the Hindu repeated for the third time, grave, unsmiling, as if delivering a message. "Shukri Ali is awaiting for you."

"O, very well—if you insist on being a damned Sphinx. Lead on."

He followed his guide into the heart of the Coloottallah, and the wind there howled like a starving wolf, and the blackness there was blacker than ink, and how the Hindu found his way except by smell, Lord Carmyon could not guess.

So black it was that he could see neither house nor beast nor man. Yet life was everywhere; wherever he stepped by the other's side he was maddeningly conscious of eyes staring at him through the darkness, used to that same darkness. Occasionally he heard his guide speak with people he could not see in a dialect he could not understand; heard whispering voices, bare feet pattering away on incredible and mysterious errands, the shiver of garments brushing past, a woman's high, tinkly laughter, a faint clashing of jewelry and crackle of steel.

Once, coming out of that inky void, he heard a cry, a cry of infinite fear and desolation; then a heavy thud; a rattling, agonized gurgle as if deep from a man's, or perhaps a woman's, throat. Then silence. No sign anywhere. No threatening shadow looming up, gliding away. No twinkle of killing dagger stabbing the opaque. No physical, actual sight to motivate, to explain. Just the cry—the thud—the death gurgle—and the silence. One of those dark, sardonic oriental mysteries, clouted out of nothing, for nothing, because of nothing—like the loose ends of a tale with no climax to tie them, like the words of a grim jest without a point . . . one of those Indian secrets that baffle probability. And it seemed to Lord Carmyon as if he had been exiled from the kindly earth as he knew it, with its virtues and vices, its loves and hates, its gayeties and sorrows, and were now coming to another planet high up in the black, starless heavens, and the former earth he had known spinning below and far away through the eternal fields of space and time.

Suddenly the Hindu announced:

"We have arrived, *saheb*."

He took the Englishman by the hand and pulled him into a narrow, crooked cul-de-sac that ran the gamut of tall, whitewashed walls without windows or doors and was lit by the flickering, smoky flame of a torch clasped to a post.

AT the farther end the cul-de-sac was sealed by a lonely, towering house. It rose to the night's welter with an immense abandon of carved, fretted stone and masonry work, with bird's nest balconies and crazy, twisted turrets and bartizans and a forest of lance-sharp spires—the whole thing typically Hindu in its maniacal, architectural extravagance.

There was a massive, brass-studded door. The Hindu opened it with a foot long, skewerlike key which he drew from his waist shawl; motioned to Carmyon to enter; led him down a long, dark corridor; opened another door; ushered the Englishman across the threshold.

"I shall call the master," he said; salaamed, and withdrew.

The room where Lord Carmyon found himself was a blaze of light, and after the swathing blackness of the Coloottallah it blinded him momentarily.

He must have seemed rather ridiculous, standing there, blinking his eyes.

No wonder, therefore, that there was mockery in the words which spoke to him from a corner:

"Why—Freddie Carmyon—you look exactly like an inebriated owl!"

And then, blinking his last blink, he saw Sultana Evelyn sitting on a low couch and heard her soft laugh.

He should have been utterly astonished.

He should have—would have—exclaimed, had he been an every day, painfully normal young man:

"Good heavens! How *did* you get here?"

Or, changing the intonation: "Good heavens! How did *you* get here?"

Or, again changing the intonation: "Good heavens! How did you get *here?*"

Or, perhaps, more explicitly: "What are you doing in Calcutta? I had an idea you were up there in that little Persian port—what's its silly name?—waiting for me."

Or, finally, quite simply and profanely: "Well—I'll be damned!"

But, not being an every-day, painfully normal young man, he did nothing of the sort.

He walked over to her, kissed first her left hand and then her right, and said: "I'm sure this is a dream—such a wonderful, glorious dream."

"Why do you think so?" she asked in a low voice.

"Because how—except in a dream—would I dare forget that you are a sultana, a queen, and I only a penniless and very unimportant British peer? How—except in a dream—would I dare tell you that never have I seen such lips as yours? Red, slender lips of kisses I would call them were I a poet . . . O . . ."

And, all at once, he was silent.

For, happening to glance up, he saw a few feet away a yellow Gladstone bag belonging to him, a black kit bag belonging to Prince Tamerlanoff, and a pigskin suitcase belonging to L'Hommedieu; in fact, all the hand baggage which they had been forced to abandon on the dock during their scuffle with the police and which he had thought stolen long ago by some wharf rat. And—after the grim mystery of the Hindu guide coming to him out of the dark Coloottallah, the sweet mystery of the young sultana sitting here as if waiting for him—this third mystery was most prosy and most amazing.

His silence, his amazement, lasted only a second; but long enough to break the spell.

For, following the direction of his eyes, Evelyn saw what he saw. She read what passed through his mind; was hurt and angry; and thought: "This young man is not as charming as I imagined—with his being more interested in his beastly luggage than in my red lips! I'm terribly disappointed in him!"

And so, when he turned back to her and spoke again about his wonderful, glorious dream, she interrupted icily, "Dreams bore me, Lord Carmyon."

To which, hurt in his turn, he replied just as icily, "I beg your pardon, your royal highness."

They sat there silent, rather sullen.

Occasionally, furtively, their eyes would meet, then look away at once.

Carmyon lit a cigaret.

Evelyn gave a yawn that was a pure product of art.

"I don't care if he never speaks to me again," she said to herself.

And he said to himself: "If I should go away from here now and stroll all the way up to the far moon I wouldn't as much as look back at her."

OF course they meant nothing of the sort. But they behaved as if they did. For it's queer how cruel love can be when two people are young; and queer, too, that a man and a woman should be kindly and considerate to each other, at least in little things, when they are strangers or merely friends, and that the moment the passion of love comes to them they should deem these little things vital and all important and row over them and be kindly and considerate no longer and become haughty and stubborn and unforgiving and hurt each other because of pride.

Yes, it's queer beyond belief what a cold dwelling the pride of youth can make for warm love.

Nor youth only. Middle age at times can be just as silly; and even dignified old age.

Not that Lord Carmyon considered himself silly. Not at all. Quite rational he appeared to himself, and somewhat of a martyr. A rational martyr! Have you ever heard of anything more illogical?

But that's how it was with him.

After a while he rose because he was afraid he might say something to her if he sat facing her much longer. He walked up and down the length of the room. Stiffly he walked, with a bit of a strut; and she looked after him and almost giggled.

For, she thought, he's stalking about so haughtily, so—O—pontifically. Makes me think of some grand Spanish cardinal of the seventeenth century. One of those rather worldly princes of holy church—with a white, starched, frilled, lace edged ruff around his throat, and a rapier at his side, and the cross of Isabel the Catholic glittering on his chest, and a beard . . .

Again she almost giggled. O, yes—a beard; one of those pointed, sardonic, aggressive beards sticking out like a battering ram!—O—I can't imagine Freddie Carmyon with a beard. . . . I wonder how it would make him look.

And she was on the point of asking, "Did you ever wear a beard?"

But she bit her lips.

It was up to him to speak first, and—O—wasn't he stubborn!

So she continued saying nothing, but, from beneath hooded eyelids, continued watching him; saw him stalk up and down, up and down, and finally stop at the farther end of the room where a black curtain covered the wall, and to one side a broad, woolen rope, like an old-fashioned bell pull . . . and he yanked it, not out of curiosity, but unthinkingly.

The curtain slid to the left. He looked. Then he stepped back.

"Good Lord!" he exclaimed.

Evelyn arose.

"What's the matter?" she asked excitedly, forgetting all about her stubborn, proud resolve not to speak to him until he spoke to her.

He gave an embarrassed laugh.

"Nothing's really the matter," he replied. "Look"—as she walked up to him—"it's just an idol—a statue of Doorga, the Hindu goddess of destruction. Beastly, don't you think?"

"Yes." She stared; and as she stared a gray, unreasoning sensation of horror crept over her, and her trembling fingers sought his hand and curled inside his palm. "I wonder why I'm afraid?" she whispered after a short silence. "You know—I am afraid."

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(*To be continued.*)



A Rocky Mountain goat makes a rare appearance in Glacier National park, Montana.
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PUPPY LOVE *A Story from Real Life*

THIS is the story of a boy and a girl, "the other woman," a pipe, a silk dress, and a string of pearls.

Seriously speaking, none take themselves as seriously as those in the toils of puppy love. Never, as then, are joys so sweet. Never, as then, are disappointments so poignant. All other recollections lose savor when compared with the bittersweet memories of one's puppy love.

And deep in the quicksands of puppy love—so deep, in fact, the boy's parents were afraid that, any day, he'd turn up with the girl on his arm, or encircled by it, and say, "Well, mother, here *she* is!"—we find them as this story opens.

Judge, as the fellows called him, was sure no other on God's green earth could compare with Libby. Elizabeth—well, she was happy in the love of, and in loving, her Prince Charming. Judge blushed, but his chest swelled with pride when the high school annual said his favorite period in history was the Elizabethan age. Libby blushed, but was happy when her friends teasingly called her Mrs. Judge.

They were engaged, of course. Had been since their first year in high school. In their senior year both dreamed—although they called it planning—of their future together.

The boy, deciding to give up college, had made the first payment on a lot, the lot where their love nest would be built. Also, he was negotiating for a position; $50 per week, expenses and commissions—a fine position for a lad just out of high school!

It was on his eighteenth birthday, just a month before school closed, that the pipe entered the story of a boy and a girl, "the other woman," a silk dress, and a string of pearls.

Of course, it being his birthday, nightfall found Judge sitting in the swing on Libby's porch. After waiting—ages, it seemed—after her mother had said, "She'll be down in a minute," Libby was beside him.

A special birthday kiss, which sweetened the conventional "many happy returns of the day," then—Libby handed him a package. Heart a-thumping, for—just think: *She* had remembered! *She* had bought him a present!—the boy, his fingers all thumbs, untied the parcel.

"Ah! A pipe—and a can of my favorite brand!

"Great! Thanks, sweetheart!"

A kiss, and then—with more ceremony than ever a medicine man used in filling a pipe of peace—the boy lit up!

A deep inhalation, sweet and satisfying—in spite of the fact that the pipe was new, unbroken—because it was *the* pipe. The pipe *she* had given him.

More puffs—much smoke. Dreams!

Dreams of a cozy cottage where *she* would be waiting at the end of the day. An open fire, slippers beside an easy chair, *the* pipe, and *her*—happy prelude to a more happy symphony, the motif of which both understood and dreamed of—although they confined their spoken dreams to an open fire, slippers beside an easy chair, *the* pipe, and *her (him)*.

All was roseate!

The big position—$50 per week, expenses and commissions, was assuming more tangible form each day.

Their future seemed as bright as the diamond of her engagement ring——

And then "the other woman" entered the story of a boy and a girl, a pipe, a silk dress, and a string of pearls.

Caroline was her name.

She was Judge's cousin, by marriage, in this way: Judge's uncle married a widow, the widow had a child by her first marriage—the child was Caroline. And, since he had been "just a boy," the praises of Caroline had been sung in Judge's ears.

Caroline, at the time Judge met her, was a junior in a large western university. Her family had moved to Judge's home, a small town in Dixie, during the winter. During vacation she joined them.

And, for once, realization did not disappoint anticipation!

In Judge's eyes Caroline more than lived up to the praises which had been sung in his ears. She was beautiful; she loved the out-of-doors; she was athletic; she was witty, and she was—almost from the very first—an equal of *her*.

And, being older than Judge, Caroline soon was taken into the confidence of his parents. They told her how worried they were over the Libby-Judge affair.

"Why, any day," his mother said, "I expect to see him walk up with her on his arm and say, 'Well, mother, here *she* is!' It wouldn't surprise me a bit."

And, at this point in the "council of war," as Judge later called the conference, the silk dress entered the story of a boy and a girl, "the other woman," a pipe, and a string of pearls.

"If," said his father, "you can bust up that puppy love affair—I'll pay for the best silk dress money can buy!"

"Leave it to me," cried Caroline, "and I'll wear that silk dress to the first university dance this fall."

They left it to her—and Judge to his fate.

Naturally, when Caroline's kisses lasted longer and acquired more warmth, more response, than the ordinary cousinly kiss, Judge was sure she had fallen for him.

Positively he had fallen for her, for—well, Caroline *was* just as beautiful as Libby; like Libby, she shared his love for the out-of-doors; she was just as athletic, just as witty, and—although Judge didn't include this, consciously, in his comparative lists—in addition, Caroline had the allure of the "woman of the world."

Older than Libby, she was more adept in the handling of the masculine sex; a good listener, a facile flatterer.

Poor Judge!

Poor Libby!

Farewell, dear puppy love! Farewell! Once gone—never to return again!

Judge's dreams remained the same, only the *she* of his dreams, now, was Caroline—not Libby.

Now the string of pearls enters the story of a boy and a girl, "the other woman," a pipe, and a silk dress.

DURING the heyday of his Elizabethan age Judge made the first payment on an expensive string of pearls. He really couldn't afford to pay what they cost, but—they were for Libby, and *she* deserved the best he could get, afford or no afford.

Consistently, as each payment was due, that payment was made. He'd never told Libby what he was doing. The pearls were to be his gift to *her*—on their wedding day.

Consistent was Judge when it came to paying for the pearls; but not so consistent otherwise, for—Caroline had replaced Libby in his heart, by the simple (for her) process of vamping simple Judge.

The stirring call of romance—
the tang of the circus—
the indescribable languor of
Hollywood's make-believe land
of sunshine and shadows . . .

All these are to be found in the latest product of the pen of COURTNEY RYLEY COOPER, America's foremost writer of animal stories.

"A Lady of the Films"

in the Rotogravure Magazine section NEXT SUNDAY, tells, in scintillating fashion, how "the world's greatest elephant screen actress" saved the day for the man behind the megaphone and for her little co-star.

And so it was—her birthday coming in midsummer—the pearls were around Caroline's neck the night of her birthday, although they had been bought for Libby's wedding gift.

Then, with Caroline snuggling close in his arms, Judge—entranced by her beauty, thrilled by her whispered "I love you"—made a promise. He promised that, on Christmas, he'd give her, Caroline, a diamond clasp for the string of pearls.

He was happy. A different kind of happiness, of course, than that which he'd found with Libby—but happy, nevertheless.

Then—his dreams evaporated before the blast of truth, or condensed into nothingness when struck by the cold which froze his heart—Judge's mother, happy at the termination of his affair with Libby, thoughtlessly told him of his father's offer and Caroline's "Leave it to me."

His mother aiding in the conspiracy, Judge saw to it that Caroline got her silk dress—the best money could buy!

But—did he let Caroline know he knew?

Not he!

Although her perfidy was the one element necessary, in the alchemy of emotions, to transform his love into hate. Perhaps it was that; perhaps, just because she had fooled with him, trampling his love under careless, dancing feet. Anyway, he hated Caroline as intensely as he'd loved her.

And, in contrast with Caroline, how sweet, how wonderful was Libby's love—now lost, forever!

But—did he let Caroline know he knew?

Not he!

Instead, telling Caroline it was because he loved her so much he couldn't bear to be separated, he delighted his parents by giving the big position, now ready and waiting, the go-by and announcing, "I'm going to college, at the same university as Caroline."

Not for an education, however, did he go. At college Judge took Caroline to dances, to shows, everywhere. He took her to the first university dance, to which she wore the silk dress.

Then, in late fall, Judge realized that, at last, the other foot was wearing the shoe—that Caroline, thoroughly and definitely, was in love with him.

Christmas! And Judge remembered his promise.

There, in Caroline's lap, lay the diamond clasp for Libby's string of pearls.

Purposely he sought a corner—away from the crowded Christmas household.

Caroline sought him.

Her eyes sparkling, she came to him, her arms extended. Her arms around his neck, the pearls around hers, Caroline was about to kiss him.

Then, not in sacrilege, he hissed, "Judas."

That one word, it seemed by the way she wilted, told her all. Just to make sure, Judge told her when and why his love had changed to hate.

Soon after Christmas, having accomplished his end, Judge left college.

The next year Caroline married. In the story of her wedding, "the bride wore a beautiful string of pearls."

Judge read—and chuckled.

In the meantime, Libby, too, married.

Still single, back home on a visit, Judge, pipe in mouth turned from Main street into the street leading past Libby's home.

At the same moment—they had not seen each other for over three years—Libby turned the corner at the other end of the block, pushing a baby carriage.

Judge and Libby, sweethearts of puppy love days, met on the sidewalk in front of her home.

"Well," said Judge, after conventional greetings had been passed, "you see—I'm still single and I've still got my pipe, *the* pipe."

"Yes," Libby laughed, "I see," and, pointing to the baby carriage, "don't you think my baby is cute?"

And, as said in the beginning—

This is the story of a boy and a girl, "the other woman," a pipe, a silk dress, and a string of pearls.

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VIA MADEIRA

By Edgar Wallace

(Continued from page two.)

made sleepless by the thought of her tragic sorrow; but it was a very healthy and indignant girl who came across the uncovered floor toward him.

"What is the meaning of this, Mr. Frimley?" she asked. Reproach was rather in her eyes than in her voice. "It isn't true that you are a jewel thief?"

"My name is Fallowby," protested Jeremiah.

"You told me your wife was on board."

He guessed that this was his real offense.

"I never said my wife was anywhere," said Jeremiah, loudly. "I was talking about my aunt, Mrs. Leslie Fallowby. You told me you were her secretary."

"I did nothing of the kind," she stormed. "I told you I was *your* secretary—that your wife had engaged me."

"But I've never had a wife!" he wailed.

"Attention!" The fat man behind the desk boomed the word. "I know English too well! Now you spik my questions when I ask them!"

"Fire ahead," said Jeremiah, recklessly.

HE slept that Christmas eve in a stone cell which was very dark and very unpleasant in other respects. He had no acquaintance with the Portuguese language, but he spoke Spanish rather fluently, and he learned that the girl had been taken to a convent. The British vice consul had been requisitioned, but that worthy was not in Funchal. So Jeremiah dispatched long and vehement cables to London, and might have saved himself the trouble.

In the early hours of the morning came a wire to the chief of police, announcing the arrest of "Mr. and Mrs. Frimley," whose other name was Vanne, and an apologetic police dignitary of the first class came personally, and in uniform, to offer apologies.

It was from him that Jerry learned of Mr. Vanne's little plot (revealed to the London police by his "wife"); of the engagement of a secretary who was to charm from a susceptible millionaire a view of his diamonds and such information about their safeguarding as she could secure.

Apparently, Miss Mary Perella had been similarly informed: he met her half way up the steep slope which led to the convent, and she came running down, with her hands outstretched.

"Welcome, and a merry Christmas, fellow convict!" she said, with a gayety that was immensely infectious.

He took her arm as they walked down the cobbled hill lane together, and came to a bench that overlooked the bay.

She was beautifully sympathetic—apparently saw nothing in her own experience but a thrilling adventure.

"I knew, of course, that something must be wrong. I couldn't imagine you were a burglar, or whatever this Mr. Frimley was." She sighed. "I've lost a very good job," she said, ruefully.

"Let me find you another," said Jeremiah, eagerly. "I really am going to write a book—I have threatened to do it for years, and you can come along and correct my spelling."

She half shook her head. Yet apparently she accepted the position, for they went on to the cape by the next mail steamer, and the English chaplain who had married them on the morning they sailed came down to see them off.

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ENSEMBLE RULES SOUTHERN WAVES

by Corinne Lowe

NEW YORK.—[Special Correspondence.]—Many are cold, but few clothen—this is a fairly good description of the Riviera. How many confiding Americans go to the European southland with a wardrobe inspired by posters rather than by real conditions! It is usually only the experienced traveler who knows enough to take her sable and mink coats to that great refrigerating plant of Europe where, under glacial sunshine, the flowers bloom and the inhabitants sneeze.

Our own southland is more deserving of such confidence. Yet even in Florida one is sometimes afflicted by rain and cold and for this reason any wardrobe destined for our great winter resorts has to have a dual personality. It must contain provision for both the bleak and the sunshiny day. It must spend its time, like Proserpine, divided between winter and summer.

Now there is a classic way of preparing for the balmy days of the south. Those who don't like to think too much about clothes have been in the habit for some years of getting themselves a uniform. It consists of a white coat of flannel, homespun, or other congenial material and of a number of crêpe frocks. This year you may operate on these familiar principles and still be as correct as ever. Only, of course, you will not be individual.

Undoubtedly the ensemble is one of the important factors in this year's Palm Beach offerings. No, this news will not cause even the most highly attuned nature among us to start with surprise. Ensembles have always been as much a part of the southern landscape as have the palms themselves. Therefore the only contribution of novelty made by this particular season is that there are bigger and better ensembles than ever.

And such a quantity of types from which to choose! Without going into any oppressive particulars let us just glance at this page. And here we do not pretend to show any of the sports costumes. This is merely a hint of the afternoon possibilities of the ensemble.

At the extreme left you will find one that chooses a little shoulder cape as its solution of the wrap. Both this cape and the frock are worked out in printed chiffon in tones of maize and cornflower blue and the latter tone is used in plain chiffon for the scarf collar of the cape. Notice the two plaited tiers and the fitted sleeves.

Among the most startling of tiers are those provided by Patou. In the midseason offerings of this great couturier one finds a certain model of black crêpe, which is, perhaps, destined to have a far reaching influence upon the spring mode. In this model one finds the skirt divided into five tiers, each of which is gathered into fullness at the center front. In order to be identified with the sentiment of the skirt the bodice is seamed into widths corresponding with those of the tier and at the front the square neck line is finished by a jabot-like gathering of the material to echo a similar movement elsewhere. As a final detail of interest, the narrow sleeves terminate in two tier flounces.

Now a word as to the fabric selected for this first ensemble. There is absolutely no indication that the passion for printed chiffons which we have been cherishing all these years is threatened by the present season. On the contrary, there are more and more of these printed chiffons being used both for separate frocks and for ensembles. In the latter type of costume we sometimes find both frock and straight line coat executed in the printed material. Other more reserved specimens make the frock of plain material to contrast with the figured coat, and vice versa.

As for evening wear, the dance frock of floral printed chiffon which has received the recent sanction of Paris has emigrated to these shores and is about to take out naturalization papers. There are numerous charming examples of this type of frock from which to choose, but one from Miller Sœurs brought over by one of our most widely known importers is worthy of a special word.

It shows a charming pattern of variegated tints in which powder blue is especially accented and it is this tint in plain chiffon which is chosen for a floating shoulder drapery softening the rather severe bodice with its rounded neck line. The skirt of this model is true to the asymmetric ideals that still inspire our smartest creations. That is to say, the skirt introduces circular fullness at the left side only.

Now let us turn to the extreme right. Here we find, first of all, a frock of chiffon in the palest and most exquisite of rose tints. And what a charmingly conceived frock it is, too! Note the way that minute tucks are employed on the corsage and how the surplice closing, still so dear to the heart of fashion, is carried out in the society of a narrow, twisted girdle of self material. Nor is the skirt without its own message of style. For does it not corroborate all that we have been thinking anent the value of irregular hem lines and diplomatic flares?

As to the coat, we see it developed in cream lace. The combination of its mesh with the pale rose chiffon is most appealing, yet one need not be absolutely controlled by this original selection. The same coat would be delightful if carried out in one of the floral printed chiffons—unlined, of course, and introducing the same rose tint of the gown.

And how about the wool crêpe double starred in last season's fashion Baedeker? It is still—double starred! In fact, all of the light weight woolens form a consistent part of the southern landscape, and the afternoon or morning ensemble can do nothing more correct nowadays than to pose a coat of one of these materials over a frock of georgette, flat crêpe, or some other similar fabric. Often coat and frock exploit two tones of the same color, and sometimes even such consistency is sacrified to the need of even more emphatic contrast. To have a coat of beige wool crêpe combined with a gown of some pastel tint in green, rose, blue, or yellow—such behavior encounters never a frown at Palm Beach.

The two tone ensemble is sketched on our page second from the left in an attractive model inspired by Jenny. As adapted by an American interpreter of the mode, the three-quarter coat is of dark green in an exquisite light weight cashmere weave and it tops a frock of very light green georgette. On both frock and coat an embroidery of gold thread speaks once more of the metallic touch apparent in so many southern collections. Treating of the frock separately, consider the renewed accent placed on four factors of our midseason modes. The surplice closing, the tier, the slanting line, and the wrap around skirt—each one of these is carried over to linger in the lap of spring.

In the original version of this same ensemble it is interesting to note that Jenny employs a beautiful alpaca for the coat and flat crêpe for the frock. Also that she executes the whole, not in two tones of green, but in a dialogue of blues. As for the selection of coat material, there is no gainsaying the fact that alpaca is quite as well endowed with lives as a certain domestic pet and that many seasons have not been able to worry out even one of those existences.

In speaking of the ensemble I always seem to take a high moral tone worthy of Epictetus or George Eliot. I always remind you that it is the most extravagant way of dressing that any woman can possibly choose. Consequently I shall be forbearing just now and merely suggest that one carefully selected coat will do its duty by any number of little crêpe and chiffon frocks.

Here on the page we are showing you two delightful models of such frocks to go with a promiscuous minded wrap. In the center a pale yellow chiffon is treated to a contrast of fine tucks and to a scarf collar tying in a voluminous bow to correspond with a bow formed by the girdle. And fourth from the left you will see a charming rose colored georgette set off with matching lace.

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Floral printed chiffon contributes both cape and frock of the charming ensemble at our left.

Next, a coat of light weight cashmere in dark green is allied with a frock of light green georgette and the two tones are reconciled by gold embroidery.

In the center a model of yellow chiffon shows a contrasting movement of fine tucks and a bow of the girdle to correspond with one of the scarf.

Fourth, a rose colored georgette is set off with matching lace, and last, a coat of cream color lace rounds out the afternoon policy of a pale rose chiffon frock.



Other views of today's models.

TEMPTING MENUS FOR THE WEEK

by Jane Eddington

STAPLES.

RICE is one of the most fascinating staples of the world. Rudyard Kipling makes it fascinating in many of his stories of India. The East Indian curry, as everybody knows, is largely rice. In general, in the literature of the Oriental people, there are many exalted statements about the preciousness of rice. And the Occident, too, knows its worth, whether in the New England "edging" for hash, or in grand ring molds.

The Germans probably make the best rice puddings in the world. Rice is an indispensable member of a couple in some Italian dishes such as the *risotto*, while the French find *riz* a great standby and have made famous their *riz au lait*, which is a sheet of pudding like that we make for the "poor man."

Wheat, for good reasons, seems to be one of the most vital staples in the world, although the beauty of plain wheat may lose its force among peoples who are only aware of foods manufactured from it.

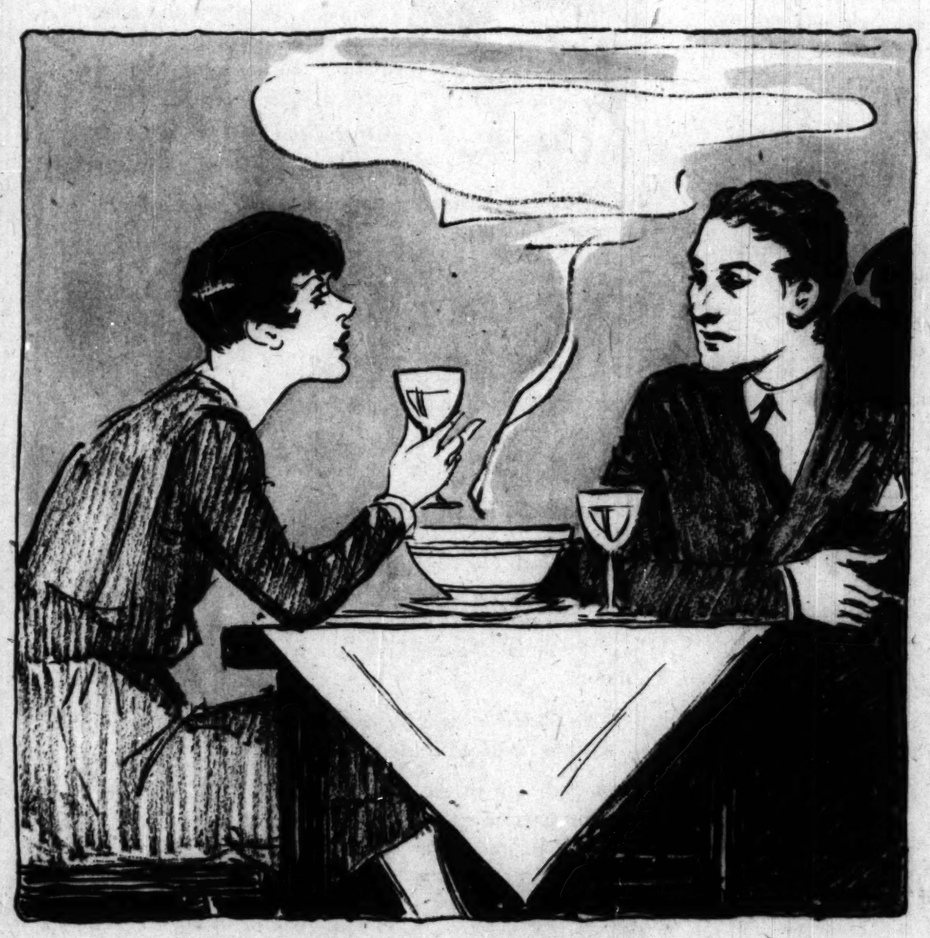
Scotland has its oatmeal and barley and that country has given these two enough of local color to set up a whole regiment of foods.

In America we have the corn, the Indian corn, the corn of pone and Johnny cake, and Boston brown bread (brown bread in Europe means some dark, whole grained bread without any cornmeal in it), and mush, and hominy and hominy grits.

Dried fruits, dried peas and beans (haricots), the Italian pastes, and the items housed in the old time cellar storerooms are also soundly staple. And there is also annual permanence in the supplementary items like dried celery leaves, dried parsley, dried peppers, dried sage and thyme, and whatever other such seasonings one has been brought up to use—perhaps young sassafras leaves dried and powdered, and the sassafras bark for what it may be good for in beverages and sweets.

And considering our staples as furnishing a great immediate human need, we must say that the rice, the wheat, the oat, the barley, and even the beans and peas and lentils (for diabetics) yield that food that humans need every moment in order that, like the clock, they may merely "go." These are the quantity fuel foods, serving always with the concentrated fats—that first give the flame—which we must regularly and "staplely" supply to these humpty-dumpty bodies of ours if they are not to get a fall nor any inner bruising the winter through.

Alas, these foods do not for the most part lend themselves to sketchy cookery—to yield their best and greatest returns! With skilled cookery the appetite may get from them great satisfaction, and when it does the body gets the greater service.



Simplest Rice Pudding.

THE formula for the simplest rice pudding may contain the following ingredients and no more: Four cups of milk and four tablespoons of rice. Wash the rice well, pour boiling water over it and let it stand five minutes. Drain well, put in buttered baking dish, add milk, put in 300 degree oven and cook three hours. When the top puffs up—do not allow it to push up like the top of a balloon—and browns slightly, stir that top in, and do this as often as it puffs up. It may be nearly an hour before it is necessary to do it for the first time. The ideal way to cook this pudding is in such a way that at no time will the oven be hot enough to bake a dark ring on the baking dish. A light brown ring forming on the baking dish as the milk evaporates and is condensed may be stirred in when the puffed up top is, and the two together give the pudding a rich and pleasant flavor which may make sweetening unnecessary.

After the first hour it may be best to stir these brown parts in twice an hour. At the end the pudding should have a custard-like top and be palatable either hot or cold. It can be chilled and served with cream which is lightly sweetened and cold. It may seem not unlike ice cream. Add no more than four tablespoons of sweetening with one-half teaspoon of salt near the end of the cooking. At the same time you may add a little nutmeg.

Haricot Stew.

The following is what we may call a one dish meal. Pick over and wash one cup of navy beans, and pour one cup of almost boiling water over them. Let them stand until this water is absorbed, then add four more cups of water, or with the most careful cooking three more will do. Put these over the slowest fire with no cover and bring slowly to the simmering point. Then cover and simmer for two or three hours until they are as tender as possible.

Prepare one pound of good lamb stew meat and sauté the pieces in a little of the lamb fat tried out in trimming the piece of meat. Be sure to skin each piece of the stew meat. After the pieces have been carefully browned in the fat on all sides, add to the kettle in which they are sautéd two sliced onions, two carrots sliced and any other seasonings you like. Dried celery leaves are good. Cover the mixture with cold water, bring to a boiling point and simmer one hour, when the beans should be cooked and ready to add to it. Cook the combination gently for one-half hour. Some leaf lettuce cut chiffonade fashion may be added five or ten minutes before the stew is served. Little disks of the fine cut leaf lettuce stems give a more finished appearance to such a stew and may require a few minutes more of cooking than the leaves cut fine do.

MONDAY

Breakfast
Orange Juice
White Cornmeal Mush
Toast Jam
Coffee

Luncheon
Lima Bean Stew Melba Toast
Dessert Salad Wafers
Hot Beverage

Dinner
Cabbage Relish
Cream of Celery Soup
Broiled Ham
Baked Sweet Potatoes
Apple Fritters Endive Salad
Rice Pudding
Coffee

TUESDAY

Breakfast
Black Figs Stewed
Prepared Cereal
Toast Honey
Coffee

Luncheon
Kidney Beans with Rice
Nut Bread Jelly Cream Cheese
Beverage

Dinner
Mixed Olives
Bean Soup
Pork Chops Baked Idaho Potatoes
Hashed Beets
Lettuce Salad
Lemon Cream Pie
Coffee

WEDNESDAY

Breakfast
Baked Apple
Barley Porridge
Toast Marmalade
Coffee

Luncheon
Baked Beans, Boston Brown Bread
Cooked Vegetable Salad
French Dressing
Cookies Cheese

Dinner
Crisp Celery Hearts
Julienne Soup
Roast Lamb Mashed Potatoes
Mint Jelly
Baked Carrot and Eggplant
Casaba Melon Salad
Tapioca Fruit Pudding
Coffee

THURSDAY

Breakfast
Sliced Bananas
Oatmeal Porridge
Toast Honey
Coffee

Luncheon
Haricot Stew
Spoon Bread
Fruit
Beverage

Dinner
Radishes
Mutton Broth
Minute Steak Delmonico Potatoes
White Turnips Buttered
Apple Salad
Pumpkin Pie Cheese
Coffee

FRIDAY

Breakfast
Fruit
Boiled Eggs Hot Muffins
Marmalade
Coffee

Luncheon
Broiled Red Herring
Stuffed Potatoes in Shell
Orange Salad
Beverage

Dinner
Mixed Relishes
Split Pea Soup
Baked Pike Boiled Potatoes
Stewed Green Peppers
Cucumber Salad
Apple Pie Herkimer Cheese
Coffee

SATURDAY

Breakfast
Tangerine Sections
Big Hominy
Toast Jelly
Coffee

Luncheon
Baked Thuringer Sausages
Pan Fried Potatoes
Apple Sauce Ginger Snaps Cheese
Beverage

Dinner
Cucumber Relish
Potato Soup
Pot Roast of Beef
Browned Potatoes
Spiced Prunes Fried Parsnips
Dinner Salad
Chocolate Pie
Coffee

SUNDAY

Breakfast
Sliced Oranges
Sour Cream Waffles, Sirup
Coffee

Luncheon
Salted Nuts Curled Celery
Cream of Mushroom Soup
Roast Capon, Onion Dressing
New Potatoes in Cream
Cranberry Jelly
Winter Fruit Salad
Charlotte Russe
Demi-Tasse

Supper
Yellow Cornmeal Mush and Milk
Cookies Cheese
Beverage

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IN the Year 1927 Many Things Happened

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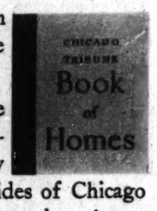
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JANUARY . . . . . .



The Tribune awards $7,500 in prizes for the best designs for five and six room houses.

FEBRUARY . . . . . .



Book of Homes, containing 99 designs in Tribune's prize contest, is published. (Price $1.00.)

Metropolitan Section of The Sunday Tribune inaugurated—the circulation of which is divided so that neighborhood merchants may advertise in any one or more of the three sides of Chicago and suburbs—north and uptown section—west and northwest section—south and southwest section.

MARCH . . . . . .



Holleran Yell, who moves in sportdom's sportiest circles, comes to light—in the first of Westbrook Pegler's humorous articles in The Sunday Tribune.

Announcement of The Tribune's $5,000 Garden Contest.

APRIL . . . . . .

Tribune daily circulation reaches a new high water mark of 909,448, following the mayorality election on April 5.



Chicagoland map, best automobile road map ever printed of Chicagoland, goes on sale.

R. J. Bidwell Company made Pacific coast advertising representatives of The Tribune.

"Big Business," by Harper Leech, is published and put on sale at The Tribune Public Service Office.

MAY . . . . . .

CHICAGO TRIBUNE SURVEY

Chicago Tribune Survey started—a monthly business review and forecast.

Henry Wales, Tribune correspondent in Paris, was the first man to greet Charles A. Lindbergh on his arrival at Le Bourget field after completing the first non-stop flight from New York to Paris.



W-G-N, The Tribune's radio station, broadcasts the fifty-first running of the historic Kentucky Derby May 15.

New Tribune color press, printing 18,000 copies per hour, turns out its first comic sections.

"You and Your Children," the new feature for parents by Gladys Huntington Bevans, starts in The Tribune.

JUNE . . . . . .

June 10 *The Tribune* is 80 years old.

"Russia Today," by Aaron Kopman, goes on sale at Public Service Office.

JULY . . . . . .

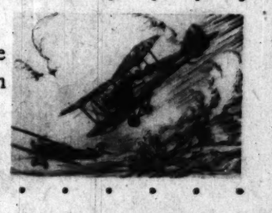


Two Jacks, Dempsey and Sharkey, fight; next morning Tribune circulation touches new high water mark, 914,869 net paid.

Paris Edition of The Chicago Tribune also has a birthday, its tenth.

200,000*th* letter asking investment advice is received by the Investors' Guide.

AUGUST . . . . . .



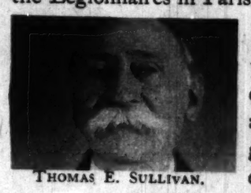
"Wings," adventure novel of the air service, started in serial form in The Tribune July 31.

SEPTEMBER . . . . . .

On the 23rd The Tribune reached its highest high water mark in daily circulation. The Tribune was purchased by 1,098,886 persons. This 56-page paper also contained the largest volume of advertising of any daily issue this year, 345 columns.

Tribune Public Service Office passes million mark in number of services rendered during 1927.

From the 15th to the 25th the European Edition of The Tribune distributed a special "Stars and Stripes" edition to the Legionnaires in Paris.



THOMAS E. SULLIVAN.

Thomas E. Sullivan, of the Composing Room, dean of Tribune employes, celebrates his 63rd year as a member of The Tribune organization. Was foreman of the composing room for 40 years.

NEWSPAPER

The Tribune acquires 54 additional square miles of timberlands in Canada, bringing the total timber holdings to 2,608 square miles —1,669,487 acres.

OCTOBER . . . .



Eastern advertising office of The Tribune shows the greatest month in advertising lineage in its history.

Uncle Bim gives Andy Gump a cool billion to spend for charity.

Edward J. O'Brien lists The Chicago Tribune among the publications leading in "the best short stories of 1927." Tribune fiction was the only newspaper fiction listed—and 27% of the stories published were named among the "best stories" of the year. Following are The Tribune's "distinctive stories" as picked by Mr. O'Brien for the Boston Transcript:

MISS JEANS' MAN	*H. De Vere Stacpoole*
FAIR UNFAIR	*Booth Tarkington*
MASQUERADE	*Struthers Burt*
FREEDOM	*Struthers Burt*
NORTH WIND	*Georgia Wood Pangborn*
TALION	*William Gilmore Beymer*
NEEDFUL FITNESS	*Ben Ames Williams*
MUSTAFFA-OF-THE-TRICKS	*Achmed Abdullah*
VERY ROMANTIC AFFAIR	*Arnold Bennett*
ALL OTHER THINGS CAN WAIT	*Konrad Bercovici*
THIRD WOMAN	*Marjorie Stoneman Douglas*
BEAUTY OF THE BLUE TRAIN	*Frank Swinnerton*
STREET OF CHILDREN	*Charles J. McGuirk*

NOVEMBER . . . . . .

"Government by Propaganda," a collection of Tribune articles by Arthur Sears Henning, published in booklet form and put on sale.



John T. McCutcheon's new cartoon serial, "The Master of the World," starts Nov. 6 in The Sunday Tribune.

The Supreme Court awards Skeezix to Walt.

DECEMBER . . . . . .



R. H. L.

R. H. L.'s fourth annual Linebook goes on sale.

Station W-G-N assigned a new wave length, 416.4 meters instead of 303 meters.

Tribune Rental Library inaugurated.

Convention of Tribune advertising department. Sales force hailed "Champion of the World." The Tribune in 1927 carried more advertising lineage than any other publication on earth.

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